

Summer Hotspots

THE BRONX

Bartow–Pell Mansion Museum and Gardens

895 Shore Road, Pelham Bay Park;
(718) 885-1461

**12:00noon–4:00pm, Mansion:
Wednesday, Saturday and Sunday
Garden and grounds: open daily from
8:30am until dusk**

You don't need to be a history buff to be enchanted by the grandeur and beauty of this national landmark, which houses examples of fine 19th century furniture and decorative arts. The restored three-story Carriage House contains a carriage stable, hay loft and tack room that give visitors insight into what life was like on the estate.

Admission: Adults: \$5, Seniors & students: \$3, Children under 6 free.
For more information, visit us online here.

Bronx Culture Trolley

First Wednesdays of the 2013–2014 season are: July 2, August 6, October 1, November 5 and December 3.

A program of the Bronx Council on the Arts (BCA), the First Wednesday Bronx Culture Trolley was initially conceived as the first action toward creating the South Bronx "Cultural Corridor," an arts-related economic development plan positioning the lower Grand Concourse as a "Gateway to the Arts in the Bronx." The trolley provides people with a fun way to get around and attend cultural venues that they might not otherwise have visited.

http://bronxarts.org/culture_trolley.asp

Bronx Museum of the Arts

1040 Grand Concourse; (718) 681-6000;
Thursday, Saturday & Sunday: 11:00am–6:00pm; Monday, Tuesday & Wednesday: Closed; Friday: 11:00am–8:00pm.

The collection is composed of more than 800 contemporary works of art in all media, conveying a broad range of modern and contemporary art practices. Free. *Children under 12 must be accompanied by an adult.
www.education@bronxmuseum.org

Bronx Arts Ensemble

80 Van Cortlandt Park, (718) 601-7399
www.bronxartsensemble.org

Bronx Museum of the Arts

1040 Grand Concourse, (718) 681-6000,
www.bronxmuseum.org

Bronx Zoo/Wildlife Conservation Park

2300 Southern Boulevard, (718) 220-5100,
www.bronxzoo.com

Bronx Zoo in Bronx Park

2300 Southern Boulevard, Bronx NY-
(718)367-1010
<http://www.bronxzoo.com/dino/>

Dinosaur Safari: Mysteries Revealed

10am–5pm

See more than 30 life-size animatronic dinosaurs, including a 40-foot long tyrannosaurus rex, on this ride through the two-acre safari at the Bronx Zoo. Learn about the different species of dinosaurs and their habitats, discover how fossils provide insight into what life may have looked like in prehistoric times and explore how animatronics work.

City Island Historical Society and Nautical Museum

190 Fordham Street, City Island Bronx
10464-(718) 885-0008

Saturday and Sunday, 1:00pm–5:00pm

Learn a bit of the area's history at the free City Island Historical Society and Nautical Museum, which is housed in a 19th-century building that was a school until 1976. Check out the display of wooden boats and the original school desks. The community room is another kid favorite; you'll find an old typewriter and sewing machine and a topographic map of the area.

www.cityislandmuseum.org

Derfner Judaica Museum & The Art Collection The Hebrew Home at Riverdale

5901 Palisade Avenue; (718) 581-1596;

Directions: Please call (718) 581-1000

Sunday–Thursday 10:30am–4:30pm

As a member of the American Association of Museums, the Derfner Judaica Museum

The Art Collection at the Hebrew Home at Riverdale is committed to displaying its expansive fine art collection throughout the public areas of the campus. The art collection is comprised of modern art, large-scale sculpture, and ceremonial art from Africa and the Americas. It also houses the Elma and Milton A. Gilbert Pavilion Gallery which features rotating exhibitions. The Derfner Judaica Museum exhibits art and artifacts from Jewish life and culture, and its collection includes objects in wood, silver and ivory, varying in style and date from the 18th to the 20th century.

<http://www.hebrewhome.org/>

Edgar Allan Poe Cottage

Grand Concourse and East Kingsbridge Road. (718) 881-8900

Saturdays 10:00am–4:00pm

Sundays 1:00pm–5:00pm

America's first great literary master lived in this farmhouse at the end of his life, and today, the small, modest home looks very much as it did when Poe lived here 1846– 1849. While living at the cottage, Poe wrote *Annabel Lee*, *Ulalume*, *The Bells* and *Eureka*. Administered by The Bronx County Historical Society since 1975, the cottage is restored to its original appearance, with authentic period furnishings. A film presentation and guided tour help bring Poe Cottage to life. Visitors can see the bed in which Virginia died and the rocking chair Poe used. In the kitchen, the dishes on the table appear as if the great author had just stepped out for air. The house tour is complemented by an award-winning video that provides insight into the writer and the man. General Admission \$3. Students/Seniors/Children \$2. More info [here](#).

GrowNYC Markets

Our markets are as diverse as the city itself! No matter where you are in NYC, you can find a bustling space filled with neighbors, families, office workers and chefs all shopping side-by-side for the freshest of products.

Now Open in the Bronx:

Bronx Borough Hall–Tuesday

Lincoln Hospital–Tuesday and Friday

New York Botanical Garden–Wednesday

Parkchester–Friday

Poe Park–Tuesday

Roberto Clemente Plaza Youthmarket–Wednesday

Learn It, Grow It, Eat It Youthmarket–Wednesday

Marble Hill Youthmarket–Thursday
Riverdale Youthmarket–Thursday
Montefiore Youthmarket–Thursday
<http://www.grownyc.org/>

Hall of Fame for Great Americans

2183 University Avenue, (718) 289-5161
www.bcc.cuny.edu/halloffame/

Judaica Museum

5901 Palisade Avenue, Bronx,
 (718) 581-1000 www.hebrewhome.org

Maritime Industry Museum at Historic Fort Schuyler

6 Pennyfield Avenue, located on the SUNY Maritime College Campus. 718-409-7218; email: pperez@sunymaritime.edu

Monday–Saturday, 9:00am–4:00pm

Admission and parking are free.

The Maritime Industry is much more than the deep-sea merchant fleet. It includes tug and barge operations, port and terminal operations, pilotage, freight forwarding, chartering, intermodal services, admiralty law, passenger and excursion services, Great Lakes and inland waterways shipping, shipbuilding and repair, naval architecture and marine engineering, seaman training, government programs and shipping, vessel classification, marine insurance, communications, recreational boating, and more. Info *here*.

Museum of Bronx History

3266 Bainbridge Avenue, (718) 881-8900
www.bronxhistoricalsociety.org

New York Botanical Garden

2900 Southern Boulevard, Bronx NY
<http://www.nybg.org/>

Weird, Wild & Wonderful

11:00am

In homage to the beauty of the botanical world's most bizarre flora, the New York Botanical Garden invited members of the American Society of Botanical Artists to participate in a

study of the eccentric, creating works of art based on visually unusual plants chosen by the artists themselves. View the results of their efforts, 46 captivating paintings and illustrations of exotic specimens, on display in the Ross Gallery. For costs visit website.

NYC Parks–Bronx Skate Parks

Bronx Skate Park

Bronx Park East between Britton Street and Allerton Avenue Closes at dusk

Bruckner Skate Park

Bruckner Playground, Brinsmade Avenue and Cross Bronx Expressway

Mullaly Skate Park

Mullaly Park, East 164th Street and Jerome & River Avenues

River Avenue Skate Park

River Avenue Parks, East 157th Street and River Avenue

Requirements for use: A signed liability waiver; helmet; knee pads; elbow pads. Get an online liability form at: www.nycgovparks.org/facilities/skateparks

Valentine–Varian House

3266 Bainbridge Avenue, (718) 881-8900
www.bronxhistoricalsociety.org

Van Cortlandt House Museum

Broadway at West 246 Street,
 (718) 543-3344 www.vancortlandthouse.org

Van Cortlandt Park Friends Events

EcoCrafts

Recycle used and natural materials into new creations at Classic Playground.

