

Use #37Things and tweet or Instagram to @insidehook this summer. Include a pic.

we'll be doling out prizes all summer long.

Editor's Note



Welcome to summer.

To properly get you in the mood, do the following:

First, go put on Sly and the Family Stone's "Hot Fun in the Summertime." That's a must.

Then, read this: our first summer guide, compiled with help from our friends at Mount Gay Rum. We call it 37 Things.

Why 37? By our Gregorian calculations, there are 37 free days between Memorial Day weekend and the fall equinox. Fifteen Saturdays. Fifteen

Sundays. Three bank holidays. And let's say four vacation days, so you can go ahead and take the week of July 4th completely off.

Among the 37 things: adventure (BASE jumping; a race called Death). A brand new wardrobe. A few cocktails.

And, yes, a little music: a playlist of the bands you're most likely to encounter during your summertime fun (sadly, no Sly).

You've got your guide. Now use it wisely, gentlemen.





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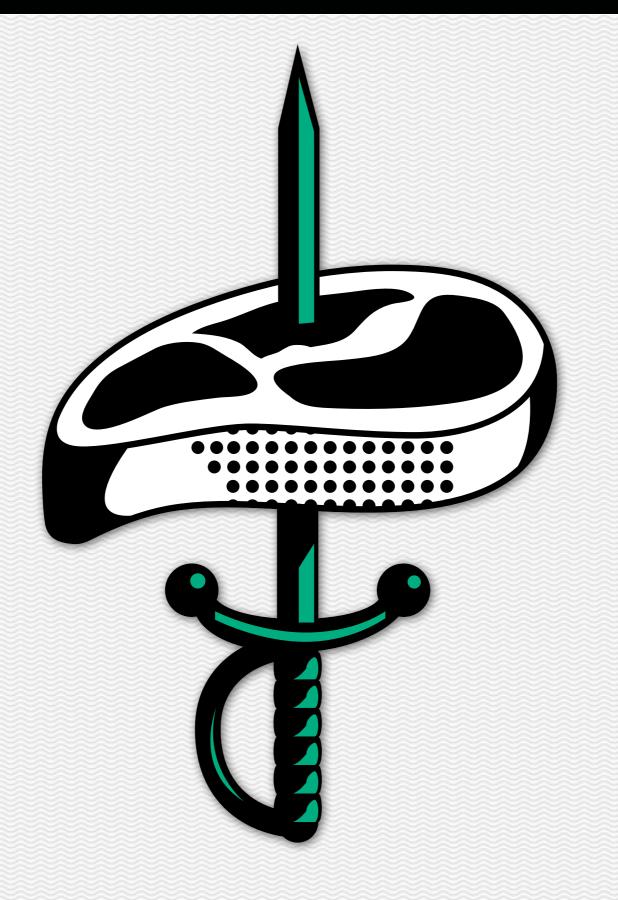
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FOOD & DRINK

Dining



Outstanding in the Field



Share dinner and wine from your area's finest chefs in the great outdoors.

outstandinginthefield.com



Stella Artois Belgian Cider





Just launched, this is the first cider (here pronounced "see-dre") that will appeal to guys as much as girls. Subtle, crisp and not too sweet.

stellaartois.com



Belcampo



A storied SF eatery (with amazing food, like the pictured Bully Burger) now offering their grass-fed beef via the mail. A full rack of Wagyu beef, known as "The Best Rack," will only set you back \$2,000.

belcampomeatco.com





New Belgium Tour de Fat

A family-friendly celebration of beer and bicycles, and a good place to test out four new (and secret) brews.

newbelgium.com





Uproot Wines

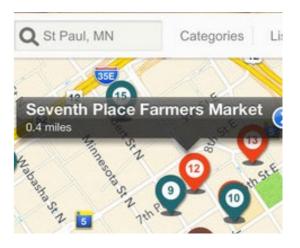


Silicon meets Napa Valley at this vino startup, where color-coded tasting notes are appended to bottles of Sauv Blanc and Cabernet Sauvignon.

drinkuproot.com



Food Tripping



An app for finding the finer and/or healthier options when you're on the road, from farmers markets to microbreweries.

shft.com/foodtripping



The Picnic

Your Ultimate Basket by Mantry and Club W



The Perfect Picnic. Because she wants to go. Because you want to make her happy. And because you can do better than baby carrots and hummus. So we asked Mantry and Club W (among others) to suggest a few items. You're welcome.





