



Supermodel **Heidi Klum** and on-the-rise Victoria's Secret stunner **Chanel Iman** are sitting pretty at an amfAR event in Milan, Italy.

Ocean of love for Paul

SOON to be married **Sir Paul McCartney** and **Nancy Shevell** were inseparable at the opening of his ballet, "Ocean's Kingdom," at Lincoln Center Thursday night. A spy tells us, "Paul and Nancy held hands during the performance, then they were together constantly at the gala dinner and party. They danced for 20 minutes, and she was at his side while he greeted guests including **Sarah Jessica Parker**, but when too many people later crowded him, Nancy called over security." After dining on an all-vegetarian meal, the former Beatle was overheard telling a guest that his life was his inspiration for the ballet — "The joy, the loneliness and the sadness." McCartney and the elegant Shevell are expected to wed next month in a "small family affair" in the UK, but that didn't stop wild rumors racing at the party that they could wed as soon as this weekend. Shevell was seen "chatting away" with his fashion-designer daughter **Stella McCartney**, who had a famously prickly relationship with Paul's ex-wife **Heather Mills**.

Sightings...

VICE President **Joe Biden** having breakfast with **Larry Kudlow** at Seagrille at the oceanfront Boca Beach Club in Florida... Z100's **Carolina Bermudez** throwing a bouquet of flowers with a gift certificate to Victoria's Secret attached into a crowd of crazed women who tackled each other for the prize at Gary's Loft for the "Bridesmaids" DVD release party... **JIMMY Fallon** dining at Nichol's in East Hampton while lawyer **Michael Griffith** ate at the next table.



Talk about living the high life. Adventure-loving movie star **Angelina Jolie** is on Cloud 9 in the cockpit during a flight lesson last week with son **Maddox**, who's tucked away in the back, at Blackbushe Airport in Surrey, England.

Belle in Chanel

CHRISTINE Lagarde was the belle of the Atlantic Council Global Citizen Awards Dinner Wednesday night at The Plaza in a red Chanel gown. The International Monetary Fund chief, who replaced **Dominique Strauss-Kahn** this summer, glided into the ballroom past dignitaries with perfectly coiffed hair, three security guards and a train trailing behind her dress. Lagarde, who accepted the Global Citizen Award, said, "It weighs heavily on my shoulders. I can assure you of that because it's a constant chal-

lenge." Despite being named to Vanity Fair's best-dressed list, she said: "I'm doing everything I can not to be in the limelight, not to be recognized as a global citizen, but to be as an engaged of a facilitator as I can. Others can take the light. Others can take the credit." The event was attended by Lebanese billionaire **Bahaa Hariri**, former Nebraska Sen. **Chuck Hagel**, Atlantic Council CEO **Fred Kempe**, Egyptian Foreign Minister **Mohamed el-Orabi**, Blackstone Group honcho **Stephen Schwarzman** and Borghese CEO **Georgette Mosbacher**.

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