#### Harlem Week - August Events

For location, call 311. 12:00 noon - 6:00 pm

"Summer in the City" Theme: Salute To Jamaica's 50th Anniversary and the Great Bob Marley

#### City Parks Foundation, East River Park

Montgomery St. To E. 12 St., FDR Drive, Manhattan 7:00 pm - 10:00 pm

#### Eleone Dance Theatre / Niles Ford/Urban Dance Collective

Master Class by Calvin Wiley. Eleone Dance Theatre, a Philadelphia-based dance company, embodies exceptional artistry and a profound sense of spirituality that evokes an aura of healing in the audiences whose souls they touch.

#### Shakespeare in the Park

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#### Into the Woods

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# **SUNDAY, AUGUST 19**

#### **Hudson River Park**

Pier 46 8:30 pm

RiverFlicks for Kids

"Back to the Future" Rated PG Presented by AT&T

#### Harlem Week - August Events

Fred Johnson Tennis Courts - West 150th Street and Adam C. Powell Boulevard 1:00 pm - 7:00 pm

Harlem Week Tri-State Jr. Tennis Classic

Showcasing the best up & coming boys & girls tennis talents in the region from 12 to 18.

#### Governor's Island

Colonel's Row. See website for ferry information: http://www.govisland.com 11:00 am - 5:00 pm

Jazz Age Lawn Party

Michael Arenella and His Dreamland Orchestra cast a magical spell of hot jazz and open-air merriment This Jazz-Age Lawn party brings you back in time to the 1920s for a rollicking and delightful afternoon rendezvous of live music and dance, instruction in period dances, picnicking, and games. This event requires tickets. They are \$15 in advance. Children under 12 are free. For more information, visit www.dreamlandorchestra.com

#### Midland Beach

Sea Turtle Circle, Staten Island Back to the Beach Celebration

#### **NYC Street Fairs**

**Fulton Street from Water to Gold Streets** 11:00 am - 6:00 pm **Fulton Street Follies** 

#### Harlem Week - August Events

W.135th Street between 5th Avenue & Malcolm X Boulevards 12:00 noon - 7:00 pm

Harlem Day - Theme: HARLEM: "Where The World Meets The World"

10:00 am - 4:00 pm

**Upper Manhattan Auto Show** 

12:00 Noon to 6:00 pm The NY City Health Village

10:00 am - 4:00 pm

**Upper Manhattan Small Business Expo & Fair** 

5th Avenue Stage 12:00 noon - 7:00 pm

Featuring salutes to South African music legends Hugh Masekela, Miriam Makeba & a very special tribute to Nelson Mandela

1:00 pm - 7:00 pm Vending & Exhibits

Foods, Arts & Crafts, Clothing, Books, more

#### **Brooklyn Children's Museum Summer Events**

145 Brooklyn Avenue, Brooklyn, NY 11213, 718-735-44002

11:30 am - 12:30 pm

#### Playlab Workshop: Going Nuts for Coconuts

Investigate the science of coconuts, and discover the many things you can do with them. Make a yummy refreshing coconut drink to enjoy! Ages 2 ½ - 5 yrs. Admission is free for Museum members and children under 1 year of age. Open every day Tuesday through Sunday: 10:00 am - 5:00 pm, closed Monday.

1:30 pm - 2:30 pm Mimicry, Shmimicry

Learn how animals mimic each other to seem bigger, braver, scarier, and stronger. Pet a harmless snake that looks just like a deadly coral snake, check out a butterfly that looks like an owl, try to spot all the stick bugs on a tree branch, and make a mimic mask so you'll look just like your favorite animal. Ages 4+. Admission is free for Museum members and children under 1 year of age. Open every day Tuesday through Sunday: 10:00 am -5:00 pm. closed Monday.

#### New York Transit Museum

At the corner of Boerum Place and Schermerhorn Street in Brooklyn Heights. Phone (718) 694-1600

Unless otherwise noted, all programs are held at the Transit Museum in Brooklyn Heights, FREE with paid Museum admission! Events are subject to change. Visit www. mta.info/museum or call 718.694.1792 for more info. Tuesday - Friday 10:00 am to 4:00 pm

Saturday and Sunday 11:00 am to 5:00 pm. Closed Mondays and major holidays. Admission Adults \$7. Children 2 - 17 years of age \$5. Senior Citizens (62+) \$5. Seniors Free Wednesdays, Museum members: Free. Children under the age of 17 must

be accompanied by an adult.

