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5 THINGS TO DO THIS WEEK

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The half man, half rodent and all superstar kicks off a six-night run at Roseland Ballroom.

► **Tue 4–Oct 9 See Nightlife**



NYC Wine & Food Festival

You're not too late to snag tickets to some of the parties, tasting events and demonstrations at this gourmet blowout, featuring stars from the culinary realm. ► **Thu 29–Sun 2 See Food & Drink**



The New Yorker Festival

Chats with Nancy Pelosi, Amy Poehler and Frank Gehry are among the stellar offerings at this annual series; plus, the Bluths will reunite for an *Arrested Development* panel. ► **Fri 30–Sun 2 See This Week in New York**



Bring to Light: Nuit Blanche New York

Inspired by similar events in Europe, more than 30 artists bring interactive, site-specific installations and performances to Greenpoint's streets during this nighttime art fair. ► **Sat 1 See This Week in New York**



Mariinsky Orchestra

Carnegie Hall opens its 120th season with a gala event led by Valery Gergiev and his formidable Russian orchestra, with guest star Yo-Yo Ma, pictured, shredding it on some Tchaikovsky. ► **Wed 5 See Classical & Opera**

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New York Film Festival

Cronenberg, Payne, Polanski, Scorsese: Find out which flicks you need to see, as we review all 27 films at this annual cinematic extravaganza. newyork.timeout.com/nyff

Singles

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Your perfect weekend

FRIDAY, SEPT 30

Surround yourself with good vibes at **Love Night** (BMW Guggenheim Lab, E Houston St at Second Ave; bmwguggenheimlab.org; 7-9pm; free). The evening was designed by neuroscientist Paul Zak, psychologist Emanuele Castano and NYU professor Kio Stark; planned activities—such as Zak's hugging booth and Castano's mysteriously titled "emotional experiments"—tap into human desires for compassion and empathy.

Prolong that warm and fuzzy feeling with a stop at **The Engagements: Don't You Forget About Me '80s Dance Party** (The Bell House, 149 7th St between Second and Third Aves, Gowanus, Brooklyn; 718-643-6510, thebellhouse.com; 9:30pm; \$10, advance \$7). Wear your best period-appropriate attire—a pair of leg warmers would be perfect—and groove to covers of sappy tunes from the decade. (We're hoping for anything that appeared on a John Hughes film soundtrack.)



SATURDAY, OCT 1



When the sun goes down, dozens of site-specific pieces will illuminate Greenpoint's streets and waterfront for the second **Bring to Light: Nuit Blanche New York** (location varies; visit bringtolightnyc.org for details; 6pm-midnight; free). The event, pegged to similar happenings in Paris, Brussels and Toronto, gathers 50 artists from around the world to transform the cityscape into a glowing urban scene. Projects include a screening of Alex Villar's video installation *Splitting Image*, which documents the journey of a commuter (and his alter ego) from Lower Manhattan to Brooklyn, and Camille Scherrer's *In the Woods*, which morphs spectators' shadows into fantastical creatures.

SUNDAY, OCT 2

Get a preview of a new green space during **Sneak Peek at Freshkills Park** (enter at the corner of Beresford and Wild Aves, Staten Island; nyc.gov/parks; 11am-4pm; free). The daylong fair gives visitors an update on the project, which will turn what was once the world's largest landfill into a 2,200-acre park. Walking and kayaking throughout the day will show the progress the city has made in developing the spot, while art installations, food vendors, bird-watching tours and a craft market featuring local artisans provide additional amusements.

Art and nourishment are meant to satisfy the soul at **Sacred Space: A Slideluck Potshow** (Judson Memorial Church, 55 Washington Sq South at Thompson St; slideluckpotshow.com; 6pm; \$10). The night begins with a potluck to which audience members are invited to contribute—dishes can incorporate flavors that are associated with different deities (for example, when Aphrodite was born from the sea, she was draped in rose petals). After the enlightening meal, slideshows of more than 17 artists' works that explore meaningful spaces—both religious and secular.—Amanda Angel

The New Yorker Festival

The Writer's Writer with Jeffrey Eugenides, Nicole Krauss and Jhumpa Lahiri

The magazine's fiction editor, Deborah Treisman, moderates this all-star panel, featuring Pulitzer Prize winners Eugenides (whose latest novel, *The Marriage Plot*, comes out Oct 11) and Lahiri, plus the better-looking, more brilliant half of a Kings County literary power couple (Krauss is married to Jonathan Safran Foer). Expect to be dazzled. *Fri 30 at 9:30pm; \$27, sold out.*

