Welcome to the Big Apple, where vibrant streets and iconic landmarks await cyclists.

Pedal through bustling neighborhoods, feel the wind in your hair as you criss-cross the world-famous Central Park, and witness the towering skyscrapers that define the city's skyline. This guided bike tour offers an exhilarating way to immerse yourself in the sights, sounds, and energy of the city while uncovering hidden gems and local secrets along the way. Get ready for a two-wheeled adventure that combines the joy of cycling with an unforgettable journey through the heart of New York City.

Some things to remember before you leave the hotel:

- Bring comfortable shoes.
 - Check the weather forecast and plan accordin-
- gly.
- Bring your cash and card, as some places are cash only.
- Remember sunscreen and your refillable water
- bottle.
 - Get a New York Pass or Go City Pass to save money on attractions.

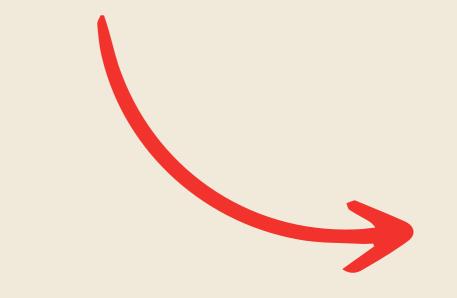
By Bike

If you need to rent a bike, you can check this website out for prices and times: https://bikerentalcentralpark.com/ (prices are cheaper if you book in advance)

A few tips:

- Wear a helmet.
- Don't forget to lock your bike every time you leave it.
- Bring some water, of course, and a refillable water bottle is best.
 Remember the sunscreen.

Let's get started!



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THE SEEKER'S GUIDE #5

4 Ways to Discover New York by bike in 5 Days







Ride about 10 blocks down Central Park West until you reach the Museum of Natural History: Time required: 2 - 2.5 hrs (approx) Attraction price: \$23 per adult Hours of operation: Monday to Sunday: 10 AM - 5:30 PM

DAY 4



Go to the back of the museum to find 79th St and Columbus Ave. Continue for 2 blocks on 79th street until you find Broadway and turn right for 1 block to find Zabar's:

Time required: 40 minutes Hours of Operation: Monday to Saturday: 8 AM - 7:30 PM / Sunday: 9 AM - 6 PM

This iconic gourmet food emporium offers a wide array of delicacies, including specialty cheeses, smoked fish, baked goods, and a vast selection of international foods. With its bustling atmosphere and reputation for exceptional culinary delights, Zabar's is a destination that captures the essence of New York City's storied food culture.



Central Park West

of Reservoir

Take the West Dr trail until you see the reservoir:

Time required: 30 minutes (approx) The Reservoir in Central Park is an iconic feature of the park's landscape. With its tranquil waters and scenic views, it provides a peaceful oasis for joggers, walkers, and nature enthusiasts.



Lincoln Center Plaza

Head towards West 66th St and continue for 2 blocks (exiting the park) to Columbus Ave,

Time required: 30 minutes (approx)



then turn left and continue 1 more block to Lincoln center:

This plaza is a gathering place for music, dance, theater, and film enthusiasts. With its stunning fountain, grand architecture, and bustling atmosphere, Lincoln Center Plaza serves as a focal point for New York City's cultural scene.



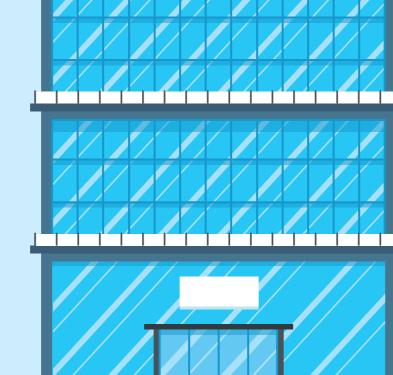
DAY 5

Strawberry Fields

Go back the way you came to reach West Dr (then turn left to enter Terrace Dr) but this time you will continue straight down, and at that intersection, to find the John Lennon memorial:

Time required: 10 minutes This memorial dedicated to the legendary musician John Lennon serves as a place of remembrance and peace, adorned with flowers and the famous "Imagine" mosaic, where visitors can pay tribute to Lennon's legacy.





Head down 4 blocks until you reach:

The Shops at Columbus Circle

Hours of Operation: Monday to Saturday: 10AM — **8PM / Sunday: 11 AM — 7PM** This shopping mall is perfect for a food or water break, or a shopping excursion.