Garden Crew

Help care for our vegetable garden beds where all of our produce will be donated to local food pantries..

Trails Restoration Volunteer Crew

Want to develop useful skills, while making a significant contribution to the future of Van Cortlandt Park and the Bronx Community? Crew Members will attend workshops developing skills in various areas of trail

construction while improving the hiking trails of Van Cortlandt Park. No prior trails experience is necessary but encouraged; all training will be offered in an on-the-job format.

For a complete list of events, visit us online: vancortlandt.org/events/

Wave Hill

West 249th Street and Independence Avenue, (718) 549-3200, www.wavehill.org

BROOKLYN

Amateur Astronomers Association

10th Avenue and 14th Street, Manhattan

Observing on the High Line

7:30pm

BAM Rhythm & Blues Festival

MetroTech Center in the Civic Center/Borough Hall area of Downtown

July 3rd: Davell Crawford

July 17th: Third World

July 24th: Bobby Rush

August 7th: Lisa Fischer

www.bam.org/metrotech/

Bedford-Stuyvesant Restoration Corporation

1368 Fulton Street (718) 636-6900

www.restorationplaza.org/

BRIC Arts

Brooklyn Creative Arts Lab

9:00am-4:00pm

Visit us online here.

Brooklyn Botanic Garden

1000 Washington Avenue

(718) 623-7200

www.bbg.org

Brooklyn Bridge Park-Syfy Movies with a View 2014

Join us for this season of our movie series on Thursdays this summer!

Thursdays at 6:00pm.

July 10th: *Duck Soup*

July 17th: *Sharknado*

July 24th: *Fantastic Mr. Fox*

July 31st: *Bettlejuice*

August 7th: *Cat on a Hot Tin Roof*

August 14th: *Ghost Dog: The Way of the Samurai*

August 21st: *The Birds*

August 28th: *Public Vote!*

<http://www.brooklynbridgepark.org/>

Brooklyn Bridge Park

Entrance at Pier 1, 334 Furman Street

History Tour

6:30pm-8:00pm

Join some of NY's finest historians in our weekly interactive and dynamic tours to learn about the expansive history of the Brooklyn Bridge Park site! All History Tours require an RSVP, rsvp@brooklynbridgepark.org.

Boot Camp

Contact: info@brooklynbridgebootcamp.com, or call (646) 354-0039.

Columbus Circle Entrance to Central Park at the Ferrara Cafe on the right side. For class schedule & sign up.

www.brooklynbridgebootcamp.com

Brooklyn Bridge Park Events

Early Morning Yoga with

Dodge YMCA

This hour-long yoga class on Pier 6 integrates postures, breathing exercises, relaxation and meditation to stretch, strengthen and condition. All levels are welcome. Limited mats available.

Every Monday

Outdoor Strength

Granite Prospect, 334 Furman Street, Brooklyn, NY 11201

Books Beneath the Bridge

Green Team

Join this dedicated corps of volunteers who beautify the park every week! Green Series: Gardening with Native Plants. These events take place every Tuesday.

Please visit <http://www.brooklynbridgepark.org/events>

Brooklyn Bridge Park

Pier 2 Dock, 334 Furman Street

5:30pm–6:45 pm

Thursday Kayaking

Get out on the water for kayaking with the Brooklyn Bridge Park Boathouse, located between Piers 1 and 2 (across from the Pop-Up Pool)!

Children under 18 must have an adult guardian present. Please be aware that you must sign a waiver before getting on the water. Due to water quality concerns, public and youth kayaking events will be cancelled if rainfall exceeds one inch in the preceding 24 hours.

Animal Adventures

Pier 1 Promenade, 334 Furman Street, Brooklyn, NY 11201

8:30pm–10:30pm

Join us for an animal adventure! Learn about and meet a real animal from our collection.

This event takes place every Tuesdays.

For more information, times, locations and dates of events visit <http://www.brooklynbridgepark.org/events>.

Brooklyn Bridge Waterfront Workouts: Pilates with the Fitness Guru

Tuesdays, until the end of August

7:00pm–8:00pm

These Pilates Mat Classes with the Fitness Guru will teach you to properly activate the muscles of your abdomen and back to create an incredible amount of stability on your torso. <http://www.brooklynbridgepark.org/events/pilates>

Brooklyn Children's Museum Summer Events

145 Brooklyn Avenue, Brooklyn
(718) 735-4400

Family Music & Movement Lab

11:00am

For All ages. Stomp your feet as we count the beats! Each day join us to create your own rhythms, explore intriguing instruments, and learn traditional community dances.

Try It Tuesdays!

11:30am

For 5 and under. Explore, learn, and discover as you try out science, art, and language in fun and exciting ways. Visit us online to learn more.

Brooklyn Historical Society

128 Pierrepont (718) 222-4111
www.brooklynhistory.org

Brooklyn Museum of Art

200 Eastern Parkway (718) 638-5000
www.brooklynmuseum.org

Brooklyn Museum

200 Eastern Parkway, Brooklyn, NY
(718) 638-5000

<http://www.brooklynmuseum.org/exhibitions/>

Exhibits:

[Ai Weiwei: According to What](#) (April 18 to August 10)

[Swoon: Submerged Motherlands](#) (April 11–August 24)

[Chicago in L.A.: Judy Chicago's Early Work](#) (April 4–September 28)

[Witness: Art and Civil Rights in the Sixties](#) (March 7–July 6th)

Brooklyn Music School

126 St. Felix Street (718) 638-5660
www.brooklynmusicschool.org

Brooklyn Public Libraries

10:30am–11:30am

Toddler Time

For a complete list of Brooklyn Library events, visit <http://www.bklynlibrary.org/>

Celebrate Brooklyn!

Prospect Park Bandshell, 9th Street & Prospect Park West, Brooklyn, NY 11215

- July 10th: Illya Kuryaki & The Valderramas/ Choc Quib Town/ RVSB (7:00pm)
- July 11th: Vote, It Ain't Illegal Yet! (7:30pm)
- July 12th: Alloy Orchestra: He Who Gets Slapped/ Stephane Wrembel (7:30pm)
- July 17th: Shen Wei Dance (8:00pm)
- July 18th: Bebel Gilberto/ Vinicius Cantuaria/ Netsayi (7:00pm)
- July 19th: Deltron 3030/ Nomadic Mas-sive (7:30pm)
- July 22nd & July 23rd: Benefit Concert: Neutral Milk Hotel (7:00pm)
- July 24th: Nickel Creek (7:30pm)
- July 25th: Amandla (7:30pm)
- July 26th: Benefit Concert: Nick Cave and the Bad Seeds (7:00pm)
- July 31st: Dance Theatre of Harlem/ Leyla McCalla (7:30pm)
- August 1st: Jimmy Bosch y su Estrellas/ Pedrito Martinez Group ft. Ariance Trujillo (7:30pm)
- August 2nd: Kes the Band/ Kuenta I Tambu/ DJ Dr Wax/ Steel Sensations (7:00pm)
- August 7th: Altan/ Maura O'Connell (7:30pm)
- August 8th: Asian Dub Foundation: THX 1138/ Taylor McFerrin (7:30pm)
- August 9th: St. Vincent/ San Fermin (7:30pm)

Visit us [here](#), for more event info.