Cocktail Recipes



King St. Sour

Credit: David Delaney Jr. of Still & Stir in Worcester, MA

Ingredients

1/2 oz Zacapa Rum

3/8 oz Tanqueray No. Ten Gin

1/2 oz Orgeat syrup

3/8 oz fresh lime juice

3/8 oz egg white

1 dash bitters

Directions

Add egg white into mixing tin and dry-shake for 10 seconds. Add Zacapa, Tanqueray, orgeat syrup, lime juice and bitters into shaker, add ice, shake vigorously and double-strain into chilled glass. Garnish with fresh grated nutmeg and serve in a coupe.



The Parrot's Grog

Credit: Theo Lieberman of Milk & Honey in NYC

Ingredients

1 oz Campari

5 oz Smith & Cross

1 oz fresh grapefruit juice

.5 oz fresh lime juice

.5 oz honey syrup

Directions

Combine all ingredients, shake and strain over fresh ice. Top with club soda, serve with umbrella and paper straw.

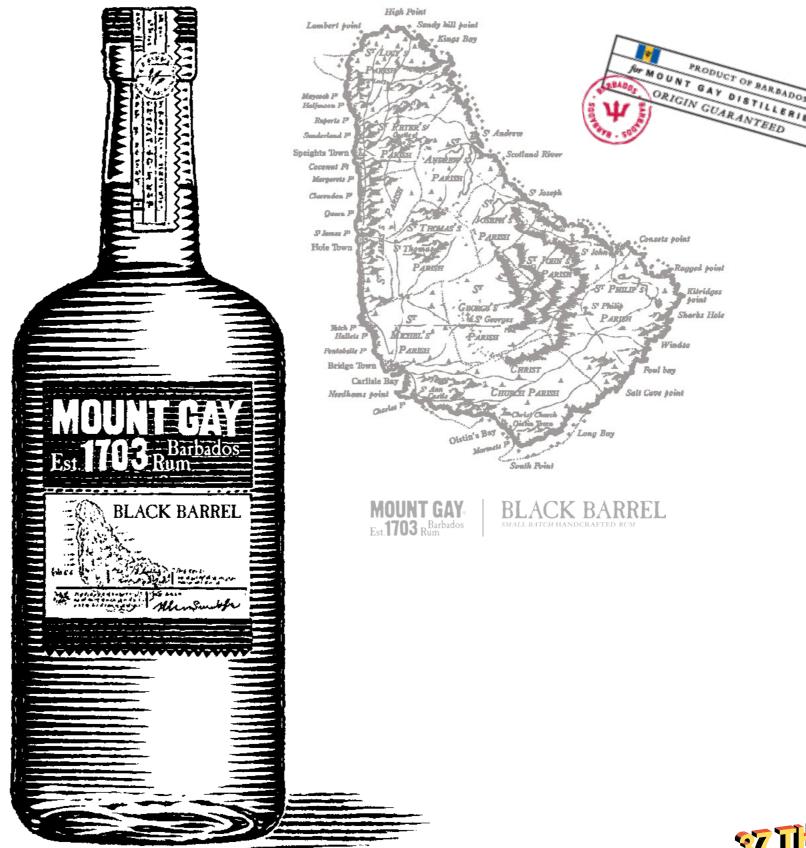




Mount Gay Black Barrel

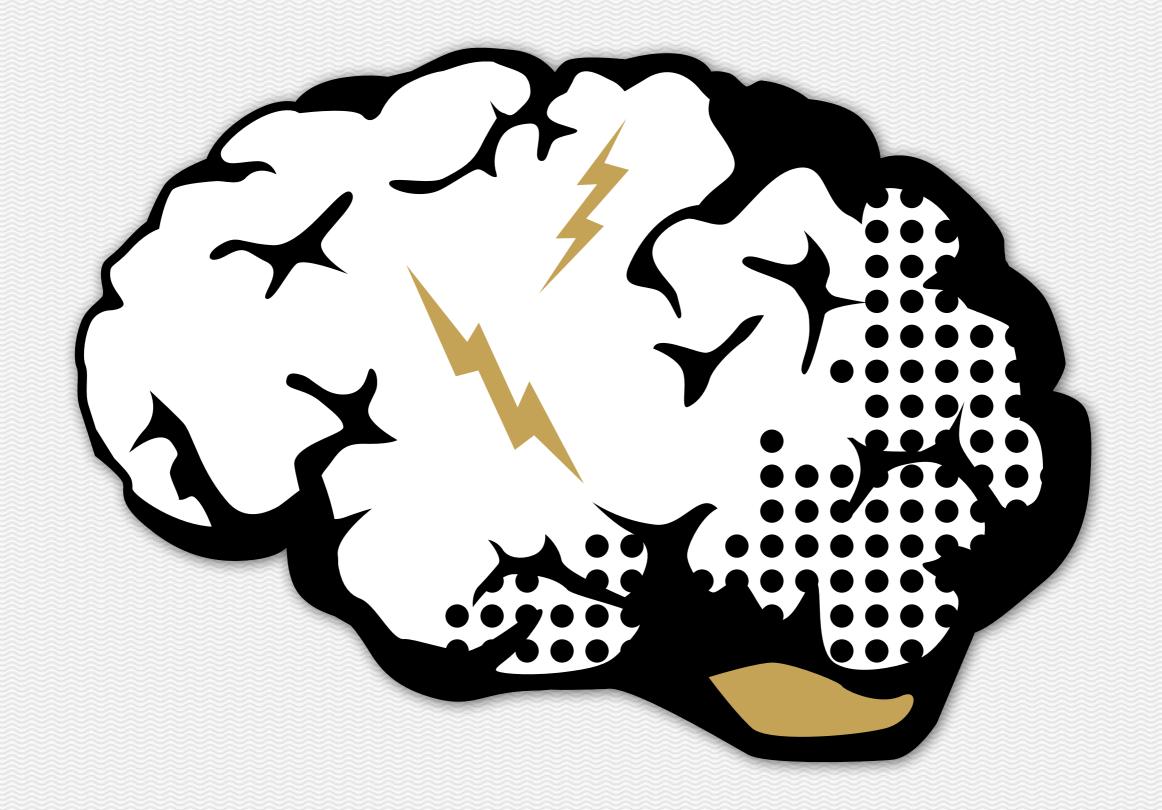
This, among all things.

There's a time and a place for all things. This summer, make time for Mount Gay Black Barrel, a double matured rum from the inventors of rum. First matured in toasted whiskey barrels then finished in deeply charred bourbon barrels, Mount Gay Black Barrel balances full-bodied character with subtle aromas. Like a fine bourbon or scotch, Black Barrel is best enjoyed neat or on the rocks. Here's to summer.









CULTURE

Outdoor Fun

From BASE jumping to recreating the first flight, your feet may never touch the ground.

B.A.S.E. = buildings, antennas,

spans (bridges)

and earth (cliffs).



Moab B.A.S.E. Jumping

A husband-and-wife team lead you on tandem BASE jumps from 1000-ft. cliffs.

Moab B.A.S.E Adventures Moab, UT moabbaseadventures.com



Gunstock Treetop Adventures

Opens May 18

Ziplining, camping, treetop adventure courses and more in New England. Bonus: family suitable.

Gunstock Mt. Resort Gilford, NH gunstock.com 603-293-4341



Trek Travel Crater Lake & Oregon Cascades

July and August

Explore the temperate climate of Oregon via bike during late summer and experience luxury amenities.

Trek Travel Eugene, OR <u>trektravel.com</u> 866-464-8735



The Resort at Paws Up

All Summer

Luxury tents along the beautiful Blackfoot River. Oh, and camp butlers.

The Resort at Paws Up Montana pawsup.com 800-472-0601



Kitty Hawk Dune Hang Glide

All Summer

Celebrate 100 years of flight with hang gliding lessons, then hit up a kiteboarding camp down the street.

