With the new East River ferry service, the city's water-transit universe is complete. Here, a hop-on, hop-off guide to the most entertaining ports of call. By Lauren Murrow







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Beef up your record collection or just smell the dusty vinyl at **Tunes** (225 Washington St., nr. 3rd St.). Witness a postcardlike Manhattan from the waterfront path at Frank Sinatra Park. Then devour brick-oven pies at **Grimaldi's** (411 Washington St., nr. 4th St.) before getting comfortable with a pint of Guinness on the roof of the **Dubliner**

(96 River St., nr. 1st St.).

44TH STREET

Pick up a warm-from-theoven bagel at ${\sf H\&H}$ (639 W. 46th St., nr. Twelfth Ave.), then scope out quirky housewares at **Delphinium Home** (653 Ninth Ave., nr. 46th St.). At the Pony Bar (637 Tenth Ave., at 45th St.), take your pick from twenty craft beers. Or slurp some bivalves with a view of the Hudson at **Press Lounge**'s new rooftop oyster bar (Ink48 Hotel, 635 Eleventh

Ave., at 48th St.).

YANKEE STADIUM 2 Wolf down a stacked pastrami sandwich at old-school Court Deli (96 E. 161st St., nr. Walton Ave.), then pound a pregame beer or two among fellow fans at Yankee Tavern, two blocks from the stadium (72) E. 161st St., nr. Gerard Ave.).

CITI FIELD 2

Before the first pitch, stop at the **Queens Museum of Art** to behold a 9,335-square-foot panorama of sixties-era New York. Walk through Flushing Meadows Park to **Empanadas** Café (56-27 Van Doren St., at 108th St.) for fresh two-buck snacks, then north to the Lemon Ice King of Corona for creamy ices (52-02 108th

St., nr. 52nd Ave.).

34TH STREET

Rent a hybrid at Sid's Bike Shop (235 E. 34th St., nr. Second Ave.) and hit the East River Greenway, pedaling down to the Battery Maritime Building. On the way back, sneak some guac at Teqa(433 Third Ave., nr. 31st St.) or fries at Resto (111 E. 29th St., nr. Park Ave. S.).

LONG ISLAND CITY

Skip Water Taxi Beach in favor of hammock-equipped Gantry Plaza State Park. Head east to Sweetleaf for sweet-andcaffeinated Iced Rocket Fuel (\$3.75; 10-93 Jackson Ave., nr. 48th Ave.), next door to **Little Oven** for macaroons (12-07 Jackson Ave., nr. 48th Ave.), or to M. Wells for a bonemarrow sandwich (21-17 49th

Ave., nr. 21st St.).

JERSEY CITY

Grab a fresh-baked croissant at **Two Aprons** (201 Warren St., nr. Morris St.), or curve west for gelato at Tommy Il Scoops (177 York St., nr. Marin St.). Riffle through crazy-cheap vintage duds at Another Man's Treasure (353 Grove St., nr. Bay St.), and buy a sixer before landing at BYOB taco-and-tamale shop **Taqueria Downtown** (236 Grove St., nr. Grand St.).

SOUTH STREET SEAPORT

Fuel up with Jack's stirbrewed coffee (222 Front St., nr. Beekman St.) and, on Sundays, browse groceries at the shaded New Amsterdam Market (South St. at Beekman St.). Then, pick your poison: a chilled glass of Grüner at Bin No. 220 (220 Front St., nr. Beekman St.) or a brewski at sister spot **Keg No. 229** (229 Front St., nr. Beekman St.).