1:30 pm

#### **Junior Engineer: Terrific Transit Turbines**

Did you know that the electricity needed to power our subway may one day come from engines in the East River? Let's talk about turbines, those extraordinary engines that draw energy from water, steam and air to make electric power. We'll do a demo and help you make your own! For ages 4+.

#### **Hudson River Park**

Pier 25 12:00 noon - 5:00 pm Big City Fishing

#### **Hudson River Park**

Pier 40 9:00 am

#### **Hudson River Park Wild**

Each nature walk is unique and offers a one-of-a-kind treasure hunt-like experience. Nature walks last approximately one hour. Nature guides will meet participants at the main entrance to Pier 40 at Houston Street at 9AM sharp. Please wear comfortable shoes and dress appropriately for the weather. Participants can expect to walk about  $1\frac{1}{2} - 2$  miles. Loud noises and barking tend to startle wildlife and reduce viewing opportunities - please be considerate and leave your dog at home.

#### City Parks Foundation, Central Park

5th Avenue and 72nd Street entrance to Central Park at Rumsey Playfield 3:00 pm - 7:00 pm

Jamaica's 50th Independence Day: Inner Circle / Israel Vibration / The Mighty Diamonds / DJ Carter Van Pelt

Celebrate Jamaica's 50th anniversary of independence with this day of Jamaican reggae music.

#### City Parks Foundation, East River Park

Montgomery St. To E. 12 St., FDR Drive, Manhattan 7:00 pm - 8:30 pm

The Upright Citizens Brigade Presents the All-Stars of Improv

The Upright Citizens Brigade is home to some of the biggest stars in comedy today.

# **MONDAY, AUGUST 20**

#### City Parks Foundation, Courtney Callendar Playground

5 Ave., W. 130 St. To .W 131 St., Manhattan 10:30 am - 11:30 am

CityParks PuppetMobile: Bessie's Big Shot

Bessie the cow has long dreamed of being in the circus.

#### City Parks Foundation, Willowbrook Park

Richmond Ave., Victory Blvd., Ashworth Ave., and Forest Hill Rd., Staten Island 10:30 am - 11:30 am

Pickney Productions

What initially began as a company of children has since evolved into a versatile intergenerational group of multi-disciplinary artists based in New York City. The Pickney Players present "Irie Island" a vibrant celebration of Caribbean culture.

#### City Parks Foundation, Slattery Playground

E. 183 St. Bet. Valentine Ave. And Ryer, Bronx

#### Mr. Chris' Musical Experience

Mr. Chris' Musical Experience is a high energy and highly interactive one man show of music & educational theatre featuring song, dance, hip hop, stories & team building games. Mr. Chris wishes to create in young people a love, passion and an ongoing excitement for learning.

#### Free Movies in Astoria

Astoria Park Lawn on Shore Boulevard between Hell Gate Bridge and the Astoria Pool 8:30 pm

#### **Thunder Soul**

Enjoy movies thanks to the Central Astoria Local Development Coalition.

### The New York Public Library - Young Adult Programming

Tremont Branch, 1866 Washington Avenue, the Bronx

3:00 pm

#### Make Jewelry with Jennifer Jacobs

Make something with that extra sparkle! Take marbles and wire to make hip and funky bracelets, necklaces, and more. Jennifer's work has been featured at Barney's New York, so you know it's fashion forward. All materials will be provided. Ages 12 to 18.

#### Shakespeare in the Park

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#### Into the Woods

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#### **Bryant Park**

Behind the New York Public Library in midtown Manhattan, between 40th and 42nd Streets & Fifth and Sixth Avenues.

#### **Beginner Italian Language Class**

11:30 am - 12:30 pm | Upper Terrace across from the BP Grill

Registration is required for this event

Piano in the Park: Larry Ham - Jazz Pianist & Composer

12:30 pm - 2:30 pm | Upper Terrace

HBO Bryant Park Summer Film Festival: Raiders of the Lost Ark

#### 5:00pm | The Lawn

Steven Spielberg's non-stop thriller stars Harrison Ford as Indiana Jones, cinema's most resourceful archaeologist, taking on Nazis and other baddies in a race for the Ark of the Covenant. (1981) 115 Min. Panavision (Paramount) The lawn opens at 5:00pm for blankets and picnicking. Films begin at sunset (typically between 8pm and 9pm).

