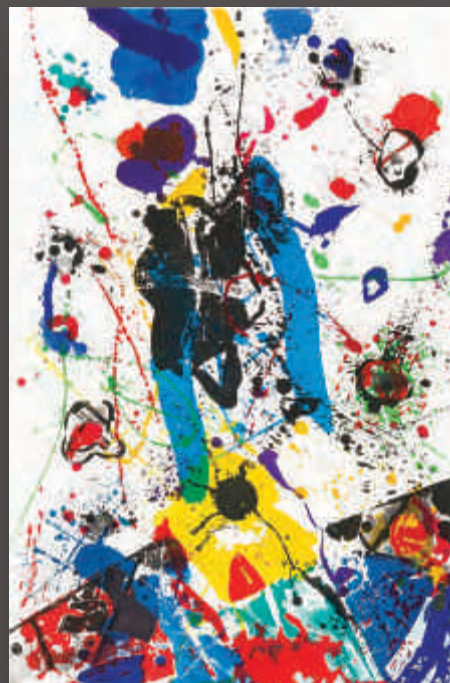




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EDITOR'S NOTE

March 2019

San Francisco is a place that is not afraid of mixing, fusing and experimenting with the elements. From food to fashion, the luminaries of this city are dedicated to finding new combinations that inspire. This month we are excited to share some of the insights from trailblazers in our fair city who are reinventing, redesigning and reimagining art, fashion and design. One of my personal favorites is Colleen Quen, a charming and humble couture designer who is using her influence to ignite creativity in others with her workshops throughout San Francisco. You can find her at www.quenlife.com.

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ASK THE EXPERT

Hailey Ashcraft

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"San Francisco fashion is about harnessing urban individualism."



Q: How would you describe San Francisco fashion?

A: San Francisco fashion harnesses urban individualism. There is a unique creativity to our city but if I had to pin down a look, I would say it's business casual with upgraded classics including hoodies and jeans.

Q: What are your top picks for unique shopping experiences?

A: My favorite shopping experiences are book stores, boutiques, art supplies and sweets. I like to spend an afternoon on Valencia exploring all of my favorite shops like Paxton Gate curiosity shop, 826 Valencia Pirate supply and Dandelion Chocolate Factory.

Q: Who are your favorite San Francisco designers?

A: American Giant is my favorite for San Francisco. This is a brand focused on redesigning classics. They have a perfectly designed hoodie that is comfortable but not sloppy and baggy. I cherish my black American Giant sweatshirt. It just feels cool.

Q: What is one fashion item that should be bought in San Francisco?

A: If you want to pick something up that is true San Francisco fashion, I recommend purchasing the hoodie from American Giant and jeans from the Levi's store. You can have your jeans tailored while you wait.

Q: Do you have any shopping secrets to share?

A: I have a couple of great secrets for shopping around Union Square. A hotel concierge usually has discounts cards, personal shoppers are wonderful at helping you find that perfect item and the concierge at department stores can assist with things like holding your shopping bags and bringing them to your car or taxi.

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See

Muse, the England-based alternative rock band, at the Oracle Arena in Oakland.

2

Enjoy

the festive antics at the St. Patrick's Day parade along Market Street all the way to City Hall.

3

Celebrate

Mardi Gras, San Francisco Style, with a free blues concert at Fillmore & O'Farrell Streets.

4

Eat

creative corn dogs at the Great San Francisco Corn Dog Festival.

5

Drink

whiskies from different countries and enjoy food and cigar pairings plus seminars at Whiskies of the World.



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CALENDAR

March at a Glance

March 1-2

Close Encounters of the Third Kind

Experience suspense and nostalgia for one of Steven Spielberg's most popular science fiction films. Watch the 1977 film while the San Francisco Symphony, conducted by Joshua Gersen, plays the movie's score live. The original score, composed by John Williams, won Best Original Film Score and Best Instrumental Composition at the Grammys, and the film was nominated for eight Oscars and has been preserved in the National Film Registry for its significance. The movie is rated PG so this is an event the whole family can enjoy. 201 Van Ness Ave., 415.864.6000, sfsymphony.org

March 2-3

San Francisco History Days



Discover the history of San Francisco inside the Old Mint. For two days it will host a pop-up museum featuring more than 75 exhibitors including the Conservatory of Flowers, the Museum of Craft and Design and the San Francisco Cable Car Museum. 88 5th St., sfhistorydays.org

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March 23

Bay Area Brew Fest

The Bay Area Brew Festival will celebrate the art of brewing with breweries such as Founders, Black Hammer Brewing, Lagunitas, New Belgium Brewing, Ballast Point and more. With 70 participating breweries and 200 beers to try, plus food trucks, a DJ and a photo booth, this is an event you do not want to miss. General admission includes unlimited samples of beer. Be sure to buy your tickets in advance as this event is likely to sell out. Pier 35, 1454 the Embarcadero, bayareabrewfestival.com



March 14-17

GourmetFest 2019

Relais & Châteaux Chefs and the World's Best Wine Estates host 18 events including wine tastings, cooking demos, lunches, dinners and off-site tours—a true feast in beautiful Carmel-by-the-Sea. LAuberge Carmel, 831.622.5909, gourmetfestcarmel.com



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LET'S DO THIS

Because we just want to have fun in **MARCH**

23rd Annual Berlin & Beyond Film Festival March 8-14

This is one of the largest festivals of contemporary German cinema in San Francisco. See movies, shorts and documentaries from Germany, Austria and Switzerland at the Castro Theatre and other venues around the city. 415.263.8760

Holi: Festival of Colors March 9

Celebrate the spring with Holi Phagwa, the Hindu festival of colors. This free event includes music, dancing, performances and Indian food trucks on-site. 3500 Fillmore St., 451.741.5643

World Fair Nano March 10-11

Find mind-blowing technology, innovative talks, interactive art and food. Experience futuristic technology firsthand in a tech playground with virtual reality, drones, augmented reality, robots, 3-D printing and more. Pier 48, worldsfairnano.com

22nd Annual Sonoma International Film Festival March 27-31

Screen 90+ independent films, documentaries, shorts and world cinema at intimate venues within walking distance of downtown Sonoma Plaza. sonomafilmfest.org, 707.933.2600



For a full calendar of events, go to wheretraveler.com/san-francisco/local-events



ART

GOLDEN GALLERIES

Discover San Francisco's Thriving Art Scene

SAN FRANCISCO is increasingly becoming a vibrant international art hub thanks to the re-opening of SFMOMA in 2016, the Minnesota Street Projects and art and design fairs like UNTITLED and FOG Art+Design. Artists from around the world are collaborating on public art projects here while local artists are establishing their names abroad. Jessica Silverman Gallery, located in the Tenderloin District, is one of the most exciting art spaces in the city. Presenting abstract and hyper-figurative works, her portfolio highlights some notable artists including Hayal Pozanti, a Los Angeles-based Turkish painter; Judy Chicago, known for her large collaborative art installation pieces about birth and creation images; and Nicole Wermers, a London-based artist who was nominated for the Turner Prize in 2015. 488 Ellis St., 415.255.9508, jessicasilvermangallery.com

Explore San Francisco's art galleries



Modernism

Modernism's focus is on historical and contemporary art. 724 Ellis St., 415.541.0461, modernisminc.com



Hang Art

Hang Art specializes in abstract art, landscapes, painting and sculpture. 567 Sutter St., 415.434.4264, hangart.com



Part 2 Gallery

Part 2 Gallery is one of Oakland's premier galleries. The focus is mainly on contemporary art. 1523b Webster St., Oakland, 937.594.2329, part2gallery.com

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■ **dress** 2271 Chestnut St., 415.440.3737

■ **Jack's SF** 2275 Chestnut St., 415.409.6114

■ **Margaret Elizabeth** 2230 Chestnut St., 415.563.3114

■ **Marine Layer** 2209 Chestnut St., 415.346.2400

■ **The Humidor** 2050 Chestnut St., 415.561.0491

Eat

For fresh seafood, visit the original location of **Pacific Catch**. Try seasonal California cuisine at **Causwells**, or **The Dorian**, which also offers mean cocktails. Get a taste of Provence at the French-inspired **Castagna**, and from-scratch cupcakes at **SusieCakes**.

■ **Pacific Catch** 2027 Chestnut St., 415.440.1950

■ **Causwells** 2346 Chestnut St., 415.447.6081

■ **The Dorian** 2001 Chestnut St., 415.814.2671

■ **Castagna** 2015 Chestnut St., 415.440.4290

(Clockwise, from top) Cupcakes for sale at **SusieCakes**; cocktails from **The Dorian**; delicious seafood from **Pacific Catch**; wine from **Cultivar**.



■ **SusieCakes** 2109 Chestnut St., 415.474.2253

Drink

Sip Napa Valley wine and taste curated food pairings at **Cultivar**. Stop by **California Wine Merchant** for people watching through street-level windows. Get a strong cup of coffee at the Berkeley-based **Peet's Coffee**, or house-roasted blends at **Chestnut Street Coffee Roastery**.

■ **Cultivar** 2379 Chestnut St., 415.962.4200

■ **California Wine Merchant** 2113 Chestnut St. 415.567.0646

■ **Peet's Coffee** 2080 Chestnut St., 415.635.2393

■ **Chestnut Street Coffee Roastery** 2331 Chestnut St., 415.931.5282

Rejuvenate

For healthy cold-pressed juices made with fresh organic ingredients and no added sugar, visit **Project Juice**. To quench your winter skin's thirst, take a 15-minute DIY mini-facial at **Laline**, where friendly store associates will provide samples of moisturizers and serums based on healing Dead Sea salts.

■ **Project Juice** 2234 Chestnut St., 415.374.7493

■ **Laline** 2106 Chestnut St., 415.292.9971

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Hunt Slonem, *Red Rover*, 2015. Oil on canvas, 30" x 40"

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The Four Best Women-Owned Luxury Boutiques

Where to shop while supporting stylish female entrepreneurs

By Amy Burke



You can't go wrong with a good pair of jeans... Flats and low heels are the go-to shoes in San Francisco since people walk and bike a lot.

ONE OF THE BEST things about shopping in the Bay is getting to visit the local boutiques. San Francisco is filled with fashionistas ready to help you find your next wardrobe staple. There are plenty of luxury stores in San Francisco, so it can be tricky to know where to begin, so here are four of the best women-owned boutiques to start your shopping.