Coney Island Fireworks

Coney Island Boardwalk at W 10th Street, (718) 449-8836

www.wonderwheel.com

9:30pm

Dates: July 4th, July 5th, July 11th, July 18th, July 19th, July 25th, Saturday 26, August 1st, August 2nd, August 8th, August 15th, August 22nd, August 23rd, August 29th

The Doll and Toy Museum of New York City

157 Montague Street, 4th floor (718) 243-0820

www.toymuseumny.org

Flea Markets in Brooklyn

- Aquaduck Flea Market (Open Friday, Saturday, Sunday & Tuesday)
 - Fort Greene-Brooklyn Flea (Saturday, 10:00am-5:00pm)
 - Williamsburg-Brooklyn Flea (Sunday, 10:00am-5:00pm)
 - East River State Park Park Slope P.S. 321 (Saturday, Sunday 10am-5pm)
- www.brooklynflea.com

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Bartel-Pritchard Square Greenmarket-

Wednesdays 8:00am-4:00pm

Bay Ridge -

Saturdays 8:00am-3:00pm

Bensonhurst-

Sundays 9:00am-4:00pm

Boro Park-

Thursdays 8:00am-3:00pm

Brooklyn Borough Hall-Tuesdays, Thursdays & Saturdays
8:00am-6:00pm**Brownsville Pitkin Youthmarket-**

Saturdays 10:00am-3:00pm

Brownsville Rockaway Youthmarket-

Fridays 1:00pm-6:00pm

Carroll Gardens-

Sundays 8:00am-3:00pm

Cortelyou Rd-

Sundays 8:00am-3:00pm

Cypress Hills Youthmarket-

Fridays 2:00pm-6:00pm

Flatbush Junction Youthmarket-

Fridays 1:00pm-6:00pm

Fort Greene Park-

Saturdays 8:00am-4:00pm

Grand Army Plaza-

Saturdays 8:00am-4:00pm

Greenpoint McCarren Park-

Saturdays 8:00am-3:00pm

Kensington Youthmarket-

Saturdays 9:00am-4:00pm

Sunset Park-

Saturdays 8:00am-3:00pm

Williamsburg-

Thursdays 8:00am-4:00pm

Windsor Terrace-

PS154-Sundays 9:00am-3:00pm

For more info, click here.

Harbor Defense Museum

230 Sheridan Loop at Fort Hamilton

(718) 630-4349/4306

www.harbordefensemuseum.com**Heart of Brooklyn (HOB) First Saturday Shuttle****Loop from the Brooklyn Museum to the Brooklyn Public Library.**

On the first Saturday of each month, Target First Saturday draws thousands of visitors to free art and entertainment at Brooklyn Museum from 5-11pm. The HOB Connection takes you from Target First Saturday to neighborhood restaurants, coffee shops, bars and boutiques between **6:00-10:00pm for FREE.**

www.heartofbrooklyn.org/connection for more information

Human Impacts InstituteDriggs Avenue & Monitor Street
(917)727-9761**Tree Care Tuesdays****10:00am-12:00pm**

Tree care sessions involve community volunteers, alongside HII crew cleaning-up, aerating and mulching tree beds and planting bulbs in the tree bed soil all while spending quality time with your community and mother nature.

Human Impacts Institute will provide supplies for tree care. Participants should bring water bottles, sunblock, a hat, and any other personal items. Participants under 18 need to be accompanied by a guardian.

Jewish Children's Museum

792 Eastern Parkway

(718) 467-0600

www.jcm.museum**Macy's Fishing Clinics**

Wellhouse Drive

Meet at the Audubon Center in Prospect Park Saturdays in July and August, 1:00pm & 3:00pm

This popular summer program offers kids 15 & under the opportunity to fish. Participants learn about aquatic

ecology, fishing safety and will even get to collect their own bait. Kids must be accompanied by a parent or guardian. Spots are available on a first-come, first-served basis. For more information, call (718) 287-3400 x303.

Magnolia Tree Earth Center

678 Lafayette Avenue
(718) 387-2116
www.magnoliatreeearthcenter.org

2014 Martin Luther King Jr. Concert Series

Wingate Field, Brooklyn Avenue btw Rutland Road & Winthrop Street
(718) 222-0600 Monday nights
www.brooklynconcerts.com/mlk.html

Millennium Skate Park

Bay Ridge, Inside Owls Head Park, Brooklyn
Offers an opportunity for individuals to perfect their skills on inline skates, skateboards, and bikes. Unless otherwise specified, the Department of Parks & Recreation will provide an attendant during official operating hours. Each participant will be required to sign a waiver (those under 18 will need their guardian's signature) before being allowed to use the facility. Requirements for use: A signed liability waiver; helmet; knee pads; elbow pads. Get an online liability form [here](#).

New York Aquarium and Osbourne Labs

West 8th Street and Surf Avenue
(718) 265-3474
www.nyaquarium.com

NYC Parks

Pier 5, Brooklyn Bridge Park

Smorgasburg

11:00am-6:00pm

Join us Sundays at Brooklyn Bridge Park's Pier 5 for another season of

Brooklyn's best street food. From brisaket to bulgogi and Burmese noodles, to phatty beet sliders, fish and chips and farm-fresh ice cream, there's always something yummy for everyone. Come enjoy our food with a view.

New York Transit Museum

Schermerhorn Street (718) 694-160
www.mta.info

The Old Stone House

5th Avenue between 3rd and 4th Street
(718) 768-3195
www.theoldstonehouse.org

On Stage at Kingsborough 2014 Hot Summer Nights Free Concerts

July 5th: Jeremy Davis & The Fabulous Equinox Orchestra-The Great American Swagger (8:00pm)
July 12th: Grammy-Nominee John Beasley's MONK'estra (8:00pm)
July 19th: Carole J. Bufford in Speak Easy (8:00pm)
July 26th: Swingadelic (8:00pm)
<http://onstageatkingsborough.org/>

Prospect Park

Meet at the Picnic House parking lot at 9:45 am. Picnic House in Prospect Park, West Drive and Third Street, Brooklyn
(718) 965-8960

10:00am-1:00pm

Wednesday Corps

Nature lovers, unite! Volunteer for crucial horticultural and maintenance projects around the Park.
www.prospectpark.org

Seaside Summer Concert Series

Coney Island Amphitheater, 21st Street and Surf Avenue

www.brooklynconcerts.com/seaside.html

Simmons Collection African Arts Museum

1063 Fulton Street (718) 230-0933

SummerScreen

McCarren Park, Between Bedford Avenue and North 12th Street, Brooklyn

July 9th: *Back to the Future*

July 16th: *Zoolander*

July 23rd: *Cry-Baby*

July 30th: *Heathers*

August 6th: *The Big Lebowski*

August 13th: Audience Pick (vote at www.summerscreen.org)

Waterfront Museum

290 Conover Street at Pier 44, Red Hook
(718) 624-4719

www.waterfrontmuseum.org/

Wyckoff Houses & Association, Inc.

5816 Clarendon Road (718) 629-5400

www.wyckoffassociation.org

MANHATTAN

92nd Street Y– Jazz Festival

92Y, Lexington Avenue and 92nd Street

<http://www.92y.org/jazzinjury>

July 22nd to July 31st

American Folk Art Museum

2 Lincoln Square, between Columbus Avenue and 66th Street

(212) 265-1040

www.folkartmuseum.org

Battery Park City Parks Conservancy

6 River Terrace–(212) 276-9700

10am–1:00pm

Art Portfolio Development for Teens
Visit www.bpcparks.org for pricing information.

Broadway in Bryant Park

12:30–1:30pm

The best musicals on and off Broadway showcase their hits, plus lots of surprises from other Broadway shows.
<http://www.bryantpark.org/plan-your-visit/broadway.html>

The Cloisters

Fort Tryon Park, 99 Margaret Corbin Drive
(212) 923-3700

www.metmuseum.org

City Hall Tours

www.nyc.gov/html/artcom/html/tours/city_hall.shtml

Tours are available on weekdays and are offered free of charge. To make a reservation, please fill out this online form or call (212) 788-2656. To prepare for your visit, please view the Pre- visit Guide.

City Hall, Governor's Room

City Hall, Broadway and Park Row,
(212) 788-7210

Chelsea Art Museum

556 West 22nd Street at 11th Avenue,
(212) 255-0719

www.chelseartmuseum.org

Children's Museum of Manhattan

The Tisch Building, 212 West 83rd Street, btw Broadway & Amsterdam Ave.