Kitty Hawk Kites Hang Gliding School Nags Head, NC <u>kittyhawk.com</u> 252-441-2426

"...And
camp
butlers."







Kalon Surf

All Year

A luxury surf resort in Costa Rica, with one-onone surf lessons by day, private chefs and luxury suites at night.

Kalon Surf Costa Rica kalonsurf.com 949-342-6215



The Death Race



The name's no joke. A 48-hour obstacle course with cinder blocks, chopping axes and barbed wire, both over land and through water.

Spartan Death Race Pittsfield, VT youmaydie.com

$\underset{\mathrm{Online}}{\text{Wilderness App}}$



For your camping adventures: a quick and (relatively) painless first-aid app for for nearly any wilderness emergency.

Wilderness wfa-app.com

The ultimate Spartan race promises 90% of its participants will fail.



Shows

You'll have to go somewhere else for one of those exhaustive lists of every single show. These right here? These are the three we're definitely not missing.



Matt & Kim

all summer mattandkimmusic.com



Q & A

"You can't really pin down our music." So says Matt of Matt & Kim, the ever-upbeat Brooklyn indie-pop duo that's booked on ... well, pretty much every single summer festival this season (17 of 'em, actually). Why? They fit anywhere, says Matt. Here are more reasons why the M&K are this summer's go-to live band.

During your recents show, you've introduced Kim as "my partner in doing it." How's that going over?

(Laughs) That one does come up here and there. My parents were at one of those. I probably should have classed it up, but that's not my style.

We calculated — you're playing

about 17 festivals this summer. What is it about big shows that you like?

I like places that open doors to people who haven't heard of us. It's a challenge: I want those people to leave our show and think it was fun.

How do you stay cool during a summer fest?

Just mentally picture that it's freezing cold, but you're in a warm and cozy place.

Have you ever had a moment during a bigger show when you've been like, "Uh oh. This isn't our crowd?"





I feel we make sense wherever — we just jump around and get wild. We did Ultra Festival this year — it's an electronic festival, very different for us. In typical Matt & Kim fashion, we won everyone over. It's actually the more traditional rock fests where it's more difficult — people are like "No guitars? A Ludacris cover? What?" But there aren't too many beer cans thrown at us.

What band are you looking forward to seeing?

We never get to watch the bands we want to see! We come in, do our thing and have to leave. It's a frustration of mine.

So, one summer fest you're not playing is Metallica's Orion Festival. How'd you miss that?

That'd be a good challenge. We've supported loud or heavy bands bands before. There were haters, but in the end, we've been successful. And it'd be fun! I've done my share of headbanging. I've had my share of "bangovers."



Newport Folk Festival



Folk in name only, the long running music fest is now – thanks to retro-y music trends – possibly the coolest fest of the year. Featuring Beck, the Avett Brothers, Frank Turner, Feist, The Lumineers, Jim James and dozens more.

July 26-28 newportfolkfest.net



Lollapalooza



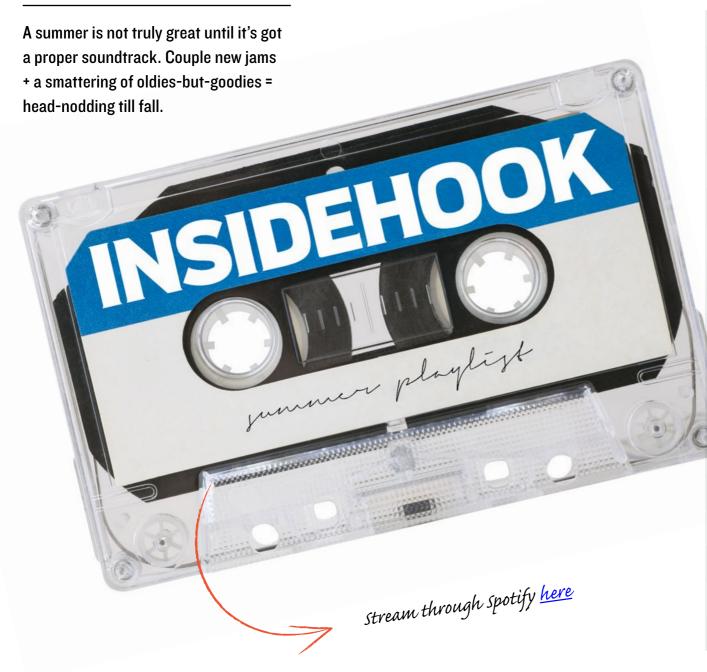
Still the reigning champ of alternative music, featuring The Cure, The Killers, Nine Inch Nails, New Order, Vampire Weekend, Hot Chip and more.