HERO SHOP

Hero Shop is a chic sun-filled spot. Owner and Bay Area native, Emily Holt, uses her experience as a former Vogue editor to curate a collection of designers she thinks fit her impressive clientele list. Situated in the Tenderloin, Hero Shop aims to progress San Francisco as a fashion community. Mixing designers like Brock and Gabriela Hearst with local brands, the space is stocked with quality apparel, footwear and accessories. Hero Shop also has gift and home decor items. When asked to suggest an SF staple Holt asserts, "You can't go wrong with a good pair of jeans. We love Levi's and are excited by a new brand called Trave, which makes a great wide leg style." She also recommends Of Rare Origin earrings to add some San Francisco eccentricity. 982 Post St., 415.829.3129, heroshopsf.com

LE POINT

Le Point is a minimally-styled ultra-hip boutique on Valencia Street. Garments hang against bare white walls while Pauline Montupet, stylist and owner, creates collections of mostly casual apparel from designers like Tibi, Creatures of Comfort and Demylee. The shop also carries footwear, home goods, beauty and other accessories. Working in the fashion industry since she was 19, Montupet is very knowledgeable and ready to suggest new and exciting brands. "We carry some great bodysuits from a Spanish brand, The Bodysuit of Barcelona, that are perfect for layering under dresses." Montupet adds, "Flats and low heels are the go-to shoes in San Francisco since people walk and bike a

lot. A white leather classic boot from Mari Gudeceli is a perfect all-year-round shoe." 301 Valencia St., 415.400.4275, shoplepoint.com

ELIZABETH CHARLES

In this high-end boutique, you will often find the owner, Elizabeth Charles, chatting with her clientele as if they were family. With over 15 years of buying experience, her self-named boutique has attracted many celebrities including Emily Blunt, Jennifer Lopez and Charlize Theron. Unlike more monochromatic showrooms, Charles is not afraid of color. Lining her shop walls with designers like Saloni and Ulla Johnson, her store highlights chic patterns and feminine silhouettes. "People can get casual wear all over the city," she explains. "Women come here to feel special and fashion-forward while keeping a relaxed feel." While touring the San Francisco hills, Elizabeth suggests pairing a high ruffle silk dress from Self-Portrait and a Truffle Clarity Crossbody Bag with comfy sneakers. 2056 Fillmore St., 415.440.2100, elizabeth-charles.com

BETTY LIN

Venture into the quaint neighborhood of Presidio Heights to find Betty Lin's boutique, which provides "luxe with an edge." Holding up to 50 designers at a time, this space has an upscale department store feel with sections for apparel, footwear, jewelry and accessories. A metallic wall sets the store's tone and separates the dressing rooms from the front of the boutique. Owner Betty Lin is devoted to helping her clients find unique pieces saying, "While we are serious about the business of fashion, we will always respect individual style and not take fashion, or ourselves, too seriously." With an impressive collection of cashmere by Avant Toi, Betty Lin is an ideal shop for layering. Choose a pullover or V-neck and add a gold alphabet pendant from local jewelry designer Bridget King to add a little glam. 3625 Sacramento St., 415.345.8688, shopbettylin.com



THE WOMEN BEHIND THE BOUTIQUES

(Opposite) Betty Lin of Betty Lin Boutique. (This page, from top) Pauline Montupet of Le Point; Emily Holt of Hero Shop; Elizabeth Charles of Elizabeth Charles Boutique.

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Known as the "People's Shoes of Italy," Superga was born in Torino, Italy in 1911 but brought to San Francisco by the Volpi family in 2015. The iconic 2750 sneaker and its siblings in other silhouettes are available in a variety of colors and materials. Long a fashion staple for Italians, the Superga has quickly become a must-have for all fashionistas. Superga SF offers a curated collection with many exclusive styles and an in-house artist that can customize your pair, making it truly one-of-a-kind. With prices ranging from \$44-\$159, this is a piece of Italy anyone can afford.

2326 Fillmore St., 415.614.9903, supergasf.com

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TIMBUK2

The flagship Hayes Valley boutique carries messengers, laptop bags, backpacks, luggage, totes and accessories in limited-edition designs. Customers can choose their own color combinations and play with specialty fabrics. 506 Hayes St., 415.252.9860; 587 Shotwell St., 415.321.6806.

APPAREL

MARINE LAYER

This casual clothing company sells luxuriously soft sweat-shirts, tees and scarves that are made in San Francisco. The fabric is a blend of pima

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THE VOYAGER SHOP

A retail collaboration from a group of artistic businesses, Voyager features menswear from Japanese and Italian lines, premium denim, American footwear, women's basics from French lines, ocean gear, books and art. 365 Valencia St., 415.795.1748.

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HILLSDALE SHOPPING CENTER

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This Haight-Ashbury institution has one of the largest selections of CDs, DVDs, videos, vinyl records and vintage rock posters anywhere. 1855 Haight St., 415.831.1200; 2455 Telegraph Ave., Berkeley, 510.549.1125.

OMNIVORE BOOKS ON FOOD

Featuring new, antiquarian and collectible books by and for culinary gurus, this bookstore is a wonderland for readers interested in food and drink. 3885A Cesar Chavez St., 415.282.4712.

CHILDREN'S SHOPS

826 VALENCIA

Writer Dave Eggers opened this pirate supply store that serves as a front for a nonprofit dedicated to supporting students' writing skills. You can buy eye patches, message bottles and spy glasses. 826 Valencia St., 415.642.5905.

PAXTON GATE'S CURIOSITIES FOR KIDS

A fabulous display of imagination and design, this shop is an homage to the natural creativity of children. One of San Francisco's finest children's boutiques, it brings on nostalgia for childhood and toys. 766 Valencia St., 415.252.9990.

DEPARTMENT STORES

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Fashionistas rejoiced when this mecca of luxury opened in September 2007. Find high-end clothing, shoes and accessories for men and women plus personal shopping services. 77 O'Farrell St., 415.268.3550.

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Shop

BLOOMINGDALE'S

This is the second largest Bloomingdale's store in the country, offering the latest fashions for women, men and kids, plus home decor. 845 Market St., 415.856.5300.

MACY'S

The flagship store is housed in two buildings between O'Farrell and Geary streets on either side of Stockton Street and encompasses an entire city block. 170 O'Farrell St., 415.397.3333.

NEIMAN MARCUS

This shopping mecca features couture and accessories departments for men and women, plus excellent selections of high-end lingerie and cosmetics. Enjoy a lobster club sandwich or high tea inside the Rotunda restaurant overlooking Union Square. 150 Stockton St., 415.362.3900.

NORDSTROM

The grand Market Street location occupies four floors of the Westfield San Francisco Centre and features a huge shoe department as well as clothing and accessories, cosmetics and a full-service spa. Westfield San Francisco Centre, 865 Market St., 415.243.8500; 285 Winston Drive, 415.753.1344.

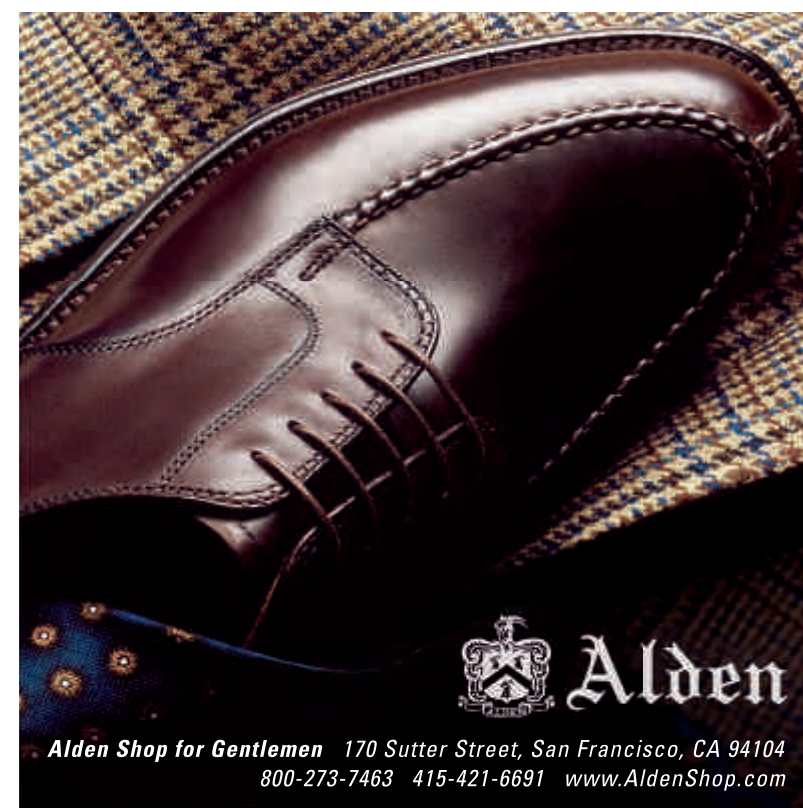
SAKS FIFTH AVENUE

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EYEWEAR

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This is the first San Francisco store from the hip and affordable eyeglass retailer. You'll find library-inspired bookcases, chevron wood floors, periodicals sourced from independent presses, banquette seating, San Francisco-inspired murals and limited-edition styles you can't find anywhere else. 357 Hayes St., 415.906.5313; 216 Stockton St., 415.528.2698.



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The Italian houseware brand's flagship Union Square location is filled with an array of products for the home. Bridal registry, gift certificates, complimentary gift-wrap and shipping are available. 424 Sutter St., 415.434.0403.

ATYS

The modern household and personal items at this store are designed by architects and industrial designers. Most of the sleek pieces are imported from Scandinavia, Germany, France and Italy. 2149B Union St., 415.441.9220.

HEATH CERAMICS

One of the few remaining mid-century American potteries still in existence, Heath has been making tableware and tile for over a half-century. The shops sell artisan pottery that emphasizes design and handcrafted techniques. 1 Ferry Building, 415.399.9284; 2900 18th St., 415.361.5552; 400 Gate Five Road, Sausalito, 415.332.3732.

NEEDLEPOINT INC.

For the best in hand-painted needlepoint designs, visit this shop in the heart of Jackson Square. Needlepoint Inc. carries a wide assortment of original canvases, fibers and stitching accessories. 326 Jackson St., 800.345.1622.

PAXTON GATE

Paxton Gate in San Francisco contains 2000 square feet of vintage taxidermy, ethically-sourced skulls and bones, unique plant life, and an assortment of home goods for the curious collector. 824 Valencia St., 415.824.1872.

SUE FISHER KING

Enter and you are bathed in rich textures and colors and surrounded by the finest in home furnishings. You can find everything from lighting and furniture to bedding, bath and jewelry. 3067 Sacramento St., 415.922.7276.

JEWELRY

GALLERY OF JEWELS

Enter and you'll find cases of designer jewelry handcrafted by local, regional and international artists. The boutiques offer all price points and a variety of metals, stones and mediums. 4089 24th St., 415.285.0626; 2115 Fillmore St., 415.771.5099.

