

Time Out Market New York Reopens Outdoor Dining and Takeout

With 10,150 square feet of outdoor space, guests can dine, drink and enjoy a Tastecation with Manhattan skyline views from Brooklyn's waterfront

NEW YORK (August 6th, 2020) – Today, <u>Time Out Market New York</u> is pleased to welcome back guests to enjoy incredible cuisine, cocktails and cultural experiences on the Market's outdoor terraces overlooking Manhattan. With a beautiful **fifth floor rooftop** and increased **riverside dining of nearly 250 seats**, guests can soak in the summer weather with sweeping views of Manhattan's skyline on Dumbo's waterfront. A new Time Out Market app is also available for contactless ordering for guests who wish to eat in or take out. For those who prefer take-out to share a picnic with friends, the Brooklyn Bridge Park with its **85-acre waterfront park** is only steps from the Market.

"Time Out Market New York has 10,150 square feet of outdoor space. This includes our fifth floor rooftop terrace and increased riverside seating of nearly 250. Our guests can properly distance themselves when they socialize and enjoy the summer weather without losing the fun atmosphere that makes the Time Out Market experience so special," says Time Out Market CEO Didier Souillat. "Our team — alongside Empire Stores and renowned chefs and restaurateurs — is excited to welcome back our guests to taste incredible dishes and beverages from local favorites and embrace New York's unique and iconic culture. Time Out Market offers guests a true Time Out Tastecation, the ultimate staycation destination where guests can send their taste buds on a culinary voyage."

After pausing operations in March to help contain the spread of COVID-19, Time Out Market New York continues to prioritize the health and safety of guests, employees, eateries and their teams. In addition to following New York State and local government regulations and protocols, Time Out Market implemented new systems and safety precautions to ensure guests an enjoyable dining experience featuring:

- Ample outdoor space: Time Out Market New York outdoor space spans across 10,150 square feet including a fifth floor rooftop and nearly 250 seats along the riverside, giving guests ample space to physically distance. The Market is also surrounded by an 85-acre waterfront park for picnics, Brooklyn Bridge Park.
- **Air circulation and filtration systems:** The Market's advanced technology air circulation and filtration systems enhance fresh air supply and clean airflow.
- Health and safety communication vestibules: Specially created signage at the entrance
 offers information and sanitizing stations for customers to have a safe and enjoyable
 experience sanitizing stations will be available throughout the Market.
- Plexiglass partitions: Plexiglass shields at all counters and bars act as a barrier.
- Contactless ordering: Available on Apple and Android smartphones, the new Time Out
 Market app allows guests to order and pay without contact. Guests can search 'Time Out
 Market' via the App Store or Google Play to download the app for free. Through the app,
 guests can track their order progress through email, text and push notifications. There is
 also the capability to order via mobile web through timeout.com/nymenu.
- Delivery: For the first time, menu items from participating eateries are available for delivery through DoorDash, the nation's leading last-mile logistics platform. Search "Time Out Market" to see which restaurants are available for on-demand delivery by downloading the DoorDash app or visiting doordash.com.

- Extra cleaning crew: A crew identifiable with their yellow shirts will continually sanitize all surfaces.
- Personal Protective Equipment (PPE): All staff will use PPE equipment.
- New operating hours: New hours of operation can be found on the Time Out New York website.

Time Out Market New York is delighted to welcome back numerous standouts from its stellar lineup of top New York chefs and restaurateurs who are part of the fabric of their local communities. To comply with physical distancing rules, the Market is staggering its kitchen re-openings in waves, allowing guests sufficient room for ordering. The first wave includes seven eateries and two full service bars. The renowned chefs and concepts returning on reopening day include:

- **Ivy Stark,** one of the city's top chefs with 20-plus years of cooking experience, serves a menu packed with her interpretations of modern Mexican at her **Mexology** concept.
- Pat LaFrieda Meat Purveyors has gained the reputation of New York's premium butcher and
 offers prime cuts and quality meats in a mix of tasty signature sandwiches, juicy sliders, and
 other favorites.
- Bessou, one of Noho's most popular restaurants, owner Maiko Kyogoku and Executive Chef Emily Yuen bring a casual spin on their dishes inspired by Japanese family recipes.
- **Jacob's Pickles,** Southern-style comfort food is executed flawlessly with a menu of abundant and flavorsome artisanal back-to-basic dishes.
- FELICE Pasta Bar is a neighborhood staple with its fresh pasta full of the authentic flavors of Tuscany.
- **Fish Cheeks,** critically-acclaimed and a widely-beloved restaurant, presents a modern approach to traditional Thai seafood, packed with authentic flavors.
- **Ice & Vice** pushes the boundaries of what frozen treats can be and serves its edgy and ultra-premium, ice creams, sorbets and frozen yogurts every weekend.

The two bars, located on the first and fifth floor rooftop, complement the unique culinary offerings of the Market and showcase a new beverage program for the summer. Guests can enjoy a variety of seasonal craft cocktails made with local spirits and a carefully curated selection of local craft beers and wines. A welcome back Happy Hour also runs every day from 4 - 7PM on the rooftop, enabling guests to opt between a selection of \$8 cocktails, \$7 wine and \$5 beers. To comply with new regulations, guests will need to present their food receipt to the bartender when ordering alcoholic beverages.

Time Out Market New York is proud to work alongside all Market eateries and their teams and look forward to welcoming back more signature chefs and restaurateurs in the coming months. As the community works hard to safely resume operations, Time Out Market New York and Time Out New York continue to support independent local restaurants and businesses through initiatives such as Time Out's Love Local Campaign.

Notes to editors

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About Time Out Market

<u>Time Out Market</u> brings the best of the city under one roof: its best chefs, drinks and cultural experiences. The world's first food and cultural Market based wholly on editorial curation, Time Out Market captures decades of local knowledge, independent reviews and expert opinions. Everything that is being offered in Time Out Market must have been tested and tasted and finally selected by independent Time Out journalists.

The first Time Out Market opened in 2014 in a historic Market hall in Lisbon and quickly turned into a huge success with 4.1 million visitors in 2019. This unique format, which is all about making high-quality fine food affordable and accessible, is now coming to other great cities around the world as the company is rolling out Time Out Market globally. Time Out Market Miami opened in May 2019, followed in the same month by Time Out Market New York, in June 2019 by Time Out Market Boston and in November 2019 by Time Out Market Montréal and Time Out Market Chicago. Also in the pipeline are Dubai, Porto, London-Waterloo and Prague (the sites in Montréal, Dubai and Prague are the Group's first management agreements) — all featuring the cities' best and most celebrated chefs, restaurateurs, drinks and cultural experiences.

Time Out Market is part of <u>Time Out Group plc</u>, a global media and leisure business that inspires and enables people to explore and enjoy the best of the city. Time Out launched in London in 1968 with a magazine to help people discover the exciting new urban cultures that had started up all over the city. Today, the Group's digital and physical presence comprises websites, magazines, Live Events and Time Out Markets. Across these platforms Time Out distributes its curated content – written by professional journalists – around the best food, drink, music, theater, art, travel and entertainment across 328 cities and in 58 countries. Time Out, listed on AIM, is headquartered in the United Kingdom.

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