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Welcome to our August newsletter!

This month we shine the light on Queens, the largest of the five boroughs with a total of 91 neighborhoods.

The diverse borough can satisfy nearly every taste. Foodies covet the Greek cuisine of Astoria and the authentic Asian food in Flushing; others admire the inventive art at Socrates Sculpture Park and the stunning flora at the Queens Botanical Garden. In the borough's southern extremes, the surf is always up at Rockaway Beach.

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NYC Like a New Yorker - Queens

Plan a trip around tickets to see world-famous tennis stars at the U.S. Open or a Mets game at Citi Field. Pack a bathing suit and hit the beach in the Rockaways. Hop the subway to Jackson Heights or Flushing and enjoy food from around the world. Queens is also home to several major museums and arts venues, including the Museum of the Moving Image, Socrates Sculpture Park, the Noguchi Museum, MoMA PS1 and more.

“Queens holds the Guinness Book World Record as the most ethnically diverse urban area in the world, with at least 138 languages spoken,” said NYC Company President and CEO Fred Dixon.

“For visitors, it’s a great place to experience New York City’s diversity, including authentic cuisine from cultures around the world. It’s also a great place to watch tennis legends play at the U.S. Open, travel back in time to the 1964 World’s Fair, or take a beach day at the Rockaways. Whether you want to visit the home of jazz great Louis Armstrong, see contemporary art at MoMA PS1 or enjoy a night out at a bar or brewery, Queens is the ultimate destination.”

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Queens Hotels

More than 100 hotels are located in Queens, from major brands like Hilton, Hyatt, IHG and Marriott, to boutique hotels like the Collective Paper Factory in Long Island City or Rockaway Hotel + Spa. One of the city's most popular hotels is onsite at Kennedy Airport: the TWA Hotel.

Queens Restaurants

If you're in the mood for stellar sushi, Sapps is the spot for you. Try Cyclo for local Vietnamese food and for authentic Indian cuisine, try Jackson's Diner in Jackson Heights. Casa Enrique is a new Michelin-starred Mexican restaurant and makes everything from scratch.





Neighbourhoods

Take the ferry to Long Island City, a stroll through Jackson Heights or Astoria, visit Flushing Meadows Park in Corona or head to Rockaway Beach on a nice day – With 91 neighbourhoods to choose from, Queens offers something for everyone!

Getting There

Planes, ferries, buses and trains: There are so many ways to get to Queens. The No. 7 subway line is one of the best ways to experience Queens. Take the train from Times Square, Fifth Avenue or Grand Central to Court Square to visit MoMA PS1 in Long Island City.



What's New in NYC

NYC Broadway Week 6-15 September!

Looking for edge-of-your-seat thrills? Head to New York City's theater district and immerse yourself in a live performance. NYC Broadway Week returns this fall season with 2-for-1 tickets; a one-of-a-kind offer you shouldn't miss. It's time to enjoy the show, cherish the company and watch the stage come to life.

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Covid Information and Resources

While New York City is fully open and vaccinations have been a boon to everyday life and local business, Covid-19 remains a reality for all of us. You'll find the most useful and current information for navigating the five boroughs, plus plenty of resources for planning ahead [HERE](#).

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