LANG ANTIQUES

Find fine jewels from every important design period, including Victorian, Edwardian, Art Deco and more, as well as estate diamond engagement rings at this quaint little shop in the heart of downtown. 309 Sutter St., 800.924.2213.

SHREVE & CO.

One of the city's leading purveyors of fine jewelry, watches and crystal, this San Francisco institution features an in-store Mikimoto pearl boutique, Rolex watches and many other luxuries. 150 Post St., 415.421.2600; 329 Stanford Shopping Center, Palo Alto, 650.327.2211.

LINGERIE

ALLA PRIMA

Exclusive lingerie and swimwear from top international designers, including Prima Donna, La Perla, Dolce & Gabbana, Andres Sarda and Eres. 539 Hayes St., 415.864.8180.

MEN'S APPAREL

THE BROOKLYN CIRCUS

This fashion-forward store is a trendsetter of the time with a celebrity following. It features cutting-edge clothing, shoes and accessories with a James Bond meets rapper Andre 3000 aesthetic. 1521 Fillmore St., 415.359.1999.

UNIONMADE

Voted one of the country's 10 best independent stores by GQ magazine, this highly acclaimed menswear mecca houses an impressive selection of well-made, Americana-style casual and fine clothing

and shoes. 493 Sanchez St., 415.861.3373.

SHOES

THE ALDEN SHOP

This shoe company offers classic men's footwear that represents New England's tradition of custom boot-making at its finest. Find a complete line of shoes made with premium calfskins, luxurious suedes and genuine shell cordovan. 170 Sutter St., 415.421.6691.

FREDA SALVADOR

Local designers sell their fashion-world lauded line of boots and other footwear at this boutique. The well-made styles, from rocker-chic to classic, are all made in Spain and designed for walking. 2416 Fillmore St., 415.872.9690.

SHOPPING DESTINATIONS

ANCHORAGE SQUARE

This is the biking, touring, shopping and dining hub of Fisherman's Wharf, with more than 35 activities, stores and restaurants to explore. Validated parking is available at Anchorage Square Garage on Beach Street. 500 Beach St., 415.775.6000.

EMBARCADERO CENTER

The office towers stretching west from the foot of Sacramento Street, known as 1, 2, 3 and 4 Embarcadero, also house more than 100 retailers, 30 restaurants and a movie theater. 415.772.0700.

FERRY BUILDING MARKETPLACE

Located at the foot of Market Street, this marketplace is home to abundant food shops. You'll also find ceramics, gardening supplies and skin care. A great place for souvenirs and gifts. 1 Ferry Building, 415.983.8030.

GHIRARDELLI SQUARE

The renovated former chocolate factory site is now home to boutiques and restaurants. Three chocolate shops ensure

sweet-tooth satisfaction. 900 North Point St., 415.775.5500.

UNION STREET NEIGHBORHOOD

Union Street is home to more than 250 shops, galleries and boutiques, as well as restaurants, street cafes, salons and day spas. It hosts a variety of family-oriented festivals too. Union St., from Gough to Steiner Sts.

WESTFIELD SAN FRANCISCO CENTRE

This nine-story shopping mall features Nordstrom, Bloomingdale's and more than 200 shops and restaurants. 865 Market St., 415.512.6776.

SPECIALTY FOODS

DANDELION CHOCOLATE

Dandelion is a bean-to-bar chocolate factory with a cafe that serves chocolate beverages and a bakery. The chocolate is only made of two ingredients, beans and sugar, and is meticulously sourced. 740 Valencia St., 415.349.0942; 1 Ferry Building

GHIRARDELLI ICE CREAM & CHOCOLATE SHOP

San Francisco's signature chocolatier operates two cafe-chocolate shop combos in the city. Enjoy decadent homemade hot fudge sundaes, milkshakes, hot cocoa or coffee. 900 North Point St., 415.474.3938; 2 New Montgomery St., 415.536.7830.

SPORTING GOODS

SPORTS BASEMENT

The city's favorite discounted sporting-goods retailer stocks top brands at basement prices. Find North Face, Adidas, Speedo, New Balance and more. You can also rent bikes from the Presidio location. 610 Mason St., 415.934.2900; 1590 Bryant St., 415.575.3001.

WOMEN'S APPAREL

AMOUR VERT

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Based in the Dogpatch neighborhood, the company set a new standard for socially responsible clothing. 437 Hayes St., 415.800.8576; 2110 Chestnut St., 415.654.5385.

DISH

Bring your fashion appetite with you to this chic, personable boutique that stocks a premium selection from independent designers. Find casual chic to classic formal pieces in the minimalist space. 541 Hayes St., 415.252.5997.

EDEN & EDEN

This stylish and charming Jackson Square boutique stocks a one-of-a-kind collection of clothing, jewelry and home decor (all vintage, handmade or imported from Europe). 560 Jackson St., 415.983.0490.

MIRA MIRA

Discover one-of-a-kind threads from global indie designers and funky locally made jewelry. Boutique owner Mira will lend her brilliant eye to style you herself. By appointment only. 3292 22nd St., 415.648.6513.

SUSAN

This elegant storefront offers fine European and Japanese apparel, shoes and accessories, including the latest styles by Comme des Garçons, Simone Rocha, Junya Watanabe and other avant-garde designers. 3685 Sacramento St., 415.922.3685.

UNIONMADE WOMEN

The limited-edition collections and collaborations tend to veer toward simplicity with an emphasis on oxford shirts, classic stripes and denim. 4035 18th St., 415.401.8920.

VER UNICA

For over 15 years, this shop has offered an exquisite collection of everything from '50s sundresses to '60s Chanel baubles to '70s Gucci bags. 526 Hayes St., 415.621.6259.



Bubble Street Gallery

Daniel Merriam has been exhibited around the world, but in Sausalito he stakes his claim at his own venue. Bubble Street Gallery is an emporium of his original paintings, prints and sculptures. Currently on view are paintings and limited edition prints from his latest exhibit "Where on Earth"—an offering of escapism to his land of romantic dreams. Bubble Street Gallery also offers a host of truly inspired ceramics, jewelry and other unique objets d'art. 565 Bridgeway, Sausalito, 415.339.0506, bubblestreetgallery.com

ART GALLERIES

49 GEARY

The remarkable building that once housed the entire West Coast operation of Western Union is now home to about 20 art galleries and four rare-book dealers. 49 Geary St.

THE ANTIQUE TRADERS

This shop has a fine collection of original Art Nouveau antique items, which include lamps and art glass, chandeliers, stained and beveled glass windows, bronzes, sculptures, and furniture. 4300 California St., 415.668.4444.

BRIAN GROSS FINE ART

This spacious gallery hosts about nine exhibitions a year, showcasing contemporary painting, sculpture and photography by artists like Ed Moses and Phil Sims as well as emerging talents. 248 Utah St., 415.788.1050.

CALDWELL SNYDER GALLERY

Caldwell Snyder is a contemporary art gallery representing many significant international painters and sculptors from the 21st century. It has introduced many renowned artists to the Bay Area for the first time. 341 Sutter St., 415.392.2299; 1328 Main St., Helena, 707.200.5050.

CCA WATTIS INSTITUTE

The California College of the Arts' Wattis Institute provides two floors of contemporary exhibition space that are free for the public in addition to its artist residency and research programs and event space. 360 Kansas St., 415.355.9670.

CHANDLER FINE ART

A gallery featuring a wide range of contemporary paintings, intaglio prints and photography. Artists hail predominantly from California, New York and Japan. 145 Natoma St., 415.546.1113.

CHRISTOPHER-CLARK FINE ART

This premier San Francisco gallery features paintings, drawings and original prints by European masters. Find art by Rembrandt, Renoir, Manet, Picasso, Matisse, Chagall and Dali plus Stella, Motherwell, Frankenthaler and Lichtenstein. 377 Geary St., 415.397.7781.

CK CONTEMPORARY

This gallery space is home to original paintings by noteworthy American and European contemporary artists. The gallery also works closely with collectors to assist clients in finding the perfect pieces for their home. 357 Geary St., 415.397.0114.

DOLBY CHADWICK GALLERY

Represents international emerging and mid-career artists who specialize in oil painting, drawing, printmaking, sculpture and photography. A recurring theme is optical effects that explore and redefine visual perception. 210 Post St., 415.956.3560.

FRAENKEL GALLERY

Founded in 1979, this world-class gallery at 49 Geary focuses on photography, with rotating shows of various genres that span the medium's beginnings to new works. 49 Geary St., 4th floor, 415.981.2661.

GREGORY LIND GALLERY

This gallery specializes in challenging, boundary-pushing works by emerging and midcareer artists primarily from California, New York and Boston, plus a variety of feature paintings, drawings, sculpture and photography by contemporary artists. 49 Geary St., 5th floor, 415.296.9661.

HAIGHT STREET ART CENTER

HSAC was established to promote poster art production and education. The Center's print studio currently focuses on screen-printing, but will eventually offer a range of art print techniques. 215 Haight St., 415.363.6150.

HASHIMOTO CONTEMPORARY

Located in Nob Hill, Hashimoto Contemporary is home to an eclectic blend of new contemporary artists. With monthly rotating exhibitions, the gallery focuses on a range of painting, sculpture and installation-based work. 804 Sutter St., 415.796.3774.

JOHN BERGGRUEN GALLERY

This gallery hosts exhibitions monthly, showcasing works by 20th century modern and contemporary American and European painters and sculptors including Willem de Kooning, Roy De Forest, Georgia O'Keeffe and Henri Matisse. 10 Hawthorne St., 415.781.4629.

MARK WOLFE CONTEMPORARY ART

This all-media gallery offers a mix of hip young urbanism and new traditional media. It focuses on exposition, showing works that encourage audiences to perceive visuals in new ways. 555 Sutter St., 415.369.9404.

MARTIN LAWRENCE GALLERIES

Martin Lawrence Galleries specializes in original paintings, sculptures and limited-edition graphics. The gallery features works by Pablo Picasso, Marc

Chagall, Rembrandt, Andy Warhol and Keith Haring and emerging artists. 366 Geary St., 415.956.0345.

MEYEROVICH GALLERY

One of the country's leading galleries, specializing in American and European paintings, works on paper, graphics and sculpture by modern and contemporary masters such as Alex Katz, Donald Sultan, Guy Dill, Bernar Venet, Grisha Bruskin, and Deborah Kass. 251 Post St., 415.421.7171.

MINNESOTA STREET PROJECT

The three warehouse gallery spaces that comprise the Minnesota Street Project's studios and workspace are open to collectors and the curious public alike. Check specific galleries for hours, as each maintains its own. 1275 Minnesota St., 415.243.0825.

MODERNISM

Owner Martin Muller strives to keep the gallery's museum-quality program at the forefront of the art world. Modernism prides itself on historical exhibitions of significant artistic movements, foremost, the Russian Avant-Garde 1910-1930. 724 Ellis St., 415.541.0461.