Word for Word Reel Talks

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7:00 pm - 8:00 pm | Bryant Park Reading Room

# **TUESDAY, AUGUST 21**

#### **Hudson River Park**

Pier 45 6:30 pm

#### Stars of Tomorrow

Classical music: Mannes College The New School for Music, Enjoy classical music as students from from Mannes College The New School for Music perform on one of Hudson River Park's most beautiful piers.

#### **Hudson River Park**

Pier 25 6:30 pm

#### Summer of Fitness

Lolë/FITIST LOLË,Hudson River Park & FITIST team up to offer fitness meet-ups, including: yoga, boot camp, core training and boxing. Attendance is limited to 75 people. Participation requires RSVP. For scheduling and to RSVP visit FACEBOOK or E-Mail: facebook.com/loleshow-tiquenyc or RSVPHRP@FITIST.com.

#### **Hudson River Park**

Pier 46

10:00 am - 11:00

#### **River Tots**

This summer Hudson River Park is offering toddlers 2-5 years old an opportunity to learn more about something they might not experience too often in Manhattan—the great outdoors! Hudson River Park's environmental educators offer an outdoor alternative to story hour at the library. Hands-on learning and play activities for toddlers will vary from week to week and will include eco-crafts, music, watery experiments and much more. Take advantage of this great opportunity to teach our youngest visitors about the environment and the world around them.

#### **Hudson River Park**

Pier 25 12:00 noon - 5:00 pm Big City Fishing

#### The New York Public Library - Young Adult Programming

Tompkins Square Branch, 331 East 10th Street, Manhattan 2:00 pm

#### Manga Drawing Workshop with Misako Rocks

Do you have the next manga series lurking in your head? Join Misako Rocks! and learn how to draw your characters, plot your stories, and more. Chibi-riffic! All materials will be provided. For ages 12 to 18.

#### The New York Public Library - Young Adult Programming

Kingsbridge Branch, 291 Wast 231st Street, the Bronx 4:00 pm

#### Manga Drawing Workshop with Ivan Velez

Do you have the next manga series lurking in your head? Join Ivan Velez and learn how to draw your characters, plot your stories, and more. Chibi-riffic! All materials will be provided. For ages 12 to 18.

#### The New York Public Library - Young Adult Programming

Morris Park Branch, 985 Morris Park Avenue, the Bronx 2:00 pm

#### Make Jewelry with Jennifer Jacobs

Make something with that extra sparkle! Take marbles and wire to make hip and funky bracelets, necklaces, and more. Jennifer's work has been featured at Barney's New York, so you know it's fashion forward. All materials will be provided. Ages 12 to 18.

### The New York Public Library - Young Adult Programming

Port Richmond Branch,75 Bennett Street, Staten Island 2:00 pm

#### **World Beat and Percussion**

Discover your own natural rhythm! Drum Diva Dale provides African drums, bongos, congas, shakers and more! Create music while you dance, rap, and perform. For ages 12 to 18.

#### **Bryant Park**

Behind the New York Public Library in midtown Manhattan, between 40th and 42nd Streets & Fifth and Sixth Avenues.

**Bryant Park Tai Chi** 

7:30 am - 8:30 am | Fountain Terrace

**Bryant Park Yoga** 

10:00 am - 11:00 am | Upper Terrace

Meet the Birds

11:30 am - 2:00 pm | Le Carrousel

Get an up-close visit with exotic birds from the Arcadia Bird Sanctuary and Education Center.

Word for Word Book Club: House of Mirth by Edith Wharton, Led by: Suzzy Roche - of The Roaches singing clan and author of Wayward Saints

12:30 pm - 1:45 pm | Bryant Park Reading Room

Don't forget to sign up in the Bryant Park Reading Room for a free copy of your book club selection while supply lasts - compliments of Oxford University Press. Rain Venue(s):\*The General Society of Mechanics and Tradesmen,

20 West 44th Street (between 5th & 6th Avenues)

Piano in the Park: Larry Ham - Jazz Pianist & Composer

12:30 pm - 2:30 pm | Upper Terrace

**Bryant Park Knits** 

1:30pm - 3:00pm | Upper Terrace across from the BP Grill

Free Classes in the Park. Knitty City provides free instruction to beginners. Yarn and needles are provided. Call 212-787-5896 to pre-register, or take a chance and drop by.