(212) 721-1223 www.cmom.org/

Children's Museum of the Arts with the Hudson River Park Trust

Children's Museum of the Arts will partner with the Hudson River Park Trust to provide free hands-on arts programming throughout the summer of 2013. CMA will bring a wide variety of art-making and art-appreciation activities to various piers from June–August, providing a range of programming options for ages 1–12.
www.cmany.org/

Dahesh Museum of Art

145 Sixth Avenue, (212) 759-0606, www.daheshmuseum.org

Downtown Boathouse

Pier 96 (at 56th Street); Pier 40 (West Houston & West St.); 72nd St.: Governors Island. Free Kayaking on the Hudson and more. www.downtownboathouse.org/

Dyckman Farmhouse

4881 Broadway at 204th Street,
(212) 304-9422
www.dyckmanfarmhouse.org

Eldridge Street Project

12 Eldridge Street, (212) 219-0888,
www.eldridgestreet.org

Ellis Island Immigration Museum

Ellis Island Immigration Museum and Statue of Liberty are free. For prices of ferry rides, audio tours and crown access, call: 1-877-LADY TIX or (877) 523-9849 go to: **9:00am to 5:00pm daily.**

No visit to the New York City area is complete without a trip the world's most famous landmarks—the Statue of Liberty and Ellis Island. Statue Cruises offers departures throughout the day from both New York and New Jersey for the convenience of out-of-town visitors and local residents alike. Get your Statue of Liberty tickets here at the guaranteed lowest price.

Visiting the Statue of Liberty National Monument and limited access of Ellis Island featuring the Wall of Honor is a memorable experience for people from all over the world.

www.statuecruises.com/

El Museo Del Barrio

1230 Fifth Avenue at 104th Street, (212) 831-7272 www.elmuseo.org

Empire Fitness Advantage

59th Columbus Circle, contact (646) 719-1916.

Empire Fitness Bootcamp

Come join our lead instructor Meghan Jaynes for our ongoing Bootcamp in Central Park! Whether before or after work- these workouts are for all abilities offering small class sizes and individual attention for only \$15 M/W/F- 7am, 10am, 630pm SUN- 10:30am for more information check us out at:
www.empirefitnessadvantage.com.

Empire State Building Lobby Gallery

350 Fifth Avenue at 34th Street, (212) 736-3100 www.esbnyc.com

Fashion Forward

Macy's Herald Square, 151 West 34th Street (646) 827-2288

WindowsWear Fashion Window Walking Tour

Explore New York City's fashion displays with a WindowsWear walking tour. This two-hour jaunt gives insight into the history of the industry and how the City's most famous retailers dress up their windows. Tour goes also visit shopping spots made famous in shows such as Sex and the City and Modern Family. Tickets must be purchased in advance; the schedule is available at windowswear.com.

Federal Hall National Monument

26 Wall Street, (212) 825-699-6888, www.nps.gov/feha

Federal Reserve Bank

Visitors must enter the building at 44 Maiden Lane., 212-720-6130. 9:30am, 10:30am, 11:30am, 1:30pm, 2:30pm and 3:30pm, Monday through Friday except bank holidays: advance registration required.

The free one hour tour includes a brief overview of the Federal Reserve System, a short video about the cash processing facility, a guided tour of the gold vault and admission to the Bank's museum. Reservations are required; they must be made at least one week in advance.
www.newyorkfed.org/aboutthefed/visiting.html

Flea Markets in Manhattan

Greenflea Market

Columbus Avenue at 77th Street.

Hell's Kitchen Flea Market

www.greenfleamarkets.com

39th Street between 9th and 10th Avenues

Sunday 10:00am–6:00pm.

Saturday and Sunday, 9:00am–5:00pm.

www.hellskitchenfleamarket.com

The Frick Collection

One East 70th Street, (212) 288-0700, www.frick.org

General Grant National Memorial

Riverside Drive at West 122nd Street,
(212) 666-1640 www.nps.gov/gegr/

Goethe Institut

72 Spring Street, 11th Floor,
(212) 439-8700,
www.goethe.de/newyork

Governors Island

See website for event and ferry information:
www.govisland.com

Guggenheim Museum

1071 Fifth Avenue at 89th Street, (212)
423-3500 www.guggenheim.org
Ground Zero Museum Workshop in NY
420 West 14th Street, (646) 509-0456, www.groundzeromuseumworkshop.com/

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Now Open in Manhattan:

West 175th Street-Thursdays 8:00am–4:00pm

West 97th Street-Fridays (8:00am–2:00pm)

East 92nd Street-Sundays (9:00am–4:00pm)

East 82nd Street, St. Stephen's Greenmarket-Saturdays (9:00am–2:30pm)

West 79th Street-Sundays (9:00am–5:00pm)

West 57th Street-Wednesdays (8:00am–5:00pm), Saturdays (8:00am–5:00pm)

Abingdon Square-Saturdays (8:00am–2:00pm)

Bowling Green-Tuesdays & Thursdays (8:00am–5:00pm)

City Hall Park- Tuesdays & Fridays (8:00am–4:00pm)

Columbia-Thursdays & Sundays (8:00am–5:00pm)

Dag Hammarskjold Plaza-Wednesdays (8:00am–4:00pm)

Downtown Path-Tuesday (8:00am–4:00pm)

Ft. Washington-Tuesdays (8:00am–4:00pm)

Inwood-Saturdays (8:00am–3:00pm)

Lower East Side Youthmarket-Thursdays (3:00–7:00pm)

Mt. Sinai-Wednesdays (8:00am–5:00pm)

PATH Greenmarket-Tuesdays (8:00am–6:00pm)

Port Authority Bus Terminal-Thursdays (8:00am–6:00pm)

Rockefeller Center-Wednesday, Thursday and Friday (8:00am–5:00pm)

Saint Mark's Church-Tuesdays (8am–6pm)

Staten Island Ferry Whitehall Terminal-Tuesdays & Fridays (8:00am–7:00pm)

Stuyvesant Town-Sundays (9:30am–4:00pm)

Tompkins Square Park-Sundays (9:00am–6:00pm)

Tribeca-Wednesdays & Saturdays (8:00am–3:00pm)

Tucker Square-Thursdays & Saturdays (8:00am–5:00pm)

Union Square-Monday, Wednesday, Friday & Saturday (8:00am–6:00pm)

<http://www.grownyc.org/greenmarket/search>

Haleakala, Inc. AKA The Kitchen

512 West 19th Street, between 10th and 11th Avenue (212) 255-5793, www.thekitchen.org

Harlem Meer Fishing— Central Park

Charles A. Dana Center, located on the north shore of the Meer

**From April 16 through October 5:
Mon–Sat: 10:00am–3:00pm (poles must
be returned by 4:00pm); Sun: 10:00am–
1:00pm (poles must be returned by
2:00pm)**

www.centralparknyc.org/visit/things-to-do/sports/fishing.html

Catch and Release Fishing

Catch-and-release fishing at the Harlem Meer is a favorite family and community pastime. Fishing poles are available to borrow at the Charles A. Dana Center, located on the north shore of the Meer. Picture ID required; instruction and bait (corn kernels) are provided with the poles. The Harlem Meer is a thriving aquatic ecosystem that supports a wide variety of fish, waterfowl, turtles, plants and microorganisms. Some of the fish living in the Meer include largemouth bass, pumpkinseed sunfish, bluegill sunfish, carp and chain pickerel.

Harlem Week

Harlem Week promotes and celebrates what Harlem was, is and will be. A series of events throughout the summer that bring together all age groups and cultures to celebrate the unique and diverse essence of Harlem. This celebration of Harlem offers over 100 events throughout the months of July and August, attracting approximately 2 million attendees from all over New York and the world. <http://harlemweek.com/>

Harlem Meer Performance Festival

Charles A. Dana Discovery Center in Central Park, 36 West 110th Street between Lenox and Fifth Avenues, (212) 860-1370, www.centralparknyc.org/visit/things-to-do/family-community/meer-performance-festival.html

Hayden Planetarium

Central Park West at 79th Street (212) 769-5100 www.haydenplanetarium.org

Hester Street Fair

Hester and Essex Streets.