MONTAGUE GALLERY

The only gallery of its kind in San Francisco, Montague Gallery specializes in contemporary fine art glass with an expansive roster of world-renowned artists such as Dale Chihuly and Ethan Stern, among others. 445A Sutter St., 415.964.4978.

MONTGOMERY GALLERY

This scholarly Jackson Square gallery has specialized in important 19th and early 20th century European Post-Impressionist and

modern paintings, as well as American Impressionist and early Californian works. 545 Sansome St., 415.788.8300.

PAUL THIEBAUD GALLERY

This contemporary gallery mounts six shows each year that feature representational paintings and works by established national midcareer artists as well as emerging artists. 645 Chestnut St., 415.434.3055.

ROBERT KOCH GALLERY

Offers a wide range of exemplary photography that spans from the 19th century to the present, exhibiting artists such as Ansel Adams, Man Ray and Edward Weston. 49 Geary St., 5th floor, 415.421.0122.

SAN FRANCISCO ART EXCHANGE

San Francisco Art Exchange is a worldwide leader in art and photographs from pop culture, offering original

photographs, paintings and limited-edition prints of The Beatles, Rolling Stones, Jimi Hendrix and more. 458 Geary St., 415.441.8840.

SAN FRANCISCO CENTER FOR THE BOOK

This gallery showcases every artistic aspect of books, from the antique to the experimental. Ponder exhibitions on censorship and literary forms or take a peek at binding and printing workshops. 375 Rhode Island St., 415.565.0545.

SCOTT NICHOLS GALLERY

This gallery shows vintage and contemporary photographs by established and emerging artists. It's home to an extensive inventory of photographs by iconic California photographers such as Ansel Adams and Dorothea Lange. 49 Geary St., 415.788.4641.

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CONTEMPORARY ART**

Exhibiting works that present new approaches to traditional media, this gallery presents a notable collection of works by museum-level American and European artists. 373 Geary St., 415.788.5588.

SERGE SOROKKO GALLERY

This gallery features contemporary art by acclaimed American and European artists, including Hunt Slonem, Ross Bleckner and Miguel Condé, and provides advising services to its clientele, plus ships all over the world. 345 Sutter St., 415.421.7770.

SFMOMA ARTISTS GALLERY

This two-story SFMOMA satellite houses more than 800 emerging and established Northern California artists. The non-profit gallery offers rentals and sales. 2 Marina Blvd., Fort Mason Center, Building A, 415.441.4777.

TANGENT CONTEMPORARY ART

This gallery showcases works from American and international artists that present new approaches to traditional media. Past exhibits have included candy sculptures, photomosaics and three-dimensional paintings. 373 Geary St., 415.956.9999.

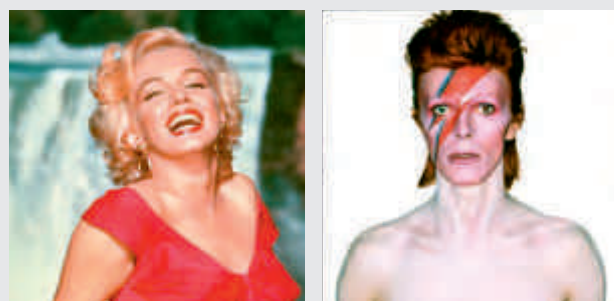
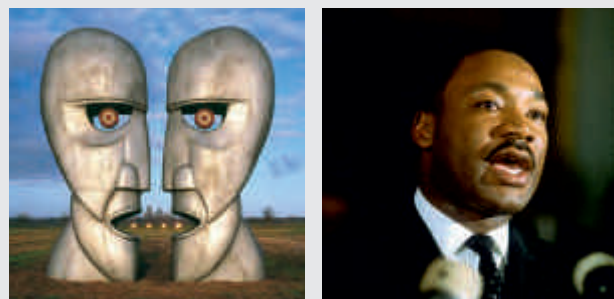
WEINSTEIN GALLERY

This gallery's collection is dedicated to rare works of 20th century masters including Picasso, Chagall, Calder and Miró. The gallery has Surrealism and Abstract Expressionism, as well as contemporary figurative painters. 383 Geary St., 415.362.8155.

ZK GALLERY

This contemporary and modern art gallery exhibits both internationally renowned and emerging artists, seeking to present hand-selected talent from across the globe. 213 Jefferson St., 415.632.1036.

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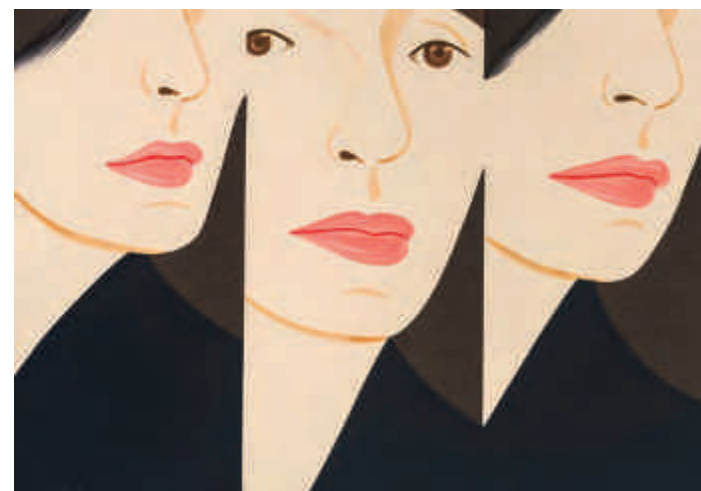


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This museum has rotating art exhibitions that range from classical Chinese painting to abstract expressionism to provocative multimedia work. The film archive has screenings of movie classics, foreign films and experimental cinema. 2155 Center St., 510.642.0808.

OAKLAND MUSEUM OF CALIFORNIA

The OMCA brings together collections of art, history and natural science under one roof to tell the extraordinary stories of California and its people. 1000 Oak St., Oakland, 510.318.8400.

MUSEUMS

ASIAN ART MUSEUM

Home to over 18,000 exquisite art objects spanning 6,000 years of history and culture throughout Asia, this museum is one of the largest in the Western Hemisphere devoted exclusively to Asian art. 200 Larkin St., 415.581.3500.

CONTEMPORARY JEWISH MUSEUM

Located in a stunning Daniel Libeskind-designed building, the CJM engages audiences of all ages and backgrounds through dynamic exhibitions and programs that explore contemporary perspectives on Jewish culture, history, art and ideas. 736 Mission St., 415.655.7800.

DE YOUNG MUSEUM

Founded in 1895, the impressively varied museum showcases collections from the Americas, Pacific Islands and Africa and features a tower observation deck. Free general admission first Tu of each month. 50 Hagiwara Tea Garden Drive, 415.750.3600.

LEGION OF HONOR

This grand museum is a three-quarter-scale adaptation of the Palais de la Légion d'Honneur in Paris. The museum was built to commemorate



Elixir Saloon

Elixir is the second oldest continually operating saloon location in San Francisco, making it a testament to the storied history of the wild-west of Wild West towns. H. Joseph Ehrmann is the twelfth proprietor since 1858; after lovingly restoring Elixir's Victorian bones in 2003, he brought the bar international acclaim while also helping revive cocktail culture. The bar is known for having the best whiskey collection in the country and for being open all 365 days of the year. 3200 16th St., 415.552.1633, elixirsf.com

BARS & NIGHTCLUBS

ALCHEMIST BAR & LOUNGE

This bar and lounge mixes SF's famed speakeasy-style bar scene (classic cocktails served in an off-the-beaten-path second story location) with a hipster vibe (shuffleboard, board games) in the SOMA district. 679 3rd St., 415.746.9968.

ALEMBIC

Offering a long list of both classic cocktails and original concoctions, this Haight Ashbury restaurant and bar is a great place to try something new, like the Blood and Sand. 1725 Haight St., 415.666.0822.

BARREL HEAD BREWHOUSE

This modern brewpub has a giant torpedo behind the bar, which serves as the base of the bar tap. Barrel Head offers 30 rotating micro-beers on tap, plus cocktails and a full menu. 1785 Fulton St., 415.416.6989.

BIERGARTEN

Located in Hayes Valley, this traditional beer garden offers a variety of German beers on tap and serves up locally sourced food like sausages and salaten—all to be enjoyed alfresco. 424 Octavia St.

BOURBON & BRANCH

This Tenderloin speakeasy offers strong Prohibition-era cocktails in a 1920s private

club atmosphere. Imbibe Champagne or bourbon-heavy libations at the library or book a booth in the main bar in the back. 501 Jones St., 415.346.1735.

CASK

Sip boutique bourbons, hard-to-find whiskeys and more at this bar specializing in artisanal distillers. Created by the people behind Bourbon and Branch, this is the place to find a well-crafted drink. 17 3rd St., 415.424.4844.

COMSTOCK SALOON

Named after Henry Comstock and the famed Comstock Lode, which brought mining fortunes to the City by the Bay, sip on carefully crafted classic cocktails and nibble on turn-of-the-century saloon fare. 155 Columbus Ave., 415.617.0071.

EL TECHO

Drinks range from pis-co-based cocktails to Brazilian beer at this expansive rooftop bar. Dig into tasty nibbles like empanadas and meat skewers or visit the dining room for a more serious, meat-focused menu. 2516 Mission St., 415.550.6970.

HORSEFEATHER

Horsefeather has a late-night food menu (serving until 2 am) and stellar lineup of cock-

tails made with fresh ingredients, house-made syrups and hand-cut ice. 528 Divisadero St., 415.817.1939.

LOCAL EDITION

This classy underground cocktail bar is inspired by the 1950s and '60s newspaper industry. The vintage décor includes typewriters and archived news clippings; even the waitresses are dressed in period outfits. 691 Market St., 415.795.1375.

MIKKELLER BAR

This beer bar features 40 taps from the best breweries in the world, exclusive house beers and a kitchen serving bar bites. The cellar has lambics and sour beers on tap. 34 Mason St., 415.984.0279.

MONK'S KETTLE

This gastropub specializes in craft beer, serving 24 draughts and over 120 bottles. The kitchen serves upscale pub food. Be prepared to wait—they do not take reservations. 3141 16th St., 415.865.9523.

MR. TIPP'S RECORDING STUDIO

This jazz bar is hidden in a back alley of the Mid-Market neighborhood. The bar features live jazz nightly with no cover, a sharp list of rotating

cocktails and under-\$10 snacks. 39 Fell St., 415.384.9365.

NIHON WHISKEY LOUNGE

Nihon is a delicious Japanese restaurant and a seductive whiskey bar, serving over 400 selections of whiskey. The servers are attentive and the bartenders know exactly which whiskey to pour. 1779 Folsom St., 415.552.4400.