Sip & Speak: Language Meet-Ups

5:00 pm - 7:00 pm | Southwest Porch

Ready to practice your new language skills in a different setting? After you attend our weekly language classes, step over to the Porch for monthly after work meet-ups with inlingua instructors, and put your skills to the test, with a cocktail in hand.

**Bryant Park Juggling** 

5:30 pm - 7:30 pm | 40th Street Plaza

Word for Word Poetry features the poets of Red Hen Press

7:00 pm - 8:30 pm | Bryant Park Reading Room

#### City Parks Foundation, East River Park

Montgomery St. To E. 12 St., FDR Drive, Manhattan

7:00 pm - 9:00 pm

José Alberto "El Canario" / 8 y Mas / DJ Polito Vega

Hosted by George Nenadich from La Vieja Escuela de Caliente on Sirius XM. Presented in Association with Globe Star Media and La Mega. The musicians associated with Típica 73 are amongst the finest in the history of New York's Cuban popular music scene.

City Parks Foundation, Van Cortland (Sachkerah)

Westchester County Line, Van Cortlandt Park S. bet. Broadway and Jerome Ave. Bronx 10:30 am - 11:30 am

#### The Red Trouser Show

David Graham and Tobin Renwick, are a high energy acrobatic, juggling and comedy duo.

#### City Parks Foundation, Underwood Park

Lafayette Ave. Bet. Waverly Ave. And Washington Ave., Brooklyn

10:30 am - 11:30 am

Something Positive

Something Positive is a vibrant, inter-generational not-for-profit performing arts organization dedicated to the art and culture of the African Diaspora.

#### City Parks Foundation, Faber Park

Richmond Ter. To Kill Van Kull, Faber St., Staten Island

10:30 am - 11:30 am

CityParks PuppetMobile: Bessie's Big Shot

Bessie the cow has long dreamed of being in the circus.

#### Shakespeare in the Park

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8:00 pm

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# **WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 22**

#### **Hudson River Park**

Pier 63 8:30 pm

RiverFlicks for Grown-Ups

"Horrible Bosses" Rated R

#### Brooklyn Bridge Park History Tours

Fulton Ferry Landing 6:30 pm - 8:00 pm

Into the Mist

Trace the steps where the American struggle for independence nearly ended before it really began. Guide: Vinny Piccolo, Urban Park Ranger. Join some of New York'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, please email rsvp@bbpc.net to reserve your place!

Summerscreen

McCarren Park, Noth 12th Street and Lorimer Street, Brooklyn Dusk

Rain Date

#### Movies in the Park

Pomonok Park, St. Kissena Boulevard and 65th Avenue, Queens Dusk
Winne the Pooh

#### Hudson River Park

At Pier 25 3:00 pm - 6:00 pm CMA Pier PopUp Art Program

FREE! Hudson River Park is thrilled to partner with the Children's Museum of the Arts (CMA) - a welcome addition to the Park neighborhood at their new home in Hudson Square. CMA will be providing free hands-on arts programming in Hudson River Park this summer for ages 1 to 15. Art-making and art appreciation activities will include fine art, media, and early childhood art workshops.

#### City Parks Foundation, East River Park

Montgomery St. To E. 12 St., FDR Drive, Manhattan 7:00 pm - 9:00 pm

### Lyricist Lounge 20 Year Anniversary Featuring: DJ Premier vs. Pete Rock

SummerStage celebrates the 20th anniversary of the acclaimed hip-hop brand, Lyricist Lounge. A respected part of hip-hop music and culture, Lyricist Lounge has hosted hundreds of live showcases featuring the best up and coming talent while acting as a career platform for many of today's superstars. Lyricist Lounge hosts a night featuring two legendary DJs battling it out for turntable supremacy.