Continue along West Dr until you reach a huge grass esplanade, perfect for a rest:

Sheep Meadow

Time required: However long you'd

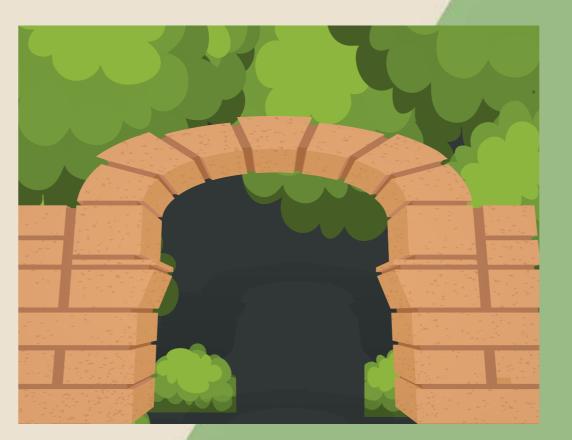
like to relax. This is where people come together to enjoy the simple pleasures of life. Whether it's spreading out a picnic blanket, playing games with friends, or basking in the warm sun, this expansive grassy area offers a sense of connection and a moment of relaxa-



From the hotel, go to 6th Ave, turn left and ride 13 blocks to 59th St, turn right for 1 block to the entrance of Central Park.

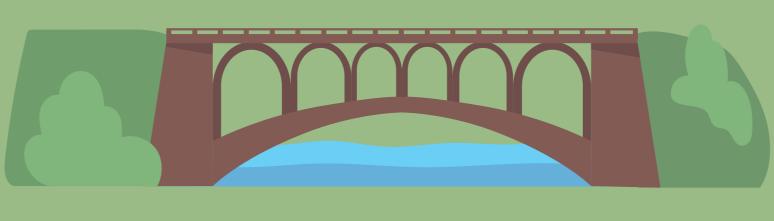
Central Park

Hours of Operation: Monday to Sunday: 6 AM -1 AM Places to stop (In order, to optimize your time in the park): The Pond, Central Park, Carousel, The Mall, Bethesda Terrace, Belvedere Castle.



Glen Span Arch

Head down the Loch Walking Path until you find Glen Span Arch: Time required: 15 minutes Glen Span Arch showcases stunning architectural design, and adds a touch of grandeur to the park's scenery.



Head back on Broadway to 79th St, go 2 blocks to the museum, walk around the museum, enter Central Park and continue along the W77th St trail which then becomes West Dr. Turn left on Terrace Dr until you reach Matys St, turn right and continue the path to the Bow Bridge:

Bow Bridge

Time required: 10 - 15 minutes A picturesque cast-iron bridge in Central Park, the Bow Bridge is a symbol of romance and tranquility. Spanning across The Lake, it offers stunning views of the park's surrounding beauty, including the shimmering water, lush greenery, and iconic city skyline. To no surprise, it's a popular spot for wedding photos.





Enter Central Park at 102nd St and

pedal all the way that will later

become East Dr until you reach

Huddlestone Arch, located in Central

graceful design and intricate details

Park, is a picturesque stone structure. Its-

make it a popular spot for photographs.

Huddlestone Arch

Huddlestone Arch:

Time required: 15 minutes

Solomon R.

Time required: 1.50 - 2 hours (approx) Attraction price: \$25 per adult Hours of Operation: Monday to Sunday from 11 AM – 6 PM The Solomon R. Guggenheim Museum, a masterpiece of modern architecture, stands as an artistic marvel on New York City's Upper East Side. It's spiraling, cylindrical structure houses an impressive collection of contemporary and modern art, inviting visitors to explore.