Janet Malcolm with Ian Frazier

Malcolm began contributing to the magazine in 1963, Frazier in 1974. The pair will chat about deep-focus journalism and, with any luck, Malcolm's J-school classic, *The Journalist and the Murderer*, which grew out of a serialized *New Yorker* piece about the journalist-subject relationship that terrified and amazed the nation more than 20 years ago. *Sat 1 at 1pm; \$30.*



The National with Atul Gawande: A Conversation with Music

The hippest Brooklyn band to hit the big time talks about its elegantly dark music with staffer and surgeon

Gawande, who frequently plays the National in the operating room. Happy people, stay away. *Sat 1 at 7pm; \$35, sold out.*



Arrested Development: A Bluth Family Reunion

Come on! You might need an extra session with your analrapist in the event you don't get a seat at this panel discussion, which is the hottest ticket in town this week. The cast of the beloved, twisted comedy *Arrested Development*—Will Arnett, Jason Bateman, Michael Cera, David Cross, Portia de Rossi, Tony Hale, Mitchell Hurwitz, Alia Shawkat, Jeffrey Tambor, and Jessica Walter—will appear with series creator Mitchell Hurwitz for a

discussion moderated by television critic Nancy Franklin.

Sun 2 at 4pm; \$30, sold out.

Malcolm Gladwell: The Virtues of Obnoxiousness

We think staffer Gladwell will about why being a jerk is cool, then again, it's Gladwell, so we really know? Afterward, he'll just let you beat him up. (But won't, because surely you want him to help you with your essential graduate-school assignment on the physics of the secrets of the universe. Yeah, we thought so.) *Sun 1 at 1pm; \$30, sold out.* —Sharon Steel

GO THERE NOW! Location, time and price vary; visit newyorker.com/festival for a complete schedule. Limited number of tickets will be sold; the door an hour before select events begin, on a first-come, first-served basis. *Fri 30–Sun 2.*



WIN TIX!

For a chance to win tickets to the "Beyond 3-D" panel at the New Yorker Festival, visit newyorker.com/thisweek.

Best by day

If you want to be listed

Submit information by mail or e-mail (thisweek@timeoutny.com) or to **Amanda Angel** and **Andrew Friscano**. Include details, dates, times, address of venue with cross streets, nearest subways, contact information and admission price, if any. **Deadline is 6pm Monday, ten days before publication date.** Incomplete submissions will not be included, and listings information will not be accepted over the phone.

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☛ Cheap

Thursday 29

FREE Back to School Night: Safer Sexting with Fleshbot's Lux Alptrraum Babeland, 43 Mercer St between Broome and Grand Sts (212-966-2120, babeland.com). Subway: A, C, E, J, Z, N, Q, R, 6 to Canal St. 7pm. While she can't stop you from sending a regrettable drunk text, Fleshbot editor Lux Alptrraum can provide tips toward making intentional electronic messages titillating rather than embarrassing. See also story, page 14.

FREE Human Chess Soldiers and Sailors Monument in Riverside Park, Riverside Dr at 89th St (212-408-0219, riversideparkfund.org). Subway: 1 to 86th St. 3-5pm. Which chess piece do you best resemble: the queen with her ability to move in all directions, a rook traveling along vertical and horizontal planes, or the simple pawn? You get to decide and embody that piece, as the brainy board game morphs into a team sport. It's sort of like the scene from *Harry Potter* and the *Sorcerer's Stone* (except there aren't any knights to ride).

FREE Literary Karaoke: Banned Books featuring MK Reed Word, 126 Franklin St at Milton St, Greenpoint, Brooklyn (718-383-0096, wordbrooklyn.com). Subway: G to Greenpoint Ave. 7pm. Profane passages, controversial characters and other exorcised written works share the spotlight tonight, in three-minute readings from and about censored tomes. Author MK Reed, who writes about book banning in his graphic novel *Americus*, is the guest of honor.

The Ninth Annual New York Burlesque Festival See story, page 29.

FREE The NY Art Book Fair MoMA PSL, 22-25 Jackson Ave at 46th Ave, Long Island City, Queens (718-784-2084, nyartbookfair.com). Subway: E, M to Court Sq—23rd St; G to 21st St; 7 to 45th Rd—Court House Sq. 6-9pm. Through Oct 2. Design-heavy tomes get liberated from their coffee-table status at this four-day affair, featuring exhibits of photography, Japanese zines produced by women, and British punk magazines from the late '70s and early '80s. The printed works also inspire live events such as a talk with artist Martha Wilson, performances, book signings and a preview party (today 6-9pm) organized by Printed Matter.