#### City Parks Foundation, Faber Park

Richmond Ter. To Kill Van Kull, Faber St., Staten Island

10:30 am - 11:30 am Something Positive

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#### The New York Public Library - Young Adult Programming

Ft. Washington Branch, 535 West 179th Street, Manhattan 3:00 pm

#### Make a Backpack with Susan Hale

Got stuff to haul around? Make your very own fashionable backpack to get your gear from here to there. All materials will be provided. For ages 12 to 18.

#### The New York Public Library - Young Adult Programming

115th Street Branch, 203 West 115th Street Manhattan 3:00 pm

#### Make Jewelry with Jennifer Jacobs

Make something with that extra sparkle! Take marbles and wire to make hip and funky bracelets, necklaces, and more. Jennifer's work has been featured at Barney's New York, so you know it's fashion forward. All materials will be provided. Ages 12 to 18.

#### **Bryant Park**

Behind the New York Public Library in midtown Manhattan, between 40th and 42nd Streets & Fifth and Sixth Avenues.

#### Intermediate Spanish Language Class

11:30 am - 12:30 pm | Upper Terrace across from the BP Grill

Bonjour! Hola! Konnichiwa! Ciao!

Registration is required for this event.

Word for Word Author: Celebrate Bryant Park with master storyteller James Braly

12:30 pm - 1:45 pm | Bryant Park Reading Room

Celebrate with a look back at a newly restored Bryant Park, with master storyteller James Braly. Rain Venue(s): \*The General Society of Mechanics and Tradesmen, 20 West 44th Street (between 5th & 6th Avenues)

Piano in the Park: Larry Ham - Jazz Pianist & Composer

12:30 pm - 2:30 pm | Upper Terrace

**Bryant Park After Work: Everest Cale** 

6:00 pm - 7:00 pm | Fountain Terrace

Perfectly timed for an early evening visit to the park, Bryant Park After Work features free concerts with talented New York area jazz musicians and singer-songwriters.

Word for Word Non-Fiction

7:00 pm - 8:30 pm | Bryant Park Reading Room

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8:00 pm

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### **THURSDAY, AUGUST 23**

#### **Hudson River Park**

Pier 46

5:30 pm - 6:30 pm

#### Summer of Fitness - Shape Up New York

Hudson River Park joins with Lole & Shape Up NYC to bring you free exercise classes twice per week! Attendance is limited to 75 attendees, first come, first served.

#### **Hudson River Park**

At Pier 25

3:00 pm - 6:00 pm

CMA Pier PopUp Art Program

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#### **Brooklyn Children's Museum Summer Events**

145 Brooklyn Avenue, Brooklyn, NY 11213, 718-735-44002

#### 2:30 pm - 3:30 pm

#### **Cool-inary Creations:**

If you can't stand the heat, come into the kitchen! Shake things up with the physics and chemistry of making tasty cool treats to beat the summer heat. Ages 4+. Admission is free for Museum members and children under 1 year of age. Open every day Tuesday through Sunday: 10:00 am - 5:00 pm, closed Monday.

### The New York Public Library - Young Adult Programming

Throggs Neck Branch, 3025 Cross Bronx Expressway, the Bronx 4:00 pm

#### NakhaChitra: create art with your fingernails

Indian art tradition meet New York Style. Meet NakhaChitra master Suhas as he shows you how to create embossed art using just your fingernails and paper. All materials will be provided. For ages 12 to 18.

#### The New York Public Library - Young Adult Programming

Allerton Branch, 2740 Barnes Avenue, The Bronx 4:00 pm

#### Paint on Silk

Gorgeous! Make a beautiful little piece to decorate your space. Learn painting techniques from noted artist, PJ Cobbs. All material will be provided. For ages 12 to 18.

#### The New York Public Library - Young Adult Programming

Belmont Branch, 610 East 186th Street, the Bronx 4:00 pm

#### **Action Racket Theatre Lab Solo with Lois**

Theater...just add you. Join veteran performer Lois as she guide you through the motions, gestures, and emotions of theater. Get your imagination flowing. For ages 12 to 18.

#### The New York Public Library - Young Adult Programming

Mosholu Branch, 285 East 205th Street, the Bronx

4:00 pm

#### Make African Head Wraps With The House of Tafari Collection

Do your hair up right! Internationally acclaimed for her style, Imani will show you to use gorgeous fabrics and African styles to highlight your hair. All materials will be provided. For ages 12 to 18.