NOIR LOUNGE

This spot is a wine bar, brewpub and movie lounge, showcasing Noir films. It has a 1940s jazz-era feel and serves bar bites and entrees along with flights of popcorn. 581 Hayes St., 415.431.6647.

NOVELA

Novela is a book-themed bar where classic literary references present themselves in new and intriguing ways. The cocktail menu is filled with original house libations and historically-inspired punches on tap. 662 Mission St., 415.896.6500.

PLAYERS SPORTS GRILL & ARCADE

This sports bar features San Francisco's only waterfront tiki bar plus over 35 HDTVs, 200 sports channels, 85 arcade games and 15 beers on tap. The menu offers bar bites and American fare. *End*

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TORONADO

This pub offers more than 45 beers on tap and hundreds more bottled. So grab a sausage from Rosamunde next door, stake out a stool, and get ready for a wild ride. 547 Haight St., 415.863.2276.

TRICK DOG

The Bon Vivants opened this hot spot, focusing on hand-crafted, inventive drinks and late-night nibbles. The converted warehouse space features a bar with retro decor, and a loft-like restaurant serving elevated bar food. 3010 20th St., 415.471.2999.

VESUVIO

This historic North Beach dive bar, fittingly located just next door to City Lights Bookstore, used to quench the thirst of Jack Kerouac and Neal Cassady of "On the Road" fame. 255 Columbus Ave., 415.362.3370.

WHITECHAPEL

Featuring the largest gin selection in North America, Whitechapel's cocktail menu celebrates the history and traditions of this versatile spirit. The food menu features pub fare and several Indian dishes. 600 Polk St., 415.292.5800.

BAY AREA

GRATON RESORT & CASINO

The behemoth \$825 million, 340,000-square-foot resort is home to 3,000 slot and video poker machines, over 100 table games and an elegant dedicated poker room plus about a dozen eateries. 288 Golf Course Drive W, Rohnert Park, 707.588.7100.

ST. GEORGE SPIRITS

Located in a former airplane hangar, St. George Spirits is the grandfather of the American craft spirits movement. Master distiller Lance Winters oversees production. You can also visit the distillery

for a tour. 2601 Monarch St., 510.769.1601.

SWEETWATER MUSIC HALL

This intimate music venue has hosted such superstars as Carlos Santana, Jerry Garcia and Elvis Costello, and now welcomes everything from New Orleans jive to Latin funk music. 19 Corte Madera Ave., Mill Valley, 415.388.3850.

BREWERIES

THIRSTY BEAR BREWING CO.

The oldest brewery-restaurant in the city (and the only organic brewery) serves house-made ales that complement Spanish-inspired cuisine, with dishes served in tapas-sized portions. There's also a full bar upstairs. 661 Howard St., 415.974.0905.

CLASSICAL MUSIC & DANCE

SAN FRANCISCO BALLET

America's oldest professional ballet company and one of the three largest ballet companies in the United States performed one of the first American productions of both "Swan Lake" and "The Nutcracker." *War Memorial Opera House*, 301 Van Ness Ave., 415.861.5600.

SAN FRANCISCO OPERA

Located in the historic War Memorial Opera House since 1932, this is the second largest opera company in North America, bringing exciting performances to the stage each season. *War Memorial Opera House*, 301 Van Ness Ave., 415.864.3330.

SAN FRANCISCO SYMPHONY

Founded in 1911, the symphony is widely considered to be among the country's most artistically adventurous art institutions, well known for its acclaimed conductor Michael Tilson Thomas. 201 Van Ness Ave., 415.864.6000.

GAY CLUBS

TWIN PEAKS TAVERN

This Castro neighborhood landmark has seen the

birth and growth of the gay movement through its large glass windows. Inside, the tavern prides itself on having some of the most dedicated clientele. 401 Castro St., 415.864.9470.

LIVE MUSIC

BOOM BOOM ROOM

Self-proclaimed as "San Francisco's home to blues, boogie, soul, groove and funk," this sultry hot spot in the famed Fillmore District is the oldest blues club west of the Mississippi. 1601 Fillmore St., 415.673.8000.

BOTTOM OF THE HILL

Lauded by Rolling Stone as "the best place to hear live music in San Francisco." Open seven nights a week and showcasing an array of styles from hard rock and punk to folk and pop. 1233 17th St., 415.626.4455.

SAN FRANCISCO GAY MEN'S CHORUS

The San Francisco Gay Men's Chorus has been an international standard bearer for a powerful mix of extraordinary musical excellence and mission-driven activism and is an icon among LGBT organizations. 526 Castro St., 415.865.3650.

SFJAZZ CENTER

This is the first stand-alone performance venue built specifically for jazz. The 35,000-square-foot building seats 700 people and boasts the acoustic qualities of a concert hall with the intimacy of a jazz club. 201 Franklin St., 866.920.5299.

THEATER

AMERICAN CONSERVATORY THEATER

Offering classical and contemporary theater productions, the A.C.T. is a large, highly respected nonprofit theater company located just outside Union Square. *The Geary Theater*: 405 Geary St., 415.749.2228; *The Strand Theater*: 1127 Market St.

BEACH BLANKET BABYLON

This hilariously campy revue has been a local favorite since 1974, known for its hats and wigs and spoofs of current events and celebrities in ever-evolving numbers. 678 Beach Blanket Babylon Blvd. (formerly Green St.), 415.421.4222.

NEW CONSERVATORY THEATRE CENTER

New Conservatory Theatre Center has been San Francisco's premier LGBTQIA and allied performing arts institution and progressive arts education conservatory since 1981. 25 Van Ness Ave., 415.861.8972.

SF PLAYHOUSE

This theater company is dedicated to presenting critically-acclaimed works in an intimate setting that allows the audience to connect with the performance. 450 Post St., 415.677.9596.

SHN

For over 30 years, this has been the preeminent theatrical entertainment company in San Francisco, owning and operating two of the city's major venues: the historic Orpheum and Golden Gate theaters. 1182 Market St., 888.746.1799.

THE SPEAKEASY

The Boxcar Theatre Company's "The Speakeasy," is an immersive choose-your-own-adventure theater experience that has been compared to San Francisco's famous Beach Blanket Babylon. 644 Broadway, 415.891.9744.

WINE BARS

AMELIE WINE BAR

This modern French-style wine bar has a wine menu that changes daily. Try the thoughtfully paired small plates to complement your wine. Enjoy live music on Sundays and Mondays. 1754 Polk St., 415.292.6916.



Alioto's

In 1898, a young Italian named Nunzio Alioto left his family's small town in Sicily for San Francisco. By 1925 Mr. Alioto began his fresh fish stall. Stall #8 sold lunchtime provisions to laborers. Far from the tourist attraction the wharf is today, back then, it was surrounded by an enormous lumber yard, train tracks, a union hall and bustling wholesale fisheries. Alioto's restaurant is a San Francisco legacy venue with a list of celebrated seafood favorites.

8 Fisherman's Wharf, 415.673.0183, alios.com

BAY AREA

BARREL HOUSE TAVERN

New American This casual eatery serves a local, seasonal menu of rustic comfort food and overlooks the bay with breathtaking views of the San Francisco skyline, Treasure Island and the Bay Bridge. 660 Bridgeway, Sausalito, 415.729.9593.

COPITA TEQUILERIA Y COMIDA

Mexican This neighborhood restaurant and tequila bar is the vision of legendary restaurateur, Larry Mindel, and cookbook author, Joanne Weir. Enjoy elevated versions of traditional Mexican cuisine and inventive cocktails. 739 Bridgeway, Sausalito, 415.331.7400.

CASTRO/UPPER MARKET

CANELA BISTRO AND WINE BAR

Spanish/Tapas This elegant restaurant in the Castro neighborhood serves traditional tapas and modern Spanish dishes, sourcing ingredients from sustainable California markets, farms and fisheries. 2272 Market St., 415.552.3000.

FRANCES

California Serving modern California cuisine in a neighborhood setting, acclaimed

Frances serves delights that will be sure to satisfy. 3870 17th St., 415.621.3870.

CHINATOWN R&G LOUNGE

Chinese This spot has a Hong Kong-style menu. The Travel Channel's "No Reservations" host Anthony Bourdain visited the restaurant on his show and raved about the salt and pepper crab. 631 Kearny St., 415.982.7877.

CIVIC CENTER/HAYES VALLEY

ESPETUS BRAZILIAN STEAK HOUSE

Steaks This authentic Brazilian steakhouse offers all-you-can-eat skewers ("espetus" in Portuguese) of slow-roasted beef, lamb, pork, chicken and shrimp for a fixed price. 1686 Market St., 415.552.8792; 710 S. B St., San Mateo, 650.342.8700.

MONSIEUR BENJAMIN

French Inspired by the Parisian bistro culture and traditions of French cooking, Monsieur Benjamin is the latest restaurant by acclaimed chef Corey Lee. The menu is a modern take on traditional dishes with seasonal ingredients. 451 Gough St., 415.403.2233.

RICH TABLE

American Named one of the country's top 50 new restaurants by Bon Appetit maga-

zine in 2012, this James Beard Award-nominated hot spot serves unfussy, market-driven food in a lively atmosphere. 199 Gough St., 415.355.9085.

SOUVLA

Greek This Greek sandwich shop is inspired by the souvlaki joints found in Greece. The sandwiches are made with spit-roasted meats on warm pita bread with spiced yogurt sauces and fresh herbs. 517 Hayes St., 415.400.5458; 531 Divisadero St., 415.400.5458; 758 Valencia St., 415.400.5458; 2272 Chestnut St.

FINANCIAL DISTRICT KUSAKABE

Japanese For the ultimate in sushi, look no further than Kusakabe, a Michelin-starred restaurant that offers a prix fixe menu chosen specifically by the chef. 584 Washington St., 415.757.0155.

ONE MARKET

American This restaurant on the Embarcadero waterfront offers contemporary American classics from chef Mark Dommen, showcasing farm-fresh ingredients, heritage meats, artisanal cheeses and all-American wine. 1 Market St., 415.777.5577.

PROSPECT

California This polished and spacious spot, helmed by

executive chef Nancy Oakes, serves California cuisine in an elegant yet comfortable environment. The square bar and communal dining options cultivate a lively atmosphere. 300 Spear St., 415.247.7770.

SCHROEDER'S

German The front of Schroeder's is a drink hall serving bar bites, and the dining room serves Bavarian classics with a California sensibility. The beer is mostly German and available on draft. 240 Front St., 415.421.4778.