The Antiques Garage

Saturday, 10:00am–6:00pm.

www.hesterstreetfair.com

West 25th Street Market–25th Street between Broadway and Avenue of the Americas. Saturday and Sunday, 9:00am–5:00pm. www.hellskitchenfleamarket.com

The High Line

www.thehighline.org/

High Line Wildlife

8:00–9:00am

Please visit <http://www.thehighline.org/events/all/2014/07> for a complete schedule of events.

High 5 Tickets

520 8th Avenue, suite 321, (212) 445-8587, www.highfivetix.org/splash.aspx

Hispanic Society of America

613 West 155th Street, (212) 926-2234, www.hispanicsociety.org

Hudson Warehouse–The Other Free Shakespeare in the Park North Patio of the Soldiers and Sailors Monument, Riverside Park, West 89th Street and Riverside Drive, 6:30pm. No tickets are required. Just show up and choose a seat on the steps and benches of the monument. <http://hudsonwarehouse.net/>

Summer Stage—King John

June 5th–29th–Saturday/Sunday at
6:30pm

The Importance of Being Earnest

July 3rd–July 27th–Thursday–Sunday at
6:30pm

The Winter's Tale

July 31st–August 24th–Thursday–Sunday
at 6:30pm

Interchurch Center

475 Riverside Drive, (212) 870-2200

www.interchurch-center.org

Hispanic Arts Relations, Inc.

500 West 52nd Street, (212) 695-6134

www.intartheatre.org

**International Center of
Photography**

1133 Avenue of the Americas at 43rd

Street, (212) 857-0000 www.icp.org

**Intrepid Sea–Air–Space
Museum**

Pier 86 at West 46 Street and 12th Avenue,

(212) 245-0072 www.intrepidmuseum.org

Japan Society Gallery

333 East 47th Street, (212) 832-1155,

www.japansociety.org

Jazzmobile

Bill's Place, 148 West 132nd Street,

(212) 281-0777

9:00pm

Presents: Bill Saxton All-Star Band

Intimate setting with Saxophonist Bill

Saxton and his All-Star friends play

every Friday and Saturday Night.

Jewish Museum

1109 Fifth Avenue at 92 Street, (212)

423-3200 www.jewishmuseum.org

Lincoln Center

New York City Center

7:30pm

The Maids

**Lower East Side Tenement
Museum**

103 Orchard Street, (212) 982-8420,

www.tenement.org

Madame Tussauds NY

234 West 42nd St between 7th and 8th

Ave. (866) 841-3660, www.nycwax.com

**Malcolm and Betty Shabazz
Memorial, Educational and
Cultural Center**

3940 Broadway, between 165 and 166th
Street, 212-568-1341

www.theshabazzcenter.net

**Manhattan Art &
Antiques Center**

1050 Second Avenue at 56th Street,

(212) 355-4400, www.the-maac.com

Manna House Workshops, Inc.

338 East 106th Street, between 1st and
2nd Avenues, (212) 722-8223;

www.mannahousejazz.org

Marionette Theater

81st St. at Central Park West,

(212) 988-9093

www.cityparksfoundation.org/swedish-cottage

Merchant's House Museum

29 East 4th Street, between Bowery and
Lafayette, (212) 777-1089

www.merchantshouse.com

**Metropolitan Museum
Concerts & Lectures**

1000 Fifth Avenue (at 82nd Street)

(212) 570-3949, www.metmuseum.org

**Metropolitan Opera in the
Park**

Great Lawn, Central Park (212) 362-6000

www.metoperafamily.org

Metropolitan Museum of Art

Fifth Avenue at 82nd Street, Manhattan

(212) 535-7710 www.metmuseum.org

Charles James: Beyond Fashion

The Met celebrates the grand re-

opening of The Costume Institute's

galleries with a special exhibition

dedicated to America's first couturier,

Charles James.

Museum of Arts and Design

2 Columbus Circle-(212) 299-7777

<http://madmuseum.org/exhibition/multiple-exposures>

Multiple Exposures: Jewelry & Photography

This exhibition explores the influence of photography on jewelry artists from the 19th century through the digital age. Pieces on display come from more than 80 international artists, and include an Abraham Lincoln daguerreotype pin fashioned with gingham and black ribbons.

May 13–Sept. 14.

Museum of the City of New York

1220 Fifth Avenue, Manhattan NY
(212) 534-1672 mcny.org

Gilded New York

This exhibition explores the mark the upper echelon left in NYC through costumes, jewelry, portraits and ornamental objects created from the mid-1870s through the early 20th century. The exhibition further surveys the establishment of the retail and luxury marketplace that can be credited with the City's place in the global fashion world.

Museum of FIT

Seventh Avenue and West 27th Street
(212) 217-4558
<http://fitnyc.edu/22187.asp>

Exposed: A History of Lingerie

This showcase examines the history of intimate apparel from the 18th century to the present. Featuring over 70 pieces, the collection highlights all things feminine and delicate.

Moose Hall Theatre Company Free Shakespeare Festival

Inwood Hill Park Peninsula, entrances at 218th Street & Indian Road and at Isham Street & Seaman Avenue.

Eugene Ionesco's *Rhinoceros*, *Peter & the Wolf* <http://www.moosehallisf.org/>

Morgan Library and Museum

225 Madison Avenue at 36th Street,
(212) 685-0008 www.morganlibrary.org

Morris–Jumel Museum

65 Jumel Terrace, (212) 923-8008,
www.morrisjumel.org

Mt. Vernon Hotel, Museum, and Garden

421 East 61st Street, (212) 838-6878
www.mvhm.org/

Municipal Art Society

111 West 57th Street, (212) 935-3960,
www.mas.org

Museum of American Finance

48 Wall Street, (212) 908-4110
www.moaf.org

Museum of American Illustration

128 E. 63rd Street, (212) 838-2560
www.societyillustrators.org

Museum of Arts and Design

2 Columbus Circle, (212) 299-7777
www.madmuseum.org

Museum of the City of New York

1220 5th Avenue, (212) 534-1672
www.mcny.org

Museum of Jewish Heritage

36 Battery Place, (646) 437-4202
www.mjhnyc.org

Museum of Modern Art

11 West 53 Street, (212) 708-9400,
www.moma.org

Museum of Natural History

Central Park West 79th Street
(212) 769-5100, www.amnh.org

National Academy of Design

1083 Fifth Avenue, (212) 369-4880
www.nationalacademy.org

National Jazz Museum

104 East 126th Street, Suite 4D,
(212) 348-8300
www.jazzmuseuminharlem.org

National Museum of the American Indian

Broadway at 1 Bowling Green
(212) 514-3700
www.americanindian.si.edu

National Museum of Catholic Art and History

443 East 115th Street between First and Pleasant Avenues (212) 828-5209

Neue Galerie New York

1048 5th Avenue, (212) 628-6200
www.neuegalerie.org

New Museum of Contemporary Art

235 Bowery, (212) 219-1222
www.newmuseum.org

The New York Academy of Medicine

1216 Fifth Avenue, (212) 822-7200
www.nyam.org/library

New York City Fire Museum

278 Spring Street, (212) 691-1303
www.nycfiremuseum.org

New York City Police Academy Museum

100 Old Slip, (212) 480-3100
www.nycpm.org

New York Historical Society

170 Central Park West, (212) 873-3400
www.nyhistory.org

New York Public Library for the Performing Arts

Vincent Astor Gallery

Launchpad of the American Theater: The O'Neill since 1964
<http://www.nypl.org/events/exhibitions/launchpad-american-theater-oneill-1964>
The exhibition celebrates the O'Neill's 50th birthday and will chart the journey from past to present to future with drawings, interviews, videos, photographs, original scripts, and sound.