#### Brooklyn Bridge Park

Pier 1 Harbor View Lawn
Music at 6:00pm, movies at sunset
Syfy Movies With A View

Movie: Unforgiven [R]

Short: The Hunter by Marieka Walsh

DJ: Geko Jones (of Que Bajo)

Join us for the 13th season of our movie series on Thursdays this summer! DJs from Brooklyn Radio kick off the evening, shorts curated by BAMcinématek follow, and bike valet provided by Transportation Alternatives will be available all evening. To maintain our lucious and green lawns, chairs are not permitted on the park lawns.

#### City Parks Foundation, East River Park

Montgomery St. To E. 12 St., FDR Drive, Manhattan 7:00 pm - 9:00 pm
Two Boots 25th Anniversary Concert

Bryant Park

Behind the New York Public Library in midtown Manhattan, between 40th and 42nd Streets & Fifth and Sixth Avenues.

**Bryant Park Tai Chi** 

7:30 am - 8:30 am | Fountain Terrace

Piano in the Park: Larry Ham - Jazz Pianist & Composer

12:30 pm - 2:30 pm | Upper Terrace

**Bryant Park Yoga** 

6:00 pm - 7:00 pm | Lawn

Word for Word Writers Teens: Flash Fiction writing for teens and 'tweens with Rebecca

Wallace-Segall of Writopia Lab

6:30 pm | Bryant Park Reading Room

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### FRIDAY, AUGUST 24

#### 2012 Good Morning America Summer Concert Series

Summerstage Rumsey Playfield via the 72nd Street entrance on Fifth Avenue Arrive at 6:00 am; performances are held from 7:00 am - 9:00 am

#### The Wanted

"Good Morning America" announced its sizzling 2012 Summer Concert Series lineup with an exciting mix of pop, rock, country, nostalgia acts and the biggest names in music around. From the hit rock band No Doubt, to multi-platinum singer Demi Lovato, to pop sensations The Wanted, to country superstar Brad Paisley, all-time favorites such as Counting Crows and The Beach Boys, there is something for everyone. Plus, the alternative rock band Neon Trees and the hip-hop band LMFAO with their hit song, "Party Rock Anthem," are sure to get everybody "shufflin" this summer.

#### Harlem Week - August Events

Adam Clayton Powell, Jr. State Office Bldg. Plaza, 125th Street & A. C. Powell, Jr. Blvd. 5:00 pm

Harlem Summer Stage

#### **Hudson River Park**

Pier 45

7:00 pm

#### Sunset on the Hudson - Max Gallico and Sinclair Jennings

Join us every Friday as we celebrate the sunset with some of New York City's favorite musicians from this spectacular grass covered pier that stretches 900 feet into the majestic

#### **Hudson River Park**

Pier 46

8:30 pm

RiverFlicks for Kids

"The Smurfs" Rated PG Presented by AT&T

#### Starlight Concert

South Beach Boardwalk, Father Capodanno Blvd. & Sand Lane, Staten Island 7:30 pm - 9:30 pm

9:30 Fireworks

**End of the Summer Doo Wop Concert & Fireworks** 

Raindate: August 25

#### **Brvant Park**

Behind the New York Public Library in midtown Manhattan, between 40th and 42nd Streets & Fifth and Sixth Avenues.

Piano in the Park: Larry Ham - Jazz Pianist & Composer

12:30 pm - 2:30 pm | Upper Terrace

**Bryant Park Juggling** 

1:00 pm - 3:00 pm | Lawn

#### The New York Public Library - Young Adult Programming

Muhlenberg Branch, 209 West 23rd Street, Mnahattan

4:00 pm

Go green: found art jewelry with Pam

Recycle old favorites into new pieces! Create a bracelet, necklace, or other accessories out of everyday objects. Break it down to bring your fashion to the next level! All material will be provided. For ages 12 to 18.

#### The New York Public Library - Young Adult Programming

Baychester Branch, 2049 Asch Loop North, the Bronx

3:30 pm

#### Manga Drawing Workshop with Misako Rocks

Do you have the next manga series lurking in your head? Join Misako Rocks! and learn how to draw your characters, plot your stories, and more. Chibi-riffic! All materials will be provided. For ages 12 to 18.