FISHERMAN'S WHARF/WATERFRONT ALFRED'S STEAKHOUSE

Steaks Alfred's embodies old-school elegance and serves prime cuts of Midwestern corn-fed beef and classic martinis. 659 Merchant St., 415.781.7058.

BEACH STREET GRILL ORGANIC RESTAURANT

American Known for its warm hospitality and all-day breakfast, the key word at this diner is homemade, from melt-in-your-mouth blueberry pancakes to gravy-smothered biscuits. 380 Beach St., 415.867.1711.

THE BUENA VISTA CAFE

American This wharf institution by the Hyde Street cable car turnaround is famous for

first introducing Irish coffee to the U.S. in 1952. 2765 Hyde St., 415.474.5044.

THE GROTTO

Seafood This restaurant, oyster bar and lounge has been feeding fishermen since 1935. It was the first sit-down restaurant to open in Fisherman's Wharf. 2847 Taylor St., 415.673.7025.

HARBORVIEW RESTAURANT & BAR

Chinese Enjoy authentic cantonese chinese cuisine, dim sum and cocktails. 4 Embarcadero Center, 628.867.7350.

LA MAR CEBICHERIA PERUANA

Latin American The traditional Peruvian dishes at this attractive, modern space on the waterfront showcase fresh seafood with influences from China and Japan.

Signature offerings include ceviches, causas, empanadas and anticuchos. Pier 1 1/2, the Embarcadero, 415.397.8880.

JAPANTOWN/LOWER FILLMORE

THE PROGRESS

New American A 2015 James Beard Award winner, The Progress is the second restaurant from the team behind State Bird Provisions. The boundary busting, international menu is served family style. The bar is walk-in only. 1525 Fillmore St., 415.673.1294.

STATE BIRD PROVISIONS

American It's worth the effort to get a reservation at the 2013 James Beard Award winner for Best New Restaurant. This creative and innovative Michelin star restaurant does dim sum, American-style. 1529 Fillmore St., 415.795.1272.

MARINA/COW HOLLOW

ATELIER CRENN

French This restaurant from the world's only two Michelin-star female chef presents garden-centric dishes. Giving center stage to the food, diners can select from one of two multi-course tasting menus. 3127 Fillmore St., 415.440.0460.

MISSION DISTRICT CRAFTSMAN & WOLVES

Bakery This modern patisserie from James Beard-nominated chef William Werner features a rotating menu of breakfast pastries, cakes, confections, confitures, desserts, lunch and other savory fare. 746 Valencia St., 415.913.7713; 1598 Yosemite Ave., 415.423.3337.

FLOUR + WATER

Italian A haven (or heaven) for artisan pizza and pasta lovers, this incredibly popular, welcoming spot serves ex-

ceptional Neopolitan-style, wood-fired pizzas and house-made pastas. 2401 Harrison St., 415.826.7000.

FOREIGN CINEMA

California The bohemian-chic space suits the excellent California-Mediterranean cuisine. A heated, covered patio screens classic, foreign and independent films, and speakers on each table allow you to adjust the volume. 2534 Mission St., 415.648.7600.

ICHI SUSHI

Sushi Celebrated as one of San Francisco's top sushi destinations, Ichi Sushi is the place to go for traditional nigiri, sashimi and an extensive sake list. Sustainability is also a huge focus here. 3369 Mission St., 415.525.4750.

LOLINDA

Steaks The team behind Beretta and Starbelly has created a new kind of steakhouse, one that marries the flavors of Argentina with the culinary sensibility of California. 2518 Mission St., 415.550.6970.

TARTINE BAKERY & CAFE

Dessert/Coffee This popular artisan bakery serves fresh-from-the-oven pastries all day, as well as pies, cakes, artisan bread and coffee. Breakfast quiches, gourmet sandwiches, classic pastries and an addictive bread pudding keep folks lining up. 600 Guerrero St., 415.487.2600.

TAWLA

Eastern Mediterranean Tawla is an Eastern Mediterranean restaurant serving family-style dishes inspired by the Levant, with a menu that changes daily. 206 Valencia St., 415.814.2704.

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CONTIGO

Spanish/Tapas Changing nightly, the menu at this beloved California-style tapas spot highlights local farmers, ranchers, fishermen and artisans. Pick a glass from the all-Spanish wine list. 1320 Castro St., 415.285.0250.

FIREFLY

American This homey spot has been a destination since its 1994 opening. The food is comfortable and creative, and vegetarians will find at least two meatless main courses on every menu. 4288 24th St., 415.821.7652.

NORTH BEACH

DON PISTO'S

Mexican A fresh take on traditional Mexican street food, this spot serves up tacos,

tortas and ceviche inspired by Baja California all the way to the Yucatan peninsula. 510 Union St., 415.395.0939.

NORTH BEACH RESTAURANT

Italian This classic restaurant serves generous portions of hearty Tuscan cuisine from its extensive menu. The award-winning wine list boasts over 500 bottles. 1512 Stockton St., 415.392.1700.

PARK TAVERN

American A fashionable yet comfortable American bistro and bar, this spacious brasserie boasts a market-driven menu of shareable plates, boldly flavored seafood, meat dishes and cocktails. 1652 Stockton St., 415.989.7300.

SOTTO MARE OYSTERIA & SEAFOOD RESTAURANT

Seafood Sotto Mare is an authentic Italian North Beach experience. The seafood

restaurant serves oysters and clams on the half shell, Boston-style clam chowder, baccala, crab cioppino, seafood pastas and more. 552 Green St., 415.398.3181.

TONY'S PIZZA NAPOLETANA

Italian Dubbed the best pizzeria in America by Forbes magazine, Tony Gemignani's pizzas are authentic, with ingredients imported from Naples, Italy. The diverse array of styles require seven different ovens. 1570 Stockton St., 415.835.9888.

RICHMOND/OCEAN BEACH

CLIFF HOUSE

American This historic site is home to two restaurants and spectacular views. Sutro's offers an upscale setting, while The Bistro offers a more casual experience. 1090 Point Lobos Ave., 415.386.3330.

SOUTH OF MARKET (SOMA)/CHINA BASIN

BLUESTEM BRASSERIE

California This upscale urban restaurant is a modern interpretation of the classic American brasserie. Dishes include grass-fed beef burgers and steaks and apple-fed pork with cheddar grits. 1 Yerba Buena Lane, 415.547.1111.

DUMPLING TIME

Chinese/Japanese This restaurant serves handmade dumplings from Japanese and Chinese traditions. The restaurant's signature are Japanese-style gyoza. It also offers bao, har gow, Xi'an dumplings and xiao long bao plus hand-rolled noodles. 11 Division St., 415.525.4797.

UNION SQUARE

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British Pub Food This posh, atmospheric London-inspired brasserie, a 2014 James Beard

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8 Fisherman's Wharf 415.673.0183 www.aliotos.com

SOTTO MARE

Tony Bennett says that Sotto Mare is one of his favorite places to dine in San Francisco. Located in the heart of North Beach, Sotto Mare provides an authentic Italian North Beach experience. Sotto Mare serves the freshest fish and shellfish in town. Oysters, Boston style clam chowder, crab cioppino, Louis salads, seafood pastas, seafood risotto and a selection of fresh fish daily. Private parties are available in our restaurant and banquet room. We also sell our fresh fish retail. Open Monday-Saturday 11:00 am - 10:00 pm.

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John's Grill, a San Francisco tradition since 1908, is a must when in the city. It is a favorite with locals and national celebrities (most recently Olympia Dukakis, Renee Zellweger and Drew Brees), who enjoy the great steaks, fresh seafood with excellent service at honest prices in a casual atmosphere of dark panel walls and pictures of old San Francisco. John's Grill is a setting in the novel "The Maltese Falcon" and was featured in Gourmet and chosen one of the Top 10 by Esquire. Walking distance from downtown hotels and theatres. Private banquet rooms are available. Open Mon-Sat: 11am-10pm; Sun: noon-10pm. 63 Ellis St. at Union Square, 415.986.0069, johnsgrill.com

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CLIFF HOUSE

Since 1863 the Cliff House has perched high on a rocky bluff above the Pacific Ocean at the western edge of San Francisco. With unparalleled ocean views it is famous worldwide, attracting visitors from around the globe and is a favorite destination of the locals. Offering the casual Bistro Restaurant with San Francisco classics for breakfast, lunch, and dinner; the elegant Sutro's at the Cliff House with California coastal cuisine for lunch and dinner; and the famous Sunday Champagne Brunch Buffet in The Terrace Room!

1090 Point Lobos, 415.386.3330, www.cliffhouse.com

NEW DELHI RESTAURANT

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160 Ellis St., 415.397.8470, NewDelhiRestaurant.com



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380 Beach Street, Fisherman's Wharf, 415.867.1711, Beachstreetgrillsf.com/Facebook/TripAdvisor/Yelp

BUENA VISTA

First established on Fisherman's Wharf in 1886 and as rich in history as the City itself, the Buena Vista Cafe has served warming libations and hearty meals to patrons from near and far for over 130 years. In more recent history, the "BV" gained new renown in 1952 with the introduction of its world-famous Irish Coffee, which – in addition to its bountiful meals and celebrated views – continues to attract locals and visitors alike. Mon-Fri: 9am - 2am | Sat - Sun: 8am - 2am. All-day breakfast, lunch, dinner served daily. Full bar.

Fisherman's Wharf, 2765 Hyde Street (at Beach), San Francisco, 415.474.5044, www.thebuenavista.com



HARBORVIEW RESTAURANT & BAR

Established in 2018, Harborview Restaurant & Bar is the new "talk of the town" in the Cantonese Chinese Restaurant dining scene in San Francisco. Created with the vision to elevate the caliber of Cantonese style cuisine. Harborview serves delicious dim sum, live seafood and specialty dishes including scrumptious Salt & Pepper Dungeness Crab, Peking Duck, Baked BBQ Pork Buns with Crunchy Sugar Crust and juicy "Black & White" Shanghai Dumplings with Black Truffle. Enjoy panoramic views of The Ferry Building and the Bay Bridge in an elegant yet unpretentious setting. Happy Hour specials daily from 4pm-7pm.

Four Embarcadero, Street level 628.867.7350 harborviewsf.com



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Walt Disney Family Museum

Founded by Walt Disney's eldest daughter, Diane Disney Miller, the Walt Disney Family Museum is celebrating its 10 year anniversary. Housed in one of the iconic brick Montgomery Street barracks that were built in 1895, visitors are taken on a wild journey through Disney's fascinating life. The permanent galleries offer intimate insights into Walt Disney's life thanks to personal artifacts, including the first-known drawing of a certain mouse. 2104 Montgomery St. in the Presidio, 415.345.6800, waltdisney.org

ATTRACTIONS & SIGHTS

ALCATRAZ CRUISES

This is the only way to get to "The Rock," the famous former federal penitentiary. Now it is one of San Francisco's most popular visitor attractions. Pier 33, 415.981.7625.