New York Transit Museum

At the corner of Boerum Place and Schermerhorn Street in Brooklyn Heights. (718) 694-1600 also Annex at Grand Central Terminal.

Unless otherwise noted, all programs are held at the Transit Museum.

QUEENS

Alley Pond Park

For directions & for information about the Adventure Course, (718) 217-4685

Adventure Course

Alley Pond Adventure Course is an outdoor adventure that fosters trust, problem-solving, and team-building right in your own backyard at beautiful Alley Pond Park. Our Adventure Course programs are designed for you to have fun outdoors while learning team-building skills. Free programs are available for individuals aged 8 and above on a first-come, first-served basis on Sundays at 10:00 am and 1:30 pm. During July and August, please register for the free program on Mondays.

American Museum of the Moving Image

36-01 35th Avenue, Astoria
(718) 777-6888
www.movingimage.us

Astoria Skate Park, Far Rockaway Skate Park, Flushing Meadows Corona Skate Park, Forest Park Skate Park, Rockaway Skate Park

The Skate Park offers an opportunity for individuals to perfect their inline skates, skateboarding, and bike skills. Each participant will be required to sign a waiver (those under 18 will need their guardian's signature) before being allowed to use the facility. Get an online liability form at: <http://www.nycgovparks.org/facilities/skateparks>

Bowne House

37-01 Bowne Street at 37th Avenue
Flushing, (718) 359-0528
www.bownehouse.org

Crocheron Park

Western Entrance, btw 33 Ave & 35 Ave. - (718) 352-4793 ext.301

Fitness Walk at Jose Michaels Mile

9:00 am – 10:00 am

Join other adults in a weekly fitness walking program that starts at the western end of Jose Michaels Mile (near the front of Fort Totten). No registration is required.

Flushing Council on Culture and the Arts at Flushing Town Hall 137–35 Northern Boulevard (at Linden Place), Flushing (718) 463–7700

www.flushingtownhall.com

GrowNYC Markets

Our markets are as diverse as the city itself! No matter where you are in NYC, you can find a bustling space filled with neighbors, families, office workers and chefs all shop- ping side-by-side for the freshest of products. For more specific location information, call 311.

Now Open in Queens:

Astoria - Wednesdays

Corona - Fridays

Douglaston - Sunday Elmhurst - Tues

Forest Hills - Sundays

Jackson Heights - Sundays

Long Island City Youthmarket - Saturdays

Ridgewood Youthmarket - Saturdays

Rockaway Beach - Saturdays

Socrates Sculpture Park - Saturdays

Sunnyside - Saturdays

Hall of Science

47-01 111th Street, 49th Avenue
Queens, (718) 699-0005
www.nyscience.org

Hip to Hip – Free Shakespeare Program

July 23–August 17

All performances are free and open to the public. Running time: 90 minutes. Fun for the whole family. Bring a blanket

or low chair and picnic fare and enjoy a Shakespeare play in the open air. For performance schedule www.hiptohip.org

Isamu Noguchi Garden Museum

9-01 33rd Road, Long Island City
(718) 204-7088
www.noguchi.org

Jamaica Arts Center

161-04 Jamaica Avenue, Jamaica,
(718) 658-7400
www.jcal.org

Jamaica Bay Wildlife Refuge

The Jamaica Bay Wildlife Refuge is a good afternoon or morning escape from Queens. The hike is easy and not long, though you should bring plenty of water and dress properly. I recommend long pants because of the brush and bugs, and sturdy boots because of the mud and wet.

Jamaica Bay Wildlife Refuge Visitor Center

Cross Bay Boulevard Queens, New York,
(718) 318-4340.

Open all year from 8:30 am to 5:00 pm. Admission: Free. Before hiking you need to check in at the Visitors Center and receive a free hiking permit. There are no entrance or parking fees. The Center has a parking lot, bookstore, and bathroom. There are a few displays on local flora and fauna and bird migration and an excellent history of Jamaica Bay. Contact the Visitors Center for information on tours and special programs.
<http://www.nyharborparks.org/visit/jaba.html>

King Manor

90-04 161st Street, Suite 704, Jamaica,
(718) 206-0545
www.kingmanor.org

Kingsland House (Queens Historical Society)

143-35 37th Avenue, Flushing
(718) 939-0647
www.queenshistoricalsociety.org

Langston Hughes Community Center

100-01 Northern Boulevard, Corona
(718) 651-1100
www.queenslibrary.org

Louis Armstrong House and Archives

34-56 107th Street, Corona
(718) 478-8274
www.satchmo.net

Metropolitan Opera Summer Recital Series

Monday June 23 – July 10

This year, the Summer Recital Series returns with six performances in the parks of all five boroughs. The series kicks off with a concert at Central Park SummerStage on June 23, featuring rising opera stars soprano Amber Wagner, mezzo-soprano Jamie Barton, and tenor Russell Thomas, accompanied by Dan Saunders. Visit <http://www.metoperafamily.org/> for dates and locations.

Museum for African Art

36-01 43rd Avenue at 36th Street, Long Island City, (718) 784-7700
www.africanart.org

New York Hall of Science

47-01 111th Street, Queens, NY, 718-699-0005, Located in Flushing Meadows Corona Park Monday – Friday: 9:30 am – 5:00 pm, Saturday and Sunday: 10:00 am – 6:00 pm.
www.nysci.org/

Poppenhusen Institute

114-04 14th Road, Queens, (718) 358-0067
www.poppenhuseninstitute.org

P.S.1 Museum

22-25 Jackson Avenue at 46th Avenue, Long Island City, (718) 784-2084
www.momaps1.org

Queens Botanical Garden

43-50 Main Street, Flushing,
(718) 886-3800
www.queensbotanical.org

Queens County Farm Museum

73-50 Little Neck Parkway, Floral Park,
(718) 347-3276
www.queensfarm.org

Queens Historical Society

143-35 37th Avenue, Flushing
(718) 939-0647 ext.17
www.queenshistoricalsociety.org

Queens Museum of Art

Flushing Meadows Corona Park
(718) 592-9700
www.queensmuseum.org

Queens Public Library

Seaside Branch - 116-15 Rockaway Beach Boulevard, Rockaway Park.

Board Game and Coloring Time
From 3:00pm – 5:00pm on Fridays, children and teens are invited to color and play board games at the library. For a complete list of all Queens Public Library events and pre-registration requirements, visit www.queenslibrary.org

Socrates Sculpture Park

32-01 Vernon Blvd at Broadway, Long Island City, (718) 956-1819

Boating from Socrates Sculpture Park Beach at Halletts Cove

Selected Saturdays or Sundays, May 18 – September 13, 2014

Socrates hosts free kayaking in Halletts Cove. For exact schedule and more information, please visit www.licboathouse.org. In case of inclement weather or poor water quality, please consult the same website or call: (718) 228.9214
www.socratessculpturepark.org

Exercise Classes

Saturdays/Sundays, May 10– September 28

Classes are free and designed for all experience levels. Participants should wear comfortable clothing and, for yoga, bring a mat or a towel

MoMA PS1

22-25 Jackson Avenue, Long Island City,
(718)784-2084

PS1 Warm Up

3:00–6:00pm, doors open at noon.

MoMA PS1 presents Warm Up 2014, beginning June 28 and taking place every Saturday this summer through September 6. Now celebrating its 17th year, the museums' highly anticipated outdoor music series will continue its tradition of introducing audiences to the best in experimental live music, sound, and DJs—both local and international—across a range of genres.

Queens Botanical Garden

43-50 Main Street, Flushing, Queens
(718) 886-3800

www.queensbotanicalgarden.org

Art in the Garden: Harvesting Our History

8:30 am–5:30 pm

Get a sense of Queens Botanical Garden's past and how both the 1939 and 1964 New York World's Fairs influenced the Garden's development. This exhibit in the Visitor & Administration Building is created largely from our own archives with images that illustrate these important events in New York City's history.