Aug. 2-4 lollapalooza.com



The Playlist

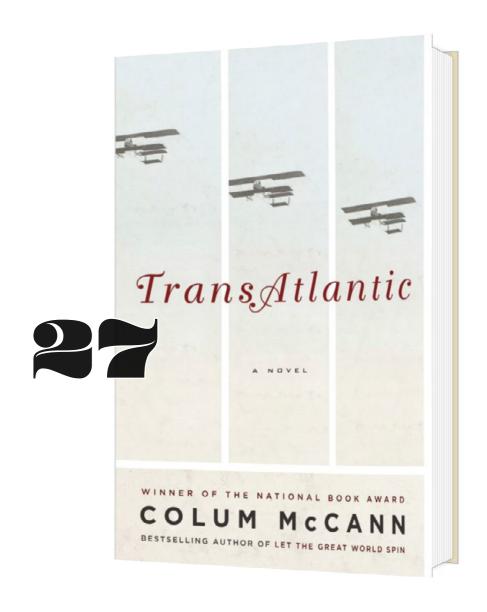




- 01 Ready For The Weekend by Icona Pop
- 02 The House That Heaven Built by Japandroids
- 03 Alive M4SONIC Remix by Empire Of The Sun
- 04 My God Is the Sun by Queens Of The Stone Age
- 05 Let's Go by Matt & Kim
- 06 Heavy Feet by Local Natives
- 37 Stubborn Love by The Lumineers
- 08 Diane Young by Vampire Weekend
- 09 I Wanna Dance [But I Don't Know How] by SKATERS
- 10 Ain't Messin 'Round by Gary Clark Jr.
- 11 Hold On by Alabama Shakes
- 12 Myth by Beach House
- 13 American Girl Live by Tom Petty And The Heartbreakers
- 14 Looks Good With Trouble (feat. Kendrick Lamar) by Solange
- 15 Yet Again by Grizzly Bear
- 16 It's Time Passion Pit Remix by Imagine Dragons
- 17 Geri by Superhumanoids
- 18 Aunt Betty by Middle Class Rut



Summer Reading





A literary epic spanning continents, centuries and grand historical figures.