FREE Shofar in the Park Naumburg Bandshell, Central Park, enter at 72nd St at Fifth Ave (347-913-3334, shofarinthepark.com). Subway: 6 to 68th St—Hunter College. 5-6pm. Haim Avitsur, a trombone player and teacher, blows a horn of a more sacred nature, as he celebrates Rosh Hashanah with a few blasts of the shofar. R.S.V.P. to experience this Jewish tradition, which will be performed for a general nondenominational audience, and you'll receive a free gift.

Wine Tasting Show and Tell Reflections Yoga, 250 W 49th St between Broadway and Eighth Ave (212-974-2288, reflectionsyoga.com). Subway: C, E to 50th

St. 8-10pm; \$20. After the fitness gurus go home, this Theater District yoga studio breaks open a few bottles, takes out a cheese platter and invites singles to share intimate details. Come prepared either by toting or wearing an item of personal importance.

Friday 30

"Beckett: A Conversation with Paul Auster and Barry McGovern" The Morgan Library & Museum, 225 Madison Ave at 36th St (212-685-0008, themorgan.org). Subway: 6 to 33rd St. 6:30pm; \$15, members \$10. Novelist Paul Auster and actor Barry McGovern share their remembrances of the notoriously private Samuel Beckett, whom they both met in Paris. The pair will discuss the Nobel laureate's influence on their own works.

The Black Panther Party Film Festival Maysles Cinema, 343 Malcolm X Blvd (Lenox Ave) between 127th and 128th Sts (212-582-6050, ext 207; mayslesinstitute.com). Subway: A, C, B, D, 2, 3 to 125th St. 7-11pm; \$10. Marking the 45th anniversary of the founding of the Black Panthers, Maysles Cinema screens a number of documentaries chronicling the organization's history, including Goran Olsson's recently released *The Black Power Mixtape: 1967-1975* (Sat 1 at 8pm). Panel discussions with filmmakers, former party members and a closing reception with DJ Afrika Bambaataa round out the fest.

FREE Critical Mass: Manhattan Meet at Union Square North between Broadway and Park Aves (212-802-8222, times-up.org). Subway: L, N, Q, R, 4, 5, 6 to 14th St—Union Sq. 7pm. Bikers of all ilk are invited to this monthly ride around Manhattan—there's no set route—to promote a greener and more cycling-friendly metropolis.

Dances of Vice: Jack with One Eye Le Poisson Rouge, 158 Bleecker St at Thompson St (212-505-3474, lepoissonrouge.com). Subway: A, C, E, B, D, F, M to 4th St. 11pm; \$10. Dress up as FBI Special Agent Dale Cooper or don a tiara like murdered homecoming queen Laura Palmer for this *Twin Peaks*-inspired evening, named after the TV series' casino/brothel One Eyed Jacks. The eerie shindig features retro tunes courtesy of DJs Frankie Teardrop, Michael Leviton, Templar and Miz Margo, and shimmying from burly-Q beauties Bettina May and the Flying Fox.

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"Erotic Death in Victorian Art and Fashion" Observatory, 543 Union St between Bond and Nevins Sts, Gowanus, Brooklyn (observatoryroom.org). Subway: F, G to Carroll St; R to Union St. 8pm; \$5. Those prim, lace-covered Victorians had a morbidly dark side. Long Island University professor Deborah Lutz uncovers the era's obsession with death and dying, such as wearing locks of hair cut from the deceased, in this illustrated lecture.

FREE Love Night See "Your perfect weekend," page 30.

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FREE The NY Art Book Fair 11am-7pm. See Thu 29.

FREE "Revisiting Extinct Sounds" Cabinet, 300 Nevins St between Sackett and Union Sts, Gowanus, Brooklyn (718-222-8434, cabinetmagazine.org). Subway: F, G to Carroll St. 7-9pm. Artist Sari Carel and McGill University professor Jonathan Sterne explore the world of sound through an instrument called the phonoautograph, a 17th-century invention that translates aural vibrations into visual images on paper. The discussion will feature footage of the only working phonoautograph currently in existence.

FREE Strangers on a Train The High Line, enter at Tenth Ave at 14th St (212-500-6035, thehighline.org). Subway: A, C, E to 14th St. 7-9pm. The High Line's series of railroad-based film screenings continue



BUZZWORTHY Honey Weekend takes over Wave Hill. See Sat 1.

with the Alfred Hitchcock thriller about a murder plot hatched on the tracks. A screening of "All Aboard! Trains on Film," a 28-minute survey of famous Hollywood railroad scenes, follows.

The Vimalakirti Sutra Rubin Museum of Art, 150 W 17th St at Seventh Ave (212-620-5000, rmany.org). Subway: 1 to 18th St. 7pm; \$25, members \$22.50. Director Peter Sellars rehearses a dramatization of this first-century-A.D. Buddhist text with actress Kate Valk of the Wooster Group, and dancer and choreographer Michael Schumacher.