#### The New York Public Library - Young Adult Programming

Jerome Park Branch, 118 Eames Place, the Bronx

2:00 pm

#### World Beat and Percussion

Discover your own natural rhythm! Drum Diva Dale provides African drums, bongos, congas, shakers and more! Create music while you dance, rap, and perform. For ages 12 to 18.

#### The New York Public Library - Young Adult Programming

High Bridge Branch, 78 West 168th Street, the Bronx

3:00 pm

#### Irish Folk Dancing

Get into the spirit of the Céilidh with traditional Irish music and dance. Learn the steps and show off your skills.

#### The New York Public Library - Young Adult Programming

Melrose Branch, 910 Morris Avenue, the Bronx



#### 3:00 pm

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#### The New York Public Library - Young Adult Programming

Morrisania Branch, 610 East 169th Street, the Bronx

3:00 pm

#### NakhaChitra: create art with your fingernails

Indian art tradition meet New York Style. Meet NakhaChitra master Suhas as he shows you how to create embossed art using just your fingernails and paper. All materials will be provided. For ages 12 to 18.

#### Movies in the Park

Maria Hernandez Park, Knickerbocker Avenue ans Strarr Street, Brooklyn

Dusk

**Puss in Boots** 

#### NBC's Annual Today Show Concert Series at Rockefeller Plaza

49th Street between 5th & 6th Avenues, Manhattan

7:00 am

Train

Taking place in the outdoors at the PLAZA. Be sure to be there extra early due to the crowds that will form. Have fun!

#### Charlie Parker Jazz Festival, Marcus Garvey Park

Madison Ave, E. 120 St. To E. 124 St., Manhattan

7:00 pm - 9:00 pm

**Bird with Strings** 

Miguel Atwood-Ferguson and Special Guests produced by Revive Music

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# SATURDAY, AUGUST 25

#### River to River Festival RIVER 2012

World Financial Plaza Winter Garden, Manhattan

7:00 pm - 9:00 pm

Ecstatic™ Summer: Escort//Darcy james Argue's Secret Society

The Grammy-nominated 18-piece steampunk big band, Darcy James Argue's Secret Society, joins forces with Escort, creators of "the best disco album of 2011" (SPIN), for a night of groove-based music in a variety of shapes and sizes. Argue, one of the most acclaimed young jazz composers active today off the strength of his debut album, Infernal Machines and his recent evening-length followup at BAM's Next Wave Festival, Brooklyn Babylon, will create new arrangements for the combined ensembles, while both groups will draw off each others' members to augment their own bands, filling the stage with some of the most talented instrumentalists working in New York today.

#### Harlem Week - August Events

135th Street & St. Nicholas Avenue

Registration 6:00 am; Run: 8:30 am Walk: 9:30 am

Percy Sutton Harlem 5K Run & A Family Health, Walk-A-Thon For Peace In Our Communities

A Run/Walk Pass through Historic Harlem

#### Harlem Week - August Events

The Great Lawn of St. Nicholas Park, W. 135th Street & St. Nicholas Avenue 7:00 pm - 10:00 pm

Harlem Week Outdoor Film Festival - In Concert With ImageNation

Featured Film: "Amandla!: A Revolution in Four-Part Harmony" Featuring Miriam Makeba, Hugh Masekela, Abdullah Ibrahim, Vusi Mahlasela and others.

#### Storytelling at the Hans Christian Andersen statue

near 72nd Street & Fifth Avenue in Central Park, New York 11:00 am - 2:00 pm

Small and Best told by Ron Sopyla - origin Puerto Rico

Children are asked to sit with parents or guardians. Rain or shine. free.

#### **Brooklyn Children's Museum Summer Events**

145 Brooklyn Avenue, Brooklyn, NY 11213, 718-735-44002 All Dav

#### Taste of Brooklyn

Come cook with us for our annual Taste of Brooklyn celebration! While we slice and dice our favorite snacks, we will learn about the origins of our culinary creations. Get ready for some yummies in your tummies! All Ages. Admission is free for Museum members and children under 1 year of age. Open every day Tuesday through Sunday: 10:00 am - 5:00 pm, closed Monday.

