# 36 Hours on the Brooklyn Water Front

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No matter who you are everyone likes to eat, so come along to Downtown Brooklyn and have a Scavenger Hunt of Food by the Brooklyn Water Front.



Brooklyn Water Front. Jasmine Lee

Many people know about the Downtown Brooklyn, DUMBO. Yet, not many know about the Brooklyn Water Front. DUMBO can be another name for it, but the waterfront can be a long going from Williamsburg to Dumbo and down to Coney Island. It is beautiful down here by the water. Many New Yorkers and Tourists come here for the beautiful skyline here. Here, you can have a scavenger hunt of food with families and friends. There are many delicious foods and places that many people could come here to find and enjoy. Brooklyn Water Front is the best place to enjoy a exciting and relaxing day.



New York Aquarium. Google

# Friday

#### 1. **UNDER THE SEA**, 11 A.M.

Begin the morning with a visit to the New York Aquarium. Early morning to the aquarium and enjoy the sea creatures swimming around underwater. Get your tickets at the gate for \$11.95, but it's less price if you get it ahead of time online for \$10.75; it is open year-round. Entering the aquarium, you see many different types of sea animals at different exhibits. Each exhibits shows many different sea animals you probably never seen. "The different species of fish and the colors, shapes, and sizes will leave you breathless." Head over to the Aqua theater and have a fun interactive show with the sea lions. Due to hurricane Sandy, the Shark exhibit has been damaged and now under construction. (http://www.nyaquarium.com/)

#### 2. **LET'S GRAB A LUNCH**, 1 P.M.

At Long Beach Road, go for a lunch break with a delicious meal of hotdog and fries. Everyone knows the Nathan's famous brand hotdog. Every Fourth of July, Nathan's host a hotdog contest. Come pay a visit on the Fourth of July and gather with thousands of other people to witness the competition. Join in the fun atmosphere "to catch a glimpse of these hot dog eating legends and the celebration that is as uniquely American as it is Nathan's." (http://www.nathansfamous.com/)



Coney Island Beach & Boardwalk. Google

#### 3. **GO FOR A SWIM**, 2 P.M.

Great place to relax! Go for a walk or a swim. Coney Island Beach & Boardwalk is the place to have fun. It is possible spending hours here from the entertainments. At the

beach go for a good swim or play some beach volleyball. You also keep a look out for the year-round Coney Island events. "A major highlight is the AVP professional volleyball tournaments in the summer." If not, talk a walk on the boardwalk and enjoy the beautiful view. It can be a perfect place for some photo shoots. Best time to come between July and September, which is also the most crowded time period in summer. Beach opens from 10 A.M. to 6 P.M. and Boardwalk is from 5 A.M. to 1 A.M. (http://www.nycgovparks.org/parks/coney-island-beach-and-boardwalk/)

#### 4. **READY FOR SOME EXCITMENTS**, 4 P.M.

Like amusement ride? This is the place, Luna Park. Luna Park is an amusement park with many different rides. Let's have an exciting afternoon going on some extreme thrill rides. Some extreme rides that many people like to try is the Coney Island Cyclone and the Thunderbolt. Park Hours are vary depending on the day and the weather. It is a perfect place to have fun with families and friends. To go on rides and play games, purchase a Luna Card Deal or a Wristband Deals. Luna Card Deals and Wristband Deals are different. Purchasing a Luna Card is going by credits and purchasing a wristband is by hours. (http://www.lunaparknyc.com/)



Brooklyn Roasting Company. http://www.brooklynroasting.com/

## Saturday

### 5. **MORNING CALL**, 10 A.M.

Begin the day with a morning call like coffee. Have a good coffee to wake you up to enjoy the rest of the day. At the Brooklyn Roasting Company, you can sit down and enjoy a good breakfast. When you walk in, the smell of the caffeine can make you feel refreshing. They make their coffee from coffee beans that are shipped from many different locations. The coffee beans can be brought at the company. Purchase some good coffee beans and make share it with friends or family that like coffee.