GREENPOINT

Get off at the India Street stop to stroll Franklin Street's retail stretch for eclectic jewelry (Old Hollywood, 99 Franklin St., nr. Milton St.), beach reads (**Word**, 126 Franklin St., nr. Milton St.), vintage clothes (Petit Boudoir, 135 Franklin St., nr. Java St.) and industrial-era kitsch (Kill Devil Hill, 170 Franklin St., nr. Java St.). At Black Rabbit $(91\,Green point Ave., nr.$ Franklin St.), sip cheap house drafts, then gorge on wood-fired pizzas at Paulie Gee's, Greenpoint's less-mobbed answer to Roberta's (60 Greenpoint

BATTERY PARK Grab sandwiches at Café Clementine (227 W. Broadway, nr. White St.) for a picnic in Penny Park (River Terrace at Warren St.). Shell out for bright Euro cruisers at Adeline Adeline (147 Reade St., nr. Greenwich St.) or a serious pair of heels at **Edon** Manor (3,91 Greenwich St., nr. Beach St.).

SANDY HOOK BEACH,

N.J.♥ Shuttles run

from the ferry to the area's

three restroom-and-snack-

bar-equipped strands: North

Beach, South Beach, and

clothing-optional Gunnison

Beach. Cool down at **Chilangos**, which slings 230 tequilas (272 Bay Ave.,

nr. Sea Drift Ave.).

GOVERNORS ISLAND Let little ones loose on the Figment mini-golf

PIER 11, WALL STREET

Peruse fresh produce at the

Andaz hotel's Saturday

farmers' market (Wall St. at

Water St.) then perk up at

Fika Espresso Bar's outdoor

pop-up cafe (66 Pearl St., nr. Broad St.). Indulge in a

lobster roll at Luke's Lobster's

newest outpost (26 South William St., nr. Broad St.),

followed by an Oyster Stout

at the Porterhouse Brewing

Company (54 Pearl St.,

nr. Broad St.).

course, admire Mark di Suvero's newly arrived salvaged-steel sculptures, and sift through boho jewelry at the **Better Than Jam Co-op** summer pop-up shop. Then take a breather in new, squishy-chair-furnished **Burble Bup** pavilion.

PIER 6, ATLANTIC AVENUE, DOWNTOWN BROOKLYN

BROOKLYN BRIDGE PARK, DUMBO, FULTON FERRY

Pick up readables at **P.S. Bookshop** (76 Front St., nr.

Washington St.) and eatables

 $at\, \hbox{\it Jacques Torres Ice Cream}$

(66 Water St., nr. Main St.). Drop

into **Olga Guanabara** studio,

full of one-of-a-kind furniture by Brazilian designer Richard

Velloso (63 Pearl St., nr. Front St.).

Find men's basics and swim trunks at Goose Barnacle (91 Atlantic Ave., nr. Hicks St.), plus vintage maps, tools, and furniture at Holler & **Squall** (71 Atlantic Ave., at Hicks St.). After a Stumptown fix at the tiny **Iris Cafe** (20 Columbia Pl., nr. Joralemon St.), check out Marissa Alperin's jewelry studio (25 State St., nr. Willow Pl.)

RED HOOK

Follow the hand-painted signs to **Steve's Authentic** Key Lime Pie shack. Browse pretty home things at Saipua (147 Van Dyke St., nr. Van Brunt St.) and kitschy accessories at Everbrite Mercantile Co. (351 Van Brunt St., nr. Wolcott St.). Trek half a mile east to the Red Hook Ball Fields, where the famed food trucks still crank out pupusas, tacos, and tamales on weekends ($Clinton\,St.\,at\,Bay\,St.$).

NORTH

Ave., nr. West St.).

WILLIAMSBURG On Saturdays, waste no time before attacking Smorgasburg, the Brooklyn Flea's new food bazaar. Then admire local art at the **Brooklyn Art Library** (103A N. 3rd St., nr. Berry St.;) and taste serranopepper chocolate at Mast Brothers next door (105A N. 3rd St., nr. Berry St.).

SOUTH WILLIAMSBURG Stock up on fancy condiments at Marlow & **Daughters** (95 Broadway, nr. Berry St.) and swanky housewares at **Brook Farm General Store** (75 S. 6th St., nr. Berry St.). Tuck into Southeast Asian-inspired barbecue at Fatty 'Cue (91 S. 6th St., nr. Berry St.) before hitting Bembe for Latin music (81 S. 6th St., at Berry St.).

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