11:30am - 12:30 pm

#### Taste of Brooklyn: Ice Cream Fun

Cool off this summer by exploring the culture behind ice cream. Sample delicious ice cream flavors and create an ice cream collage to take home. Ages 5 and under. Admission is free for Museum members and children under 1 year of age. Open every day Tuesday through Sunday: 10:00 am - 5:00 pm, closed Monday.

#### Governor's Island

See website for ferry information: http://www.govisland.com 12:00 noon

#### **RECESS Outdoor Bocce**

A day of outdoor bocce team challenge featuring top creative organizations in NYC, as well as a few open courts for public play on Colonels Row. Don't miss free Linus Bikes test rides and evian will be there to keep you hydrated all day! Bring your blankets out and come get your fill of all the fun at RECESS 2012. Special guest deejays. For more information visit www.recessnewyork.com

Bayswater Park, Beach Channel Drive and B. 32nd Street, Queens Dusk Happy Feet 2

#### **NYC Street Fairs**

Lexington Avenue from 42nd to 57th Streets 10:00 am - 6:00 pm Lexington Avenue Fair

#### **Bryant Park**

Behind the New York Public Library in midtown Manhattan, between 40th and 42nd Streets & Fifth and Sixth Avenues.

**Bryant Park Moves with Limon Dance** 

10:00 am - 11:00 am | Lawn

#### New York Transit Museum

At the corner of Boerum Place and Schermerhorn Street in Brooklyn Heights.

Phone (718) 694-1600

Unless otherwise noted, all programs are held at the Transit Museum in Brooklyn Heights. FREE with paid Museum admission! Events are subject to change. Visit www.mta.info/museum or call 718.694.1792 for more info. Tuesday - Friday 10:00 am to 4:00 pm Saturday and Sunday 11:00 am to 5:00 pm. Closed Mondays and major holidays. Admission Adults \$7, Children 2 - 17 years of age \$5, Senior Citizens (62+) \$5, Seniors Free Wednesdays, Museum members: Free. Children under the age of 17 must be accompanied by an adult.

1:30 pm

#### Inside-Outside

After reading The Inside-Outside Book of New York City, we'll create colorful "inside-outside" picture books to express our visions of subway travel. For ages 5+.

#### **Hudson River Park**

Pier 84

2:00 pm - 9:00 pm

Blues BBO

FREE! Back for the 13th year, Hudson River Park's annual Blues BBQ Festival brings the best Blues bands from across the country together with the finest New York City BBQ restaurants for a fantastic summer day on the river. This feast for your senses brings you the sights, sounds, smells and tastes of a true southern BBQ experience! Featuring: The Bo-Keys; Glen David Andrews; Joanne Shaw Taylor; Curtis Salgado and Demetria Taylor.

#### City Parks Foundation, East River Park

Montgomery St. To E. 12 St., FDR Drive, Manhattan 8:00 pm - 10:00 pm

Jason and the Argonauts

By: Apollonius Rhodius / New translation By: Aaron Poochigian

Performed By: Faux-Real Theatre Company. The Faux-Real Theatre Company embodies an aesthetic in which the extraordinary and the quotidian meld into dynamic stage life. Faux-Real delivers classical and contemporary texts, in boundary-busting productions that are engaging, accessible and just plain fun. Watch the company as they premiere their latest work, The Argonautica for the first time.

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**Experiment in Truth** 

Roy Haynes/Rene Marie/Derrick Hodge/Ermina

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#### NYC Street Fairs

6th Avenue from 42nd to 57th Streets 10:00 am - 6:00 pm Sixth Avenue Summer Fair

#### A Clearing in the Forest - Central Park

The Peter Jay Sharp Children's Glade is located inside the Park at West 106th Street. 12:00 noon - 1:00 pm

#### Wildlife

Discover fantastic cold-blooded, scaly animals called reptiles and meet live animals from the Theodore Roosevelt Sanctuaryand Audubon Center.\* Free. All ages welcome. Eco-education and multicultural family fun in The Peter Jay Sharp Children's Glade No advance registration.\*In the case of inclement weather, these select programs will be moved to a rain venue; all other programs will be canceled. For more details, day-of weather-related changes, and accessibility information, please visitcentralparknyc.org/ clearing or call 212-860-1370.

## **Hudson River Park**

Pier 25 12:00 noon - 5:00 pm **Big City Fishing** 

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