NY World's Fair & the Port Authority Bringing Trade, Travel and Tourism to Queens, the Region and the World

8:30 am–5:30 pm

In our continuing celebration of the New York World's Fairs, enjoy this Port Authority multimedia exhibit which will be on view in the auditorium lobby.

STATEN ISLAND

Alice Austen House Museum & Garden

Two Hylan Boulevard; S51 bus from the Ferry; (718) 816-4506

Tue–Sun, 11:00am–5:00 pm.

Park open daily, dawn to dusk

Austen's quaint, Victorian cottage-style home, with a magnificent view of New York Harbor, displays prints from the large glass negative collection of her work that depicts turn-of-the-century American life.

The Victorian garden was replanted according to Austen photographs with shrubs such as weeping mulberry and flowering quince. Adults \$2, children under 12 free.

www.aliceausten.org

American Tap Dance Foundation

Tap City 2014

visit <http://www.atdf.org/tapcity.html>

Happening July 5th–July 12th

Blue Heron Pond Park

48 Poillon Avenue, Annadale,
(718) 390-8000

This 147-acre park is home to the blue heron bird, which the park is named for. The park includes a new visitor's center, hiking trails, picnic areas, and much more.

<http://www.nycgovparks.org/parks/blueheronpark>

Bloomingdale Park

Staten Island's newest addition to its vast park inventory, Bloomingdale Park provides the first ball fields ever built on parks property south of Richmond Avenue. Most of the 138-acre park was left natural and passive for wildlife. Walking trails have been

included for hiking enthusiasts, as well as scenic waterways. A portion of the park has been re-shaped to offer a baseball field, softball field, soccer field, basketball courts and a playground. A comfort station is also part of the amenities included in the new Bloomingdale Park, with stainless steel toilets and a modern ventilation system.

Clay Pit Ponds State Park

83 Nielsen Avenue, Charleston
(718) 967-1976

The 260-plus-acre park holds a mixture of swamps, bogs, ponds, sand barrens, mature woodlands and spring fed streams. The abundant water supply supports a plethora of wildlife including many species of birds, reptiles, amphibians, and mammals. Facilities include hiking paths, horse trails and an administration building. Free environmental education programs are offered on Saturday. The park is open year-round.

Clove Lakes Park

Victory Boulevard & Clove Road
(718) 390-8000

The park is made up of 110 acres of developed park land and 81 acres of woodland. It contains four ponds, jogging trails, playground, picnic grounds, nature trails, ball fields, model yacht pond, bridle paths and an outdoor ice skating rink. Row boating and fishing are permitted. NYC Parks administration offices are located at 1150 Clove Rd.

Conference House Park

7455 Hylan Boulevard; S78 Bus from the Ferry; (718) 984-6046
www.nycgovparks.org/parks/conference-housepark

Open for guided tours of the house April-December, Fri-Sun, 1:00-4:00

pm.

Group tours available by appointment. Grounds are open from dawn to dusk.

Conference House

298 Satterlee Street, (718) 984-6046
www.theconferencehouse.org/

Fort Wadsworth

Fort Wadsworth, (718) 354-4500

Fort Wadsworth was once a linchpin to the defense of New York Harbor for nearly two centuries. Park Rangers lead walks and tours highlighting both the history and the protected natural plant and animal communities at these sites.

Fort Wadsworth Visitor Center

Bus S51 from Staten Island Ferry Terminal to the park entrance on Bay Street, Bay Street exit off the Verrazano Bridge.
(718) 354-4500; www.nps.gov/gate

Discover Fort Tompkins

10:00am-5:00pm Wednesdays-Sundays, July and August, Grounds: dawn to dusk

Only accessible with a ranger guide, you'll explore little known areas of this historic structure. Learn about coastal fortifications and get a glimpse of fort life in the late 1800's. Wear sturdy footwear.

Freshkills Park

Tours run through November, and are free of charge.

At 2,200 acres, Freshkills Park will be almost three times the size of Central Park and the largest park developed in New York City in over 100 years. Sign up on the Parks Department web site to take a tour of this future park with the Urban Park Rangers.

Space is limited and reservations are required.
www.nycgovparks.org/park-features/fresh-

kills-park

Garibaldi–Meucci Museum

420 Tompkins Avenue, S78 or S52 bus from the Ferry. (718) 442-1608;

Tuesday–Sunday: 1:00–5:00pm.

Last Tour is at 4:30 pm.

This National Landmark is preserved as a memorial to the lives of Antonio Meucci, the true inventor of the telephone, and Giuseppe Garibaldi, a legendary hero who championed the unification of the Italy. Today the museum offers historical tours, Italian language programs for all levels, school programs for K-12, permanent and temporary exhibitions, lectures and concerts. Admission \$5 (members are free).

www.garibaldimeuccimuseum.org

Golf Courses

LaTourette Golf Course

1001 Richmond Hill Road, Greenbelt (718) 351-1889

There are 455 acres of wooded park land, an 18 hole golf course, driving range, clubhouse with pro shop, restaurant, ski and sleigh hills and lockers. Free parking available.

Great Kills Park & Beach

Great Kills Park, (718) 980-6130

This park is home to a beautiful swimming beach with a new bathhouse and snack bar. Also located here are nature trails, great fishing, a marina, a public boat launch, paths for walking and jogging, and playing fields. Great Kills Park is part of Gateway National Recreation Area, National Park Service. Free parking is available.

GrowNYC Markets

Regardless of their size, each market is an anchor to its community providing not only fresh, locally-grown food, but a gathering place where neighbors can come together, share

recipes, watch a cooking demonstration, take a tour with a chef and learn about local agriculture. For location information, call 311.

Now Open in Staten Island:

Saint George – Saturday

Staten Island Mall – Saturday

www.grownyc.org/greenmarket/ourmarkets

High Rock Park

Greenbelt Conservancy Administration and hiking trails, a visitor center, education building and the Staten Island office of the NYC Urban Park Rangers.

www.nycgovparks.org/parks/highrock-park/

Historic Richmond Town

441 Clarke Avenue; S74 Bus from the Ferry, (718) 351-1611

July and August, Wednesday – Saturday: 10:00am–5:00pm, Sun 1:00–5:00pm.

Open village & outdoor demonstrations; self-guided tour. Historic Richmond Town is New York City's living history village and museum complex. Visitors can explore the diversity of the American experience, through the lives of ordinary people who struggled, survived and thrived from the colonial period to the present. Admission \$8 Adults, \$6 Seniors, \$5 Children ages 5-17, members and children under 5 are free.

<http://www.historicrichmondtown.org/>

Jacques Marchais Museum of Tibetan Art

338 Lighthouse Avenue; S74 bus from the Ferry; (718) 987-3500, April–November:

Open Wednesday through Sunday, **1:00–5:00pm.**

The Tibetan Museum features exhibits, a library, workshops, and peaceful gardens that provide visitors with the opportunity to learn, reflect, and relax.

www.tibetanmuseum.org

Lemon Creek Fishing Pier

Thanks to funding from the Borough President's Office, Parks has transformed what was once a dusty road into a fishing pier complete with a beautifully landscaped entranceway, parking area, and cul-de-sac. The Lemon Creek fishing pier, at the foot of Sharrott Avenue, offers the opportunity to cast a line and catch flounder, striped bass, bluefish, weakfish, and others.

<http://www.nycgovparks.org/parks/lemon-creekpark>

Lemon Creek Park

Lemon Creek Preserve contains the largest and most pristine salt marsh on Staten Island's south shore. Creek Park's waterfront area provides a spawning ground for many species of fish and shellfish.