Cross 79th St, enter the park

The Metropolitan

Time required: 2:30-3 hours

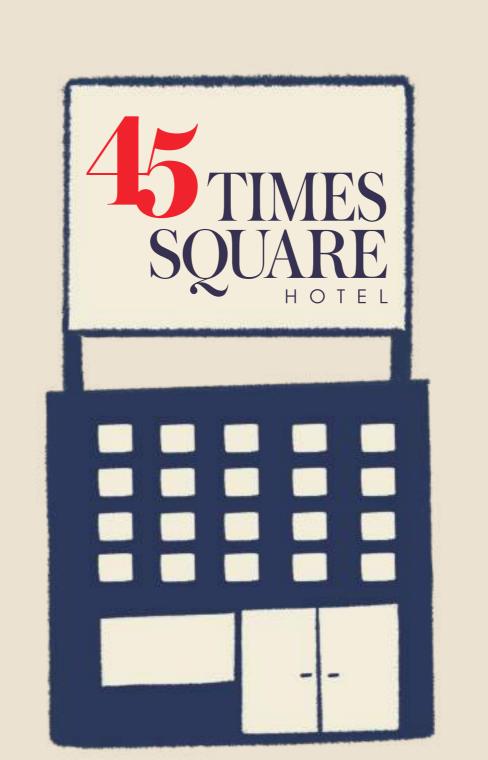
Cost: \$25 per adult Hours: Monday, Tuesday, Thursday: 10 AM - 5 PM / Friday to Sunday: 10 AM- 9 PM The MET is a world-renowned cultural institution in New York City. With its vast collection spanning over 5,000 years of art history, the MET offers a captivating journey through civilizations and artistic masterpieces. From ancient Egyptian artifacts to European paintings, Asian sculptures, and contemporary works, the museum showcases the breadth and depth of human creativity. With its iconic steps and grand halls, the MET is a must-visit destination for art lovers and a true treasure trove of artistic inspiration

in the heart of NYC.



Museum of the

Exit central park and cross the street to see the New York



Starting Point



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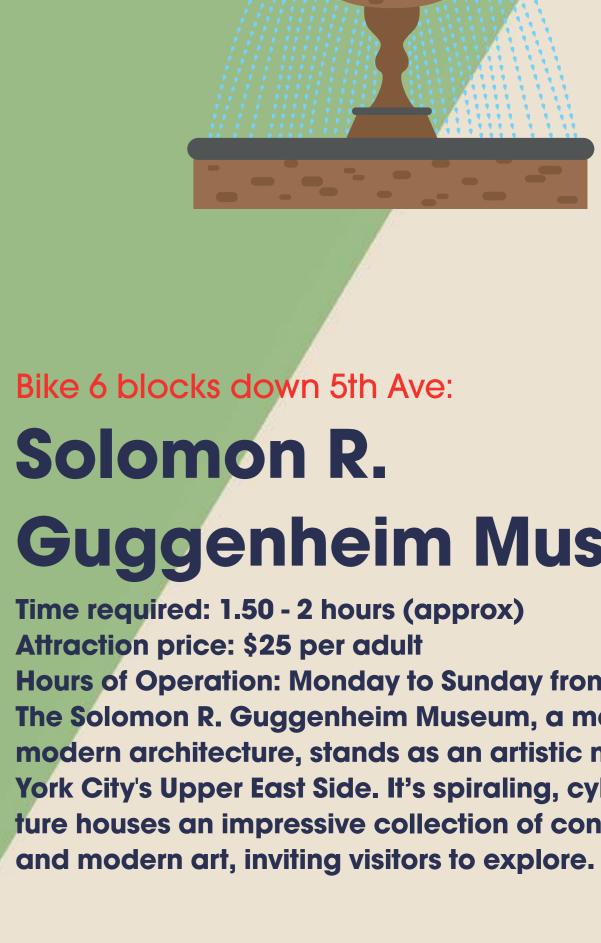
Magnolia Bakery

Pedal 12 blocks on Broadway to 46th St, continue on 7th Ave for 1 more block, then turn onto 45th St to return to the hotel.









DAY 3

Garden

from 8 AM - 6 PM

Conservatory

Bike 12 blocks along 5th Avenue

Hours of operation: Monday to Sunday

The Conservatory Garden in Central

Park is a serene oasis of beauty and

tranquility. Its meticulously manicured

lawns, vibrant floral displays, and ele-

gant fountains offer a peaceful escape

from the bustling city, providing a haven

for relaxation and contemplation.

until you reach the garden:

Time required: 30 minutes



and go to the MET:

Museum of Art





museum: Time required: 1.5 hours

Attraction price: \$20 per adult Hours of operation: Thursday: 10 am - 9 pm / Friday to Monday: 10 am - 5 pm The Museum of the City of New York, located in Manhattan, is a captivating institution that celebrates the rich history and diverse culture of the city. Through its exhibits and collections, the museum offers a fascinating glimpse into the past, present, and future of New York, providing visitors with a deeper understanding and appreciation of this vibrant metropolis.