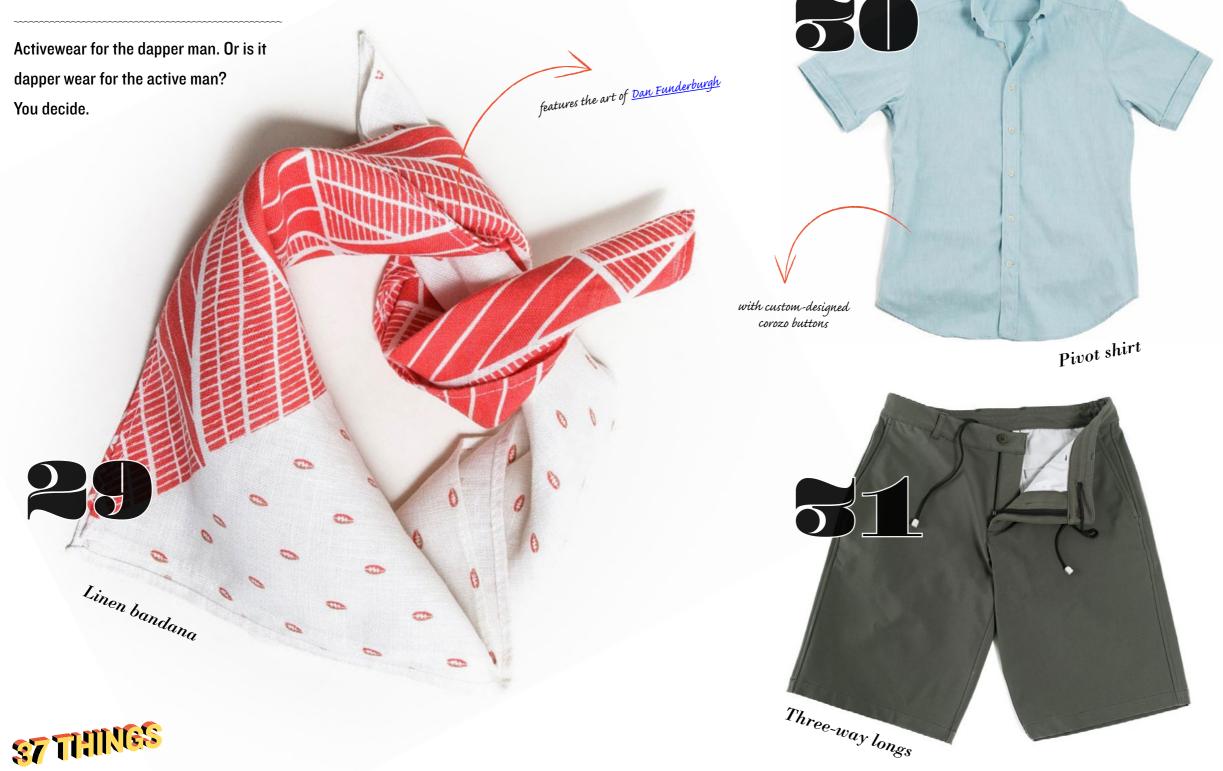
A taxi driver's wild ride in an apocalyptic future.



STYLE

Outlier

outlier.cc



Unis

unisnewyork.com





 $Shuron\ Sidewinder\ Black\ sunglasses$





Merz B. Schwanen Blue Grey t-shirt





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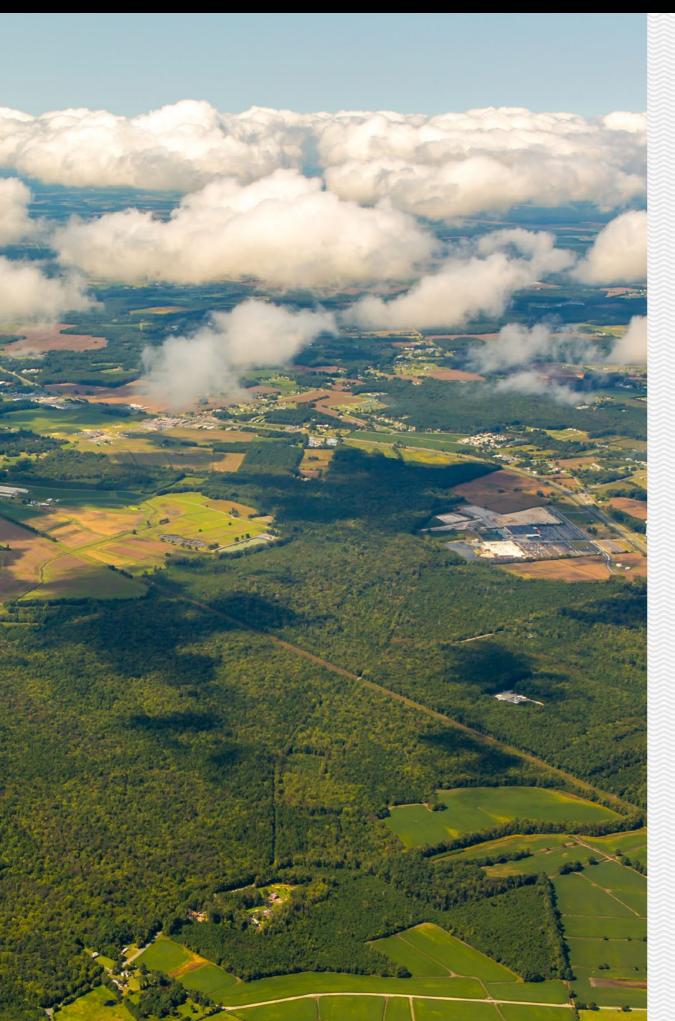
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