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Subways

1 Canal, Franklin or Chambers, 2/3 Chambers, A/C / E Canal, 6 Canal/Bway

Things to Do

- Home of the famous **Tribeca Film Festival** (April), Robert DeNiro’s project, to promote commerce downtown after 9/11
- **Duane Park, Finn Square** and **Tribeca Park** – three small areas surrounded by history and old-meets-new architecture. Check out the converted warehouses that are now some of America’s most expensive homes.
- **Washington Market Park** (Washington/Jay Sts) - playground and weekly farmers market.
- **Hudson River Park and River Promenade** - cross the West Side Highway at Chambers to enjoy a stroll from Battery Park City to Chelsea along the water. Watch the runners, bikers, bladers, views of the Hudson, rent a Kayak (free), stop at the Nike Runners kiosk and “test drive” sneakers.

Restaurants

- **Bubby’s** (120 Hudson St, N Moore) – one of the city’s best brunch spots, spicy Bloody Mary’s, comfort food and great for kids. Long weekend lines.
- **Nobu** (105 Hudson, Franklin) – top NYC sushi restaurant (\$\$\$\$). More casual, less expensive (but not cheap) version at **Nobu Next Door**.
- **Tribeca Grill** (375 Greenwich St, Franklin)– owned by DeNiro and buddies, often a patron, along with much of his crowd. Food is good, not the best.
- **Bouley** (163 Duane St, Hudson) – top NYC French, \$45 lunch, \$85 dinner. Wonderful food and a view overlooking Duane Park. Craving dessert or a snack? **Bouley Bakery** is rated for its brunch and best hot chocolate in NYC.
- **Odeon** (145 W Bway, Thomas) – American Brasserie known for being the original inventor of the “Sex and the City” cosmopolitan.
- **Bubbles Lounge** (228 W Bway, White St) – night spot, champagne lounge with oysters and caviar.
- More Casual/inexpensive local favorites - **Puffy’s Tavern** (81 Hudson St, Harrison/Jay) – dive bar with cheap beer, **Mudville 9** (126 Chambers St, W Bway/ Church) – great sports bar and wings, **Capri Cafe** (165 Church St, Chambers/ Reade) - small Italian restaurant owned by 2 Italian brothers with great fresh pasta (and a \$6.95 prix-fixe lunch deal). Cash only. **Kitchenette** (156 Chambers St, W Bway) – very kid friendly, **Petite Abeille** (W Bway) - Belgian mussels and fries, nice outdoor patio.

Shopping

- **Franklin Street** – cobblestone street with converted warehouses that are now art galleries, home décor shops, antique stores and bars
- **SoHo Photo Gallery** (15 White St, Church) – over 100 artists and photographers exhibit their work in a converted egg warehouse

Hotels

- **Tribeca Grand Hotel** (2 Ave of Americas, Church St) – rooms are spacious, tons to do in the area, Church Lounge is a great lobby bar and night spot
- **Smyth Tribeca** (85 West Broadway)