

# Your perfect weekend

## Friday, June 26

We've been searching for another excuse to grab the free ferry to Governors Island (*Battery Maritime Building, 10 South St at Broad St; visit govisland.com for a schedule*). Start by touring the island on wheels, courtesy of Bike and Roll's "Free Bike Fridays" (212-260-0400, [bikeandroll.com](http://bikeandroll.com); 10am–5pm). Plus, Creative Time's island exhibition, "This World & Nearer Ones" (Sat 27–September; Fri 11am–4pm; Sat, Sun noon–6pm; free), opens on Saturday (see also Art, page 46). Works by 19 artists are woven throughout the green space and its historic buildings: Check out Edgar Arceneaux's *Sound Cannon Double Projection* on Colonels' Row.

If you'd rather stay on Manhattan, the island you know best, head to Sasha Soreff's dance-theater production *The Other Shoe* at **Ailey Citigroup Theater** (405 W 55th St at Ninth Ave; 212-501-2425; Fri 7:30pm; Sat, Sun 8pm; Mon 7pm; \$14–\$25). Stilettos, Doc Martens, ballet slippers and sneakers are suspended above 16 dancers, each of whom has misplaced a shoe and struggles to reconcile their loss.



## Saturday, June 27



The Goonies

Toss on your favorite pink sack dress, paint your face like a Gremlin, DIY a proton pack or don a GOONIES NEVER SAY DIE T-shirt for the '80s Movie Character Dress-Up event at the Lomography Gallery Store (41 W 8th St between Fifth and Sixth Aves; 212-529-4343, [lomography.com](http://lomography.com); 1–3pm, free). Load a gratis roll of film into your Lomo LC-A camera (born in 1984) and get to work: Participants will be sent out to re-create memorable scenes from beloved period flicks, with New York City as the backdrop. You have the opportunity to submit your photos to the gallery's display, so hit 'em with your best shot.

Or save your energy for **BAMcinématek All Night** (BAM Rose Cinemas, 30 Lafayette Ave between Ashland Pl and St. Felix St, Fort Greene, Brooklyn, 718-636-4100; 11:15pm–5:15am, \$15). Four themed movie marathons include "Before They Were Scientologists," featuring Tom Cruise in *Top Gun* (11:15pm), and a stoned James Franco in *Pineapple Express* (1am) during "All Night Bong." If you feel yourself losing the REM battle, haul ass to the BAMcafé's dance party and bust a move till you catch your fifth wind.

## Sunday, June 28



Thanks to Joss Whedon's cult show *Firefly*, we're obsessed with rogue space cowboys. Tonight, the Browncoats of NYC host **Can't Stop the Serenity** (St. Mark's Church, 131 E 10th St at Second Ave, [browncoatsnyc.org](http://browncoatsnyc.org); 3–8pm, \$35–\$75), with all proceeds going toward Equality Now. There's a themed dinner, a group dance in homage to *Firefly*'s "Shindig" episode and naturally, a screening of *Serenity*, the series's follow-up film. Plus, check out the autographed auction items—it's perfectly acceptable to curse in Mandarin if you're outbid.

Chug \$3 Miller High Lifes at Ace Bar's **Brewskee Ball's Championship Sunday** (531 E 5th St between Aves A and B; 212-979-8476; 5–11pm, free) and find out whether Flock of Skeegulls, the reigning champs, will triumph yet again. After a dozen \$3 Kamakaz-skee shots, will you even care? Let the good times roll. Literally. —Sharon Steel



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## Best of the fests

**STREET FAIRS!**  
For more street fairs and parades, go to [timeoutnewyork.com/streetfairs](http://timeoutnewyork.com/streetfairs).

### Saturday 27, Sunday 28 NYC Zine Fest '09

As proof that print media is alive and kicking, the Brooklyn Lyceum is hosting its first annual NYC Zine Fest, celebrating publishing's true underdogs. The two-day event brings together more than 70 zines, including the *East Village Inky* and *Printed Matter*. Sip Sixpoint craft ales (\$3) and nibble on gourmet meat pies from DUB (\$5) during the screening of *\$100 & a T-Shirt*, a documentary about zines in the Northwest. Attend a fund-raising raffle on Sunday (raffle tickets \$5–\$10), at which you could win a *Giant Robot* magazine subscription. Bonus: BYO T-shirt and artist Nate Duval will screen-print the image he



created for the Fest on it. Take that, Kindle! **FREE Brooklyn Lyceum**, 227 Fourth Ave at President St, Park Slope, Brooklyn (718-857-4816, [nyczinefest.org](http://nyczinefest.org)). 2–7pm.

### Saturday 27, Sunday 28 The Edible Local Garden: A Local Food Festival

Green thumbs unite! The New York Botanical Garden opens "The Edible Garden," a summerlong exhibition focusing on edible plants, with the help of famed foodies (see also Eat Out). On **Saturday 27**, Blue Hill at Stone Barns executive chef Dan Barber discusses the local-food movement (2pm), and Martha Stewart will show off the herb garden she

redesigned (3pm). Throughout the weekend, shuttle buses will even take you to a nearby community garden—a prime example of **urban farming**. Stop at the farmers' market (Saturday 9am–6pm) across the street from the NYBG's Moshulu Gate to buy some locally grown **strawberries** before putting what you've learned into practice. *New York Botanical Garden*, 200th St at Kazimiroff Blvd, Bronx (718-817-8700). 10am–6pm, \$20. —Cristina Velocci