AQUARIUM OF THE BAY

Visit San Francisco's only waterfront aquarium to get up close with the bay's marine life. Walk through tunnels of water filled with more than 20,000 aquatic animals. Pier 39, 415.623.5300.

COIT TOWER

Upon her death in 1929, Lillie Hitchcock Coit bequeathed funds for the "beautification of the city." Her heirs used the money to build Coit Tower. 1 Telegraph Hill Blvd., 415.249.0995.

CONSERVATORY OF FLOWERS

This botanical wonderland in Golden Gate Park is the oldest wood and glass conservatory in North America. The inside houses nearly 2,000 plant species. 100 John F. Kennedy Drive, 415.831.2090.

CRISSY FIELD

This strikingly scenic waterfront recreation area is a favorite among active locals and visitors. See views of the

Golden Gate Bridge and the city, and find sandy beaches, picnic tables, and more. Located in the Presidio, along Mason St., 415.561.4323.

FERRY BUILDING MARKETPLACE

The historic, renovated ferry terminal at the foot of Market Street is now a world-class food market with more than 40 shops and restaurants featuring some of the area's most prized treats. 415.983.8000.

FISHERMAN'S WHARF

You'll find crab stands along the sidewalks, seafood restaurants and souvenir shops in the historic heart of the city's fishing industry. Several bay charter boats depart from the piers. 415.673.3530.

FORT FUNSTON

This rugged stretch of coastal headlands includes a wild and windy beach at its foot. This beach is a dog's paradise, and visitors also enjoy horseback riding and walking. 500 Skyline Blvd. at John Muir Drive, 415.561.4323.

FORT MASON

Old port piers and warehouses have been transformed into the workspaces, theaters, galleries, museums and event pavilions of the nonprofit Fort Mason Center. 415.345.7500.

GHIRARDELLI SQUARE

The renovated former chocolate factory site is now home to boutiques, restaurants and the original Ghirardelli Ice Cream and Chocolate Shop. 900 North Point St., 415.775.5500.

GOLDEN GATE BRIDGE

One of the most iconic landmarks in the world, the magnificent international orange Golden Gate Bridge defines the city. A stroll down the east side offers stunning views of the city and boats in the bay. Lincoln Boulevard, near Doyle Drive and Fort Point, Presidio, 415.921.5858.

GOLDEN GATE PARK

This urban oasis is home to the de Young Museum, California Academy of Sciences and the Conservatory of Flowers, with baseball and soccer fields, a golf course, disc golf course, tennis and basketball courts, and a running track. Pick up a park map at McLaren Lodge at the east park entrance at Stanyan St. and JFK Drive, 415.831.2700.

GRACE CATHEDRAL

A famous San Francisco landmark, this cathedral inspired by the architecture of Paris' Notre Dame serves as a diverse gathering place for worship, celebration and

conversation. Guided tours available. 1100 California St., 415.749.6300.

IMMIGRANT POINT

Dedicated to all those who came to San Francisco in search of a better life, Immigrant Point is located on the bluffs of the Presidio and offers stunning vistas. Washington Blvd., near the Rob Hill Campground, 415.561.4323.

INSPIRATION POINT

Hike through pines and eucalyptus in the Presidio to Inspiration Point, which offers views of Angel Island and Alcatraz. Located just inside of Arguello Gate. On Arguello Blvd, just north of the Presidio Cafe.

JAPANESE TEA GARDEN

Take a slow stroll among bonsai trees and koi fish in the oldest public Japanese garden in the United States. The garden boasts traditional monuments, bridges, native Japanese plants, ponds and a teahouse. 75 Hagiwara Tea Garden Drive, 415.752.1171.

JAPANTOWN CENTER

The focal point of San Francisco's Japanese neighborhood is the famous Peace Pagoda in Peace Plaza. The surrounding areas contain Japanese supermarkets, bookstores, anime and gift

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LANDS END

Known for its shipwrecks and landslides, this is San Francisco's wildest and rockiest coast. The crown jewel is the scenic Coastal Trail, with views of the Pacific coast and Golden Gate Bridge. 680 Point Lobos Ave., 415.426.5240.

LOMBARD STREET

Eight hairpin switchbacks and the downward pitch of the so-called "crookedest street in the world" have made this block a must-drive for visitors. Lombard and Hyde streets.

MADAME TUSSAUDS SAN FRANCISCO

This famous chain of wax museums is filled with celebrities. You can now get up close and personal with the figures—no more ropes! Snap a pic with your favorite celebrity! 145 Jefferson St.

MARINA GREEN

The Marina Green is a beautiful 74-acre expanse of grass between Fort Mason and the Presidio. The adjacent marina is home to the St. Francis Yacht Club and the Golden Gate Yacht Club. 415.831.5500.

MISSION DOLORES

Completed in 1791, Mission Dolores is the oldest intact building in San Francisco, the city's first church and the sixth of 21 missions built along the El Camino Real from Mexico to Sonoma. 3321 16th St., 415.621.8203.

MISSION DOLORES PARK

This generous square of grass is a great place to soak up some sun on most days and an even better place to get a glimpse of real San Francisco culture. 18th and Dolores streets, 415.831.2700.

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ORACLEPARK

The stadium features a nine-foot tall statue of Willie Mays, an 80-foot Coca-Cola bottle with playground slides and diverse dining options within the stadium. 24 Willie Mays Plaza, 415.972.2000.

PAINTED LADIES

This row of seven pastel Victorian homes (made famous by the opening credits of "Full House") lines the eastern side of Alamo Square park. This stretch of homes is often called Postcard Row. 710-720 Steiner St.

PALACE OF FINE ARTS

This domed rotunda is all that remains from the 1915

Panama Pacific International Exposition. Featuring a lagoon with swans, today this is a popular spot to stroll and take photos. 3301 Lyon St., 415.563.6504.

PIER 39

This family-friendly shopping, dining and entertainment destination near Fisherman's Wharf features more than 90 specialty shops and 14 restaurants with beautiful bay views, including Alcatraz, the Golden Gate Bridge and city skyline. 415.705.5500.

THE PRESIDIO

A patchwork of eucalyptus groves, freshwater creeks, wildflower-splashed sand dunes and coastal prairie covers the Presidio, a historic former military post and modern-day national park in the northwest corner of the city. Accessed via Washington Blvd., 15th Ave., 25th Ave.,

Arguello Blvd., Presidio Ave. and Chestnut St., 415.561.4323.

PRESIDIO OFFICERS' CLUB

San Francisco's oldest building is also home to Arguello, a Mexican restaurant from chef Traci Des Jardins. 50 Moraga Ave., 415.561.4400.

RIPLEY'S BELIEVE IT OR NOT! MUSEUM

This museum houses more than 400 mind-boggling and bizarre exhibits. Seventy interactive displays appeal to people of all ages. The ODDitorium includes a Marvelous Mirror Maze. 175 Jefferson St., 415.202.9850.

SAN FRANCISCO BOTANICAL GARDEN

This internationally recognized urban oasis and self-de-

scribed outdoor classroom includes 55 acres of gardens displaying more than 8,000 different kinds of plants, plus a library, bookstore, family activities and guided walks. 1119 9th Ave., 415.368.5406.

SAN FRANCISCO MARITIME NATIONAL HISTORICAL PARK

The historic park offers opportunities to tour several historic ships. The visitors center in the nearby Argonaut Hotel (499 Jefferson St.) features interactive exhibits. Hyde St. Pier, 2905 Hyde St., 415.561.7000.

SEA LION CENTER

The sea lions at Pier 39 have become a world-famous tourist attraction. Now sightseers have the chance to learn about the creatures at the Sea Lion Center. 203 Pier 39, Embarcadero at Beach St., 415.705.5500.



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STOW LAKE

This man-made lake has provided an escape from city living since 1893. Rent a row-boat, pedal boat or electric boat and gently cruise under the many bridges and visit the waterfall. *50 Stow Lake Drive, 415.702.1390.*

THE WOMEN'S BUILDING MURAL

This spectacular mural is a culmination of collaboration between seven women artists and was painted in 1994. Its themes include the healing power of women's wisdom and the contributions of women throughout history. *3543 18th St., 415.431.1180.*

TRANSAMERICA PYRAMID

Many critics claimed that an obelisk-shaped skyscraper didn't belong in San Francisco. The iconic pyramid is now a source of great city pride and includes 500,000 square feet of office space. *600 Montgomery St., 415.829.5423.*

YERBA BUENA GARDENS

The Yerba Buena Gardens offer nine different types of gardens, a center for the arts, a carousel, an MLK memorial, an ice-skating rink and bowling center, plus child care facilities. *750 Howard St., 415.820.3550.*

THE SAN FRANCISCO ZOO

A vast array of wildlife awaits at this facility near the far edge of Ocean Beach. The attractions include a children's petting zoo and a lemur forest. *Sloat Blvd. at Great Highway, 415.753.7080.*

BAY AREA ANGEL ISLAND

This small island just off the Tiburon Peninsula offers hiking and biking trails, campsites, picnic facilities and spectacular views of the city. Bike rentals, open-air tram tours and concessions are offered daily. *Purchase tickets from Blue and Gold Fleet or the Tiburon Ferry, 415.435.3972.*

BAY AREA DISCOVERY MUSEUM

This interactive learning center suits children up to age 10. Children can play outdoors, design and create hi-tech projects, explore art mediums, and build oversized structures. *557 McReynolds Road, Sausalito, 415.339.3900.*

THE BLACKHAWK MUSEUM

The Blackhawk Museum has two galleries: the automotive gallery displays rare, classic cars and vintage sports cars, and The Spirit of the Old West gallery presents the American Westward Expansion. *3700 Blackhawk Plaza Circle, Danville, 925.736.2280.*

MARIN HEADLANDS

Protected valleys and beaches offer opportunities for hiking, biking and picnics. Rodeo Beach offers a dog-friendly place to relax. The still-active, 150-year-old Point Bonita Lighthouse is accessible via a hiking trail. *Fort Barry, Building 9498, Sausalito, 415.331.1540.*

MOUNT TAMALPAIS STATE PARK

Known foremost as Mt. Tam, Marin County's highest mountain is ideal for hiking, cycling, horseback riding and even hang gliding. Views from the summit include the snow-capped Sierra Nevada mountain range, the Farallon Islands and San Francisco high-rises. *415.388.2070.*

MUIR BEACH

This serene beach is three miles west of Muir Woods. Visitors can explore the old military stations, hike to the tip of a rocky promontory and try to spot migrating blue whales. *415.561.4700.*