"Robert Wilson with Rufus Wainwright, Lou Reed and Others" New York Public Library, Stephen A. Schwarzman Building Fifth Ave at 42nd St (917-275-6975, nypl.org). Subway: B, D, F, M to 42nd St—Bryant Park; 42nd St S, 4, 5, 6, 7 to 42nd St—Grand Central. 7pm; \$25, seniors, students and friends of NYPL \$10. On the eve of his 70th birthday, theater director and artist Robert Wilson (who's about to stage a new production of *The Threepenny Opera* for BAM's Next Wave Festival) is joined by fellow denizens of the avant-garde for an evening devoted to his accomplishments.

Saturday 1

"The Beginnings of Video Games" Museum of the Moving Image, 36-01 35th Ave at 37th St, Astoria, Queens (718-777-6888, movingimage.us). Subway: R to Steiny St; N, Q to 36th Ave. 2pm; \$12, seniors and students \$9, children 3-18 \$6, members and children under 3 free. Ralph Baer, the father of video games, joins a discussion via Skype about his invention the Brown Box, one of the first gaming consoles. Staff from the Brookhaven National Lab and Stony Brook University's Game Studies Collection will then demo the 1960s game *Tennis for Two* on the mechanism before handing the controls over to audience members.

FREE Big Apple Bananagrams Prospect Park Long Meadow, enter at Grand Army Plaza, Brooklyn (levysmiquenyc.com). Subway: F to Seventh Ave; 2, 3 to Grand Army Plaza; Q to Parkside Ave; Franklin Ave St to Prospect Park. 1-4pm. Play the Scrabble-like Bananagrams with one-by-one-foot tiles (a bit bigger than usual) at an open game in Prospect Park. In this version, you'll get extra points for spelling out NYC streets and neighborhood names. Peel!

The Black Panther Party Film Festival 4-11pm. See Fri 30.

FREE Bring to Light: Nuit Blanche New York See "Your perfect weekend," page 29.

"Catalysts for Change: East Midtown and the 1961 Code" Meet at the

northwest corner of Park Ave and 53rd St (212-935-3960, mas.org/tours). Subway: E to Lexington Ave—53rd St, 6 to 51st St. 11am; \$15, Municipal Art Society members \$10. Architectural historian Matt Postal explores how changes in zoning codes affected development around Third Avenue and the Citigroup Center.

Celebrating Faiz Ahmed Faiz Asia Society, 725 Park Ave at 70th St (212-288-6400, asiasociety.org). Subway: 6 to 68th St—Hunter College. 6:30-8pm; \$15, seniors and students \$12, members \$10. The Asia Society remembers Faiz Ahmed Faiz, one of Pakistan's most influential poets, with songs and readings of his works on what would have been his 100th birthday.

Chill Pepper Fiesta See story, page 29.

Honey Weekend Wave Hill, W 249th St at Independence Ave, Bronx (718-549-3200, wavehill.org). Travel: 1 to 242nd St or Metro-North to Riverdale, then take the free shuttle to Wave Hill. 9am-5:30pm; \$8, seniors and students \$4, children ages 6-12 \$2, children under 6 free. Through Sun 2. Explore the world of beekeeping and its sweet rewards during Wave Hill's annual weekend dedicated to honey. Check out an extraction demo and a hive-and-honey information station for an overview of apiculture (2-4pm), or head straight to garden's shop to taste several varieties.

Musicals on Television: Twice Told Tales The Paley Center for Media, 25 W 52nd St between Fifth and Sixth Aves (212-621-6800, paleycenter.org). Subway: D, F to 47-50th Sts—Rockefeller Ctr; E to Fifth Ave—53rd St. 2pm; \$10, seniors and students \$8, children under 14 \$5. Through Oct 2. The Paley Center pairs up much-beloved made-for-TV musicals with lesser-known takes on the same stories. Today the center screens the Mary Martin *Peter Pan* from 1960 followed by a 1976 edition, starring Mia Farrow and Danny Kaye. On Sun 2, Cinderella gets the duo treatment, first with Julie Andrews playing the title role in the Rodgers and Hammerstein incarnation, and then 1978's *Cindy*, which updates the story to 1940s Harlem.

FREE The New York Green Block Party North 11 St between Berry and Wythe Sts, Williamsburg, Brooklyn (greenhomenyc.org). Subway: L to Bedford Ave. 11am-6pm. Get tips on being a better friend to the environment, such as installing a green roof and salvaging rain water, at this second annual street fair. Talks on Fair Trade teas and single-origin coffees, outdoor yoga classes and the requisite field of food trucks shed a light on myriad sides of eco-conscious living.

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