#### 6. **HISTORICAL FACTS**, NOON

Brooklyn Historical Society is a museum about the history of Brooklyn. It is "the study of Brooklyn's extraordinary 400 years history." Museum is opened on Wednesday to Sunday from 12 P.M. to 5 P.M. "Brooklyn Historical Society connects the past to the present and makes the vibrant history of Brooklyn tangible, relevant, and meaningful for today's diverse communities, and for generations to come." Admissions for adults are \$10, seniors 62 and over and teachers are \$6, and for students with I.D. are for free. Come down here to Downtown Brooklyn and learn about the history of Brooklyn. (http://brooklynhistory.org/)

#### 7. **ONE OF THE BEST**, 5 P.M.

Visiting New York, one thing you must try; NEW YORK STYLE PIZZA. New York Style Pizza can be one of the top pizza you have ever tried. After your first slice, you will want to go on with another. Juliana's pizza is located on Old Fulton Street. The have two menu of "Dine In Menu" or "Take Out Menu". If you dine in, it might take a while, but when you get your pizza, everything is worth it. (http://www.julianaspizza.com/index.php)



Brooklyn Ice Cream Factory. Google

#### 8. **SWEETS TIME**, 9 P.M.

End the day with some sweets. Brooklyn Ice Cream Factory located at Fulton Landing Pier, Water Street. It is opened daily from 12 P.M. to 10 P.M. It is a perfect place for a dessert after a meal. Their ice cream are made in small batches and only eight flavors offered. Many not have many offers but all are delicious. It is price ranged from \$3.50 - \$8. The Ice Cream Factory use to be a fireboat house and it sits perfectly from the impressive view of the Manhattan Skyline.

## Sunday

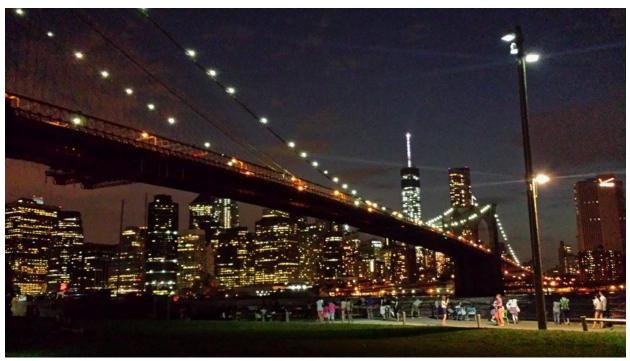
### 9. **FOOD LOVER**, NOON

Are you a food lover? You like trying new things? Smorgasburg is place to go by Pier 5, the Brooklyn Bridge Park. It is a food festival with 100 vendors coming together. The food festival may be a little price, but it has many delicious foods. Going to these

festivals, you must be quick before there is nothing left for you to eat. This event is located in multiple areas at different times. It has other locations by the Waterfront of Williamsburg, Pier 5, Sunset Park, and more locations on different days. Smorgasburg is a seasonal outdoor event every Sunday from April to September. When the weather gets cold, there is also an indoor Smorgasburg event located at Industry City.

#### 10. **MEMORIES OF CHILDHOOD**, 3 P.M.

This is a place to get the happy and fun memories of childhood. Many people have ride a carousel when they were young and when they are grown up there is less chance to ride on it. Jane's Carousel can be the place for you to get the memories back. It is a place full of happiness. There are kids, families, and couples coming here to ride the carousel. It is by the Brooklyn Bridge Park. Their hours are seasonal of Winter and Summer. In the Winter from September – May it is open on Thursday – Sunday from 11 A.M. – 6 P.M. Summer Hours are from May – September, open 6 days from 11 A.M. – 7 P.M, closed Tuesday. The tickets are not expensive, \$2 per person.



Brooklyn Bridge Park. Jasmine Lee

#### 11. **ROMANTIC WORLD**, 8 P.M.

Brooklyn Bridge Park can be known as the Romantic World in Brooklyn. Many families, friends, and couples come here to enjoy their day. You can prepare you own meal and come have a picnic here. It has a beautiful view of the Manhattan Skyline and the two bridges; Brooklyn and Manhattan Bridge one on each side. Because of the beautiful view many couples come here for wedding pictures. It is really nice and sweet to take wedding pictures here with such a pretty view. If you wait until the night - time when the sky is dark and the building and bridge lights turn on. The view at the Brooklyn Bridge Park is just amazing.

## **LODGING**

Sheraton Brooklyn New York Hotel (228 Duffield St, 718-855-1900, http://www.sheratonbrooklyn.com/) is a 3 star hotel, located in Downtown Brooklyn. It is a 2 minutes walk from the Hoyt Street Subway Station. Choose you stay from one of the 321 guess rooms or 21 suites. Enjoy a day at the fitness center or indoor heated pool. Rooms start at \$104.

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