

# Sunglasses



1. **SPY OPTIC ELIZA** \$120  
The Chanel-inspired Elizas are all style, but the view from the bronze-fade lens isn't quite as crisp as the others here. [spyoptic.com](http://spyoptic.com)

2. **OAKLEY BETRAY** \$160  
With a wide peripheral view, the Betrays are fit for a romp in the woods yet fashionable enough for a stroll through the city. [oakley.com](http://oakley.com)

3. **SMITH OPTICS WHISPER** \$150  
Just twist the Whisper's arms and insert your lens color of choice. It comes with three polarized options: clear, rose, and brown. [smithoptics.com](http://smithoptics.com)

4. **JULBO SAIL** \$160  
Not only did the Octopus lens stay streak-free on a drenching Class IV rapid; it actually repelled water. Caution: Of the two sizes available, the small is small—really, really small. [julbousa.com](http://julbousa.com)

5. **SPECIALIZED KAVA OPTICS** \$125  
Specialized's first-ever women's-specific design has rose-colored lenses that dim bright road conditions, lighten shadows, and enhance contrast. [specialized.com](http://specialized.com)

6. **TIFOSI OPTICS STRADA WOOD** \$90  
Thanks to the hydrophilic rubber at the nose and temples, the ultralight Stradas were our favorite choice for trail running and mountain biking. [tifosioptics.com](http://tifosioptics.com)  
—ALICIA CARR

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## Diva & Conquer!

Mountain Hardwear celebrates all the outdoor divas who entered our contest and gives special recognition to the winners.



### GRAND PRIZE WINNER

#### LAUREN LEDFORD

is a co-founder of a non-profit wilderness adventure camp in North Carolina devoted to getting youth into the outdoors. She shares her passion by leading mountain climbs, backpacking and caving trips, and teaching youth how to kayak and rock climb.

### FIRST PRIZE WINNERS

#### NADINE BUDBILL

Nominated by her mother, Nadine is the founder and director of Dirt Divas, a mountain bike camp for girls in Northern Vermont.

#### LISA BROUGHAM

Nominated by her husband, Lisa is a Vancouver, BC "Super Woman"—mother of two, volunteer for the Lions Bay Search and Rescue and master of all imaginable outdoor activities.

#### HENRIETTA PARSONS

Nominated by her husband, Henrietta is an alpinist-backpacker-school teacher who lives and breathes her motto, "Change your clothes, not your plans."

#### JANE MCKINNIS

Nominated by her daughter, Jane has her life in balance. This Diva could teach us all a thing or two about living simply.

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