MUIR WOODS NATIONAL MONUMENT

This grove of redwoods is full of 400-800 years old trees that grow over 250 feet high, plus a plethora of other wildlife. Parking and shuttle reservations required. *1 Muir Woods Road, Mill Valley, 415.561.2850.*

SONOMA INTERNATIONAL FILM FESTIVAL

The Sonoma International Film Festival takes places in California wine country and features over 90 films ranging from independent features, documentaries, world cinema and short films. *Visit the website for information on participating venues, dates and times. 707.933.2600.*

STINSON BEACH

The three-and-a-half-mile stretch is ideal for swimming, surfing and sun bathing. A 51-acre park adjacent to the beach has more than 100 picnic tables and a snack bar. *Parking available at 332 Seadrift Road.*

WINCHESTER MYSTERY HOUSE

The Winchester Rifle heiress spent 38 years directing construction of her 160-room home, full of stairs that lead

to the ceiling, decor done in multiples of 13 and doors that open to nowhere. *525 S. Winchester Blvd., San Jose, 408.247.2000.*

MUSEUMS

BEAT MUSEUM

Dedicated to the poetry and social movement that made San Francisco a part of literary history, this museum showcases artifacts from authors such as Jack Kerouac and Lawrence Ferlinghetti. *540 Broadway St., 800.537.6822.*

CALIFORNIA ACADEMY OF SCIENCES

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This educational center offers an array of interactive scientific exhibits and hands-on displays that stimulate the senses and minds of the young and old alike. *Pier 15, 415.528.4444.*

GLBT HISTORY MUSEUM

Celebrating 100 years of the San Francisco gay, lesbian, bisexual and transgender community's history, this museum is the only one of its kind in the U.S. and the second in the world. *4127 18th St., 415.621.1107.*

HAAS-LILIENTHAL HOUSE

This 1886 Queen Anne-style Victorian is the only intact private home of the period open regularly as a museum, complete with authentic furniture and artifacts. One-hour guided tours leave every 20 to 30 minutes. *2007 Franklin St., 415.441.3000.*

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Visit one of the world's largest privately-owned collections of coin-operated mechanical music boxes and antique arcade games in working condition. Free admission. *Pier 45 at Taylor St. on Fisherman's Wharf, 415.346.2000.*

SAN FRANCISCO RAILWAY MUSEUM

This museum near the Ferry Building celebrates the history of San Francisco rail transit with historic artifacts, displays and archival photography. *77 Stuart St., 415.974.1948.*

SPORTS BATTER'S BOX SF

The freshly opened, 2,000-square-foot facility in the Presidio packs softball and baseball batting cages, all equipped with HD video screens so you know when the pitch is about to be fired. *933 Mason St., 707.412.8228.*

GOLDEN STATE WARRIORS

The Bay Area's professional basketball team currently plays at the Oracle Arena in Oakland. *Oracle Arena, 7000 Coliseum Way, Oakland, 510.986.2200. For tickets: 888.479.4667.*

MISSION CLIFFS ROCK CLIMBING CENTER

The Harrison Street location has 23,000 square feet of climbing, including some of the highest indoor climbing. It also offers indoor cycling, yoga, a weight room and 2,000 square feet of boul-

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PLANET GRANITE

Located in the Presidio by the Golden Gate Bridge, this indoor climbing gym boasts 25,000 square feet of climbing terrain, a full fitness and cardio area and two yoga studios. *924 Mason St., 415.692.3434.*

SAN FRANCISCO 49ERS

The NFL team plays at the Levi's Stadium. Visitors can take a tour and visit the 49ers Museum. *4900 Marie P. DeBartolo Way, Santa Clara, 415.464.9377.*

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BAY CRUISES

BLUE AND GOLD FLEET

Blue & Gold Fleet offers tours of the Bay and Alcatraz. A free multi-language audio tour is available on select tours in nine languages. Bring your Wi-Fi enabled device to access the tour. Pier 41, 415.705.8200.

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PUBLIC TRANSPORTATION

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This is a free mobile and web source for up-to-the-minute transportation information, covering the nine-county San

Francisco Bay Area. Just dial 511 or check the website.

BART

Bay Area Rapid Transit trains serve the city of San Francisco as well as San Francisco and Oakland International airports, Berkeley, Oakland and other Bay Area destinations. Trains run until midnight daily. 510.464.7134.

BUSES

Golden Gate Transit provides regional fixed-route bus service from San Francisco to Marin and Sonoma counties. **AC Transit** offers frequent connections to and from San Francisco and the East Bay, and service within Oakland, Berkeley and other East Bay cities.

CABLE CARS

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AT&T PARK TOUR

AT&T Park offers tours where you can walk through the places only the players and coaches go, including the Giants' dugout, the visitors' clubhouse and the field. 24 Willie Mays Plaza, 415.972.2400.

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BIG BUS TOURS

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CITY SIGHTSEEING

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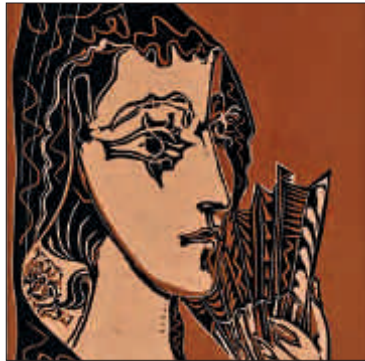
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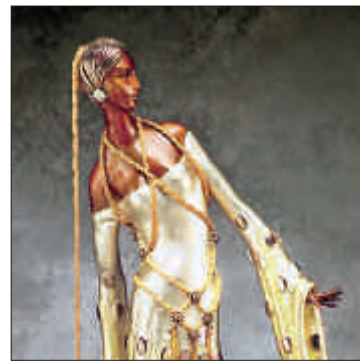
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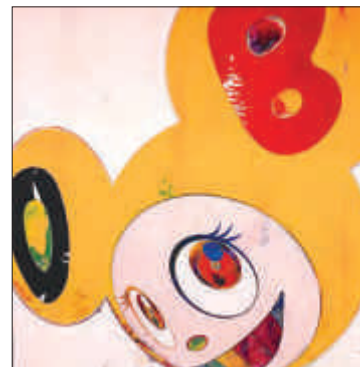
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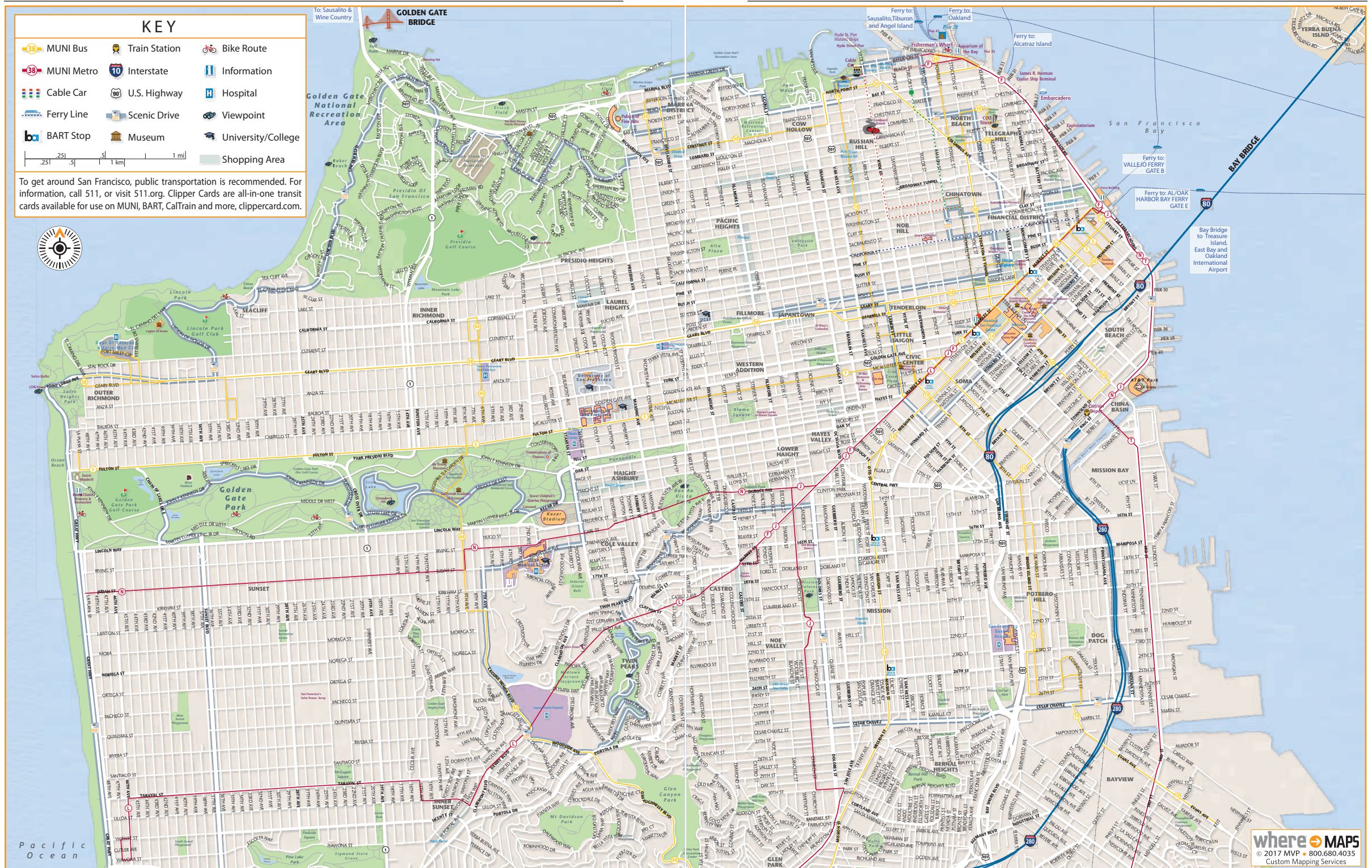
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—Tatiana Takaeva, gallery owner of ARTitud, @ARTitud

Alice and Olivia

My favorite boutique in San Francisco is Alice and Olivia on Fillmore. James, their in-store style

consultant, is a treasure of information about any and all products and he also wears them himself!

—Heide VanDoren Betz, Art Historian; Fine Arts Consultant Ancient Art; @HeideBetz

Joseph Domingo

Joseph Domingo, who is a fabulous local San Francisco designer has created five of my tuxedo jackets including the one I wore on the red carpet at the Grammy's.

—Joel Goodrich, The Wall Street Journal List of Top US Agents, @JoelGoodrich

Christian Louboutin

Christian Louboutin is my favorite store in the city, tucked away on Maiden Lane. Their collection of shoes is fantastic. I love the red soles and the many creative designs they have for men.

—Mark A. Calvano, Principle Calvano Development, @markcalvano

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