<http://www.nycgovparks.org/parks/lemon-creekpark>

Midland Beach

Father Capadanno Blvd.
(718) 987-0709

Perfect spot for sunbathing and swimming. Children love the Sea Turtle Fountain, a fountain with sprinklers that kids are encouraged to play in and around. A variety of amenities are available including a playground, handball and shuffleboard courts, seasonal concession stands and much more.

Miller Field

Miller Field, (718) 351-6970

The park includes two post-World War I military aircraft hangers, 64 acres of athletic fields, picnic areas, a community garden and a swamp white oak forest.

<http://www.nyharborparks.org/visit/mifi.html>

Mt Loretto Preserve

Mt Loretto is a spectacular waterfront

property featuring important wildlife habitats and stunning vistas from the highest natural bluffs in New York City
<http://www.dec.ny.gov/outdoor/8291.html>

Noble Maritime Collection

1000 Richmond Terrace (on the Grounds of Snug Harbor) (718) 447-6490

Open Thursday–Sunday, 1:00–5:00pm.

The Noble Maritime Collection is a museum and archive located on the grounds of Snug Harbor Cultural Center. The Noble Maritime Collection preserves and celebrates contemporary maritime life and its history. In addition to exhibitions, it has a maritime library, print-making studios, and offers program for adults and school children.

www.noblemaritime.org

New York Musical Theatre (NYMF) Festival

Various location throughout NYC.

Happening July 7–27.

<http://www.nymf.org/about/news/2014-new-york-musical-theatre-festival-announces-next-link-project-selections/>

NYC Parks

Varies

Shape up NYC

For a complete listing of Shape up NYC times and locations, please visit <http://www.nycgovparks.org/programs/recreation/shape-up-nyc>

Ocean Breeze Fishing Pier

The Ocean Breeze Fishing Pier opened in September 2003.

The new Ocean Breeze Fishing Pier opens up added opportunity for deep water-angling where local fisherman can catch striped bass, weakfish and bluefish. The new pier is also available for general public enjoyment of the beach area and observation of the shoreline, wildlife and scenery, and over 160 bronze medallions depicting

ocean life have been embedded into the pavement.

Sandy Ground Historical Society Historical Museum

1538 Woodrow Road; S74 bus from the Ferry; (718) 317-5796

Open Tuesday–Sunday, 1:00–4:00pm

As the oldest continuously inhabited free Black settlement in the United States, Sandy Ground is a place of great historical significance. Sandy Ground is home to ten families that are descendants of original settlers. The museum educates and inspires the public with exhibitions, photographs, and art documenting the history of Sandy Ground and African Americans.

http://statenisdusa.com/pages/sandy_ground.html

Silver Lake Park

915 Victory Blvd., West Brighton (718) 447-5686

There are 107 acres of park area, an 18-hole public golf course, tennis courts, clubhouses, pro shop, lockers, showers, lounge, restaurant, and auto parking. The seventh fairway is open during the winter as a coasting area for children. The road is closed on Sundays and holidays 6am–6pm for bicycling. This major park surrounding twin reservoirs is popular for walking, jogging and picnics. <http://www.nycgovparks.org/parks/silverlakepark>

Snug Harbor Cultural Center

1000 Richmond Terrace, (718) 448-2500, 10:00 am – 5:00 pm, Tuesday – Sunday.

Snug Harbor Cultural Center & Botanical Garden, a distinguished Smithsonian Affiliate, is Staten Island's premier destination for culture and entertainment. Set within a stunning 83-acre park-like setting, Snug Har-

bor presents a unique blend of gardens, museums, theaters, educational opportunities, and seasonal festivals. Admission: Adults \$3, Students/Seniors \$2, Children under 12 free. www.snug-harbor.org

South Beach

Father Capadanno Blvd. & Sand Lane (718) 816-6804

South Beach is one of Staten Island's most popular attractions. Easily accessible to the Boardwalk, the Senior Park at South Beach is a popular destination for enjoying the outdoors.

Staten Island Botanical Gardens

1000 Richmond Terrace; S40 Bus from the Ferry; (718) 448-2500,

The gardens are open from dawn to dusk daily; please visit the website for specific times for various gardens. The Staten Island Botanical Gardens is a real treat for nature lovers. The Botanical Gardens include the scenic and imposing Chinese Scholars garden, Connie Gretz's Secret Garden, Pond Garden, Butterfly Garden and many more. Educational and guided tours are encouraged. www.snug-harbor.org/

The Staten Island Children's Museum

1000 Richmond Terrace; S40 bus from the Ferry; (718) 273-2060

On the grounds of Snug Harbor Cultural Center.

Tues– Sun 10:00am until 5:00pm.

The Staten Island Children's Museum appeals to the intrepid explorer in every child. Interactive exhibitions and creative workshops offer plenty of opportunities for hands-on, first hand experiences that nurture children's natural curiosity and creativity. www.StatenIslandKids.org

Staten Island Ferry

The Staten Island Ferry Terminal, Lower Manhattan, Free Rides

More than a means of transportation, the Staten Island Ferry is an attraction unto itself. For no charge, visitors can take a 25-minute voyage by water from Lower Manhattan to Staten Island and take in the Statue of Liberty and the stunning vistas of New York Harbor and the Manhattan skyline.

For more info, visit www.siferry.com

Staten Island GoKarts

215 Schmidts Lane between LaGuardia Avenue and Manor Road; (718) 982-5576

Monday – Thursday noon–10:00pm

Friday noon – 11:00pm

Saturday 11:00am – 11:00pm

Sunday 11:00 am–10:00pm.

GoKart Park claims to be the only go-kart spot where you can play a round of putt-putt among the bridges, shrubs, pools and sand traps – then give cruising a whirl.

www.sigokarts.com

Staten Island Institute of the Arts and Sciences

75 Stuyvesant Place, (718) 727-1135

www.statenislandmuseum.org

Staten Island Museum

75 Stuyvesant Place (a five minute walk from the Ferry); (718) 727-1135; www.statenislandmuseum.org

Open Sunday – Friday, 12:00 noon–

5:00pm. Saturday, 10:00am–5:00pm.

Science, art, history, fossils, paintings and curiosities in jars. These are just some of the marvels that can be found at the Staten Island Museum.

The Staten Island Zoo

S48 Bus, Ramp C from the Ferry (718) 442-3100

The Staten Island Zoo offers a delightful peek into the world of wildlife. Home to endangered Amur Leopards

and frolicking fossas, the Zoo provides a safe habitat for some of your favorite animals. The Children's Zoo recreates a barnyard setting and the new Kids' Korral invites you to pet the animals. The Staten Island Zoo is also home to a headline-making weatherman: Chuck the Groundhog. With 85% accurate predictions, Chuck is the pride and joy of the Zoo.

www.statenislandzoo.org/

South Shore Golf Course

200 Huguenot Avenue, Huguenot, (718) 984-0101

A beautiful 18-hole public golf course equipped with driving range, lockers, restaurant and lounge.

Silver Lake Golf Course

915 Victory Blvd, (718) 447-5686

A well-manicured 18 hole golf course located within a tight wooded area that includes several sloping, tight fairways and two water hazards that come into play.

Tennis Courts

Silver Lake Park
Hart Blvd & Revere Street
(718) 667-3545

Walker Park

50 Bard Ave., West Brighton
(718) 667-3545

William T. Davis Wildlife Refuge

The refuge consists of 260 acres of woodland and salt marsh devoted to nature study, conservation, and enjoyment of the outdoors. Available are extensive trails and a great variety of birds and small animals. Guided tours are given for school classes by advance reservation only.

<http://www.nycgovparks.org/greening/nature-preserves/site?FWID=16>

Wolfe's Pond Park

Hylan Blvd. & Cornelia, Huguenot
(718) 984-8266

20 developed acres and 170 acres of wooded park land. People come for sunbathing, picnicking, comfort, fresh water fishing all year-round (must have a license - daylight hours only) and salt water fishing from October through May.

