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Editor's Picks: The Coolest Spots In Chelsea

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It's only fitting that I tackle the neighborhood that I currently call home: Chelsea, Manhattan. Rich in historic architecture and a bustling young crowd, the area roughly between the west side's 14th Street and 30th Street boasts countless spots for delicious food, excellent group fitness, and a perfectly pulled shot of espresso.

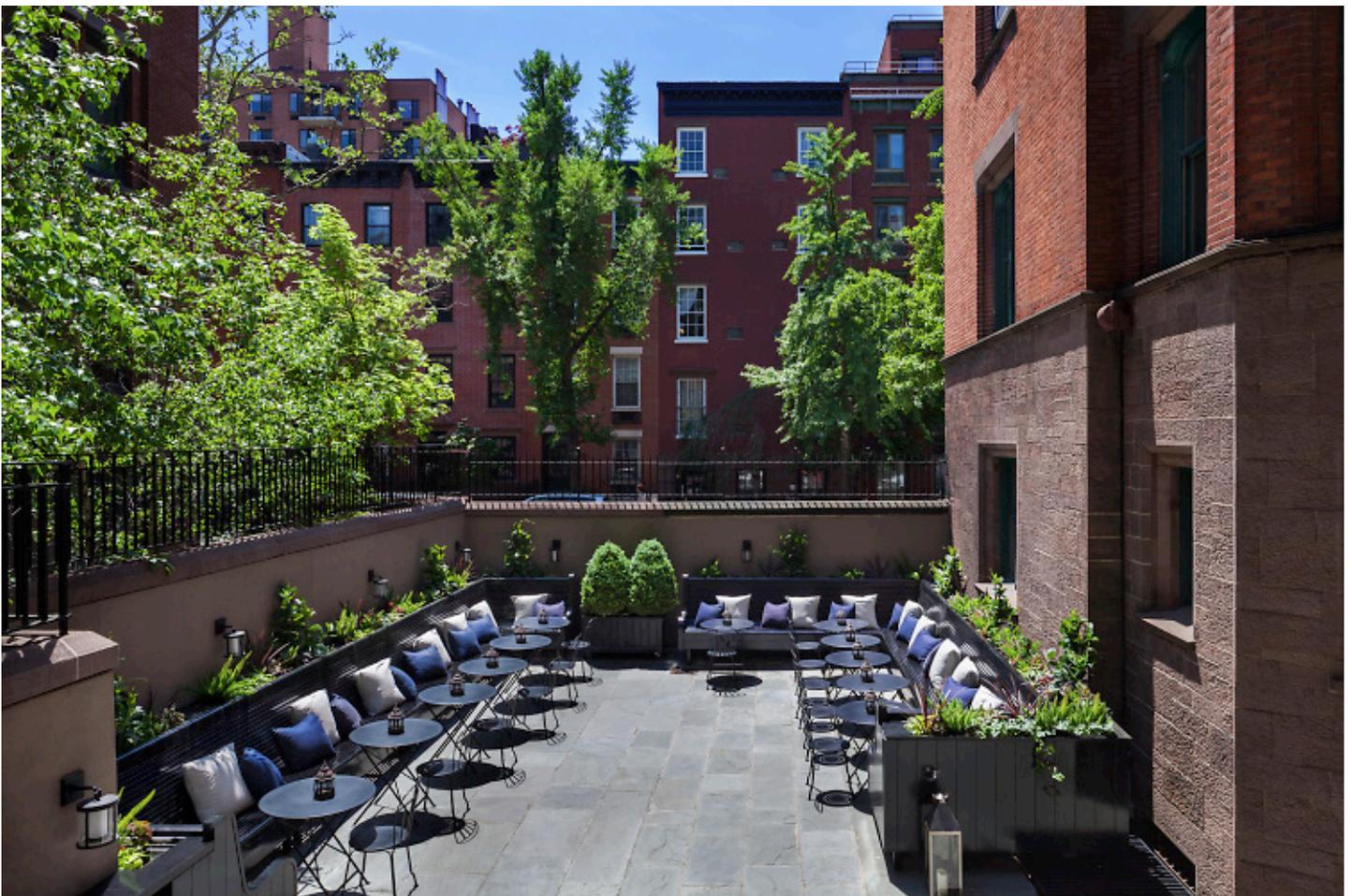
Chelsea provides the perfect balance between a livable neighborhood and a scene. Everyone seemingly owns a dog (myself included) and shops at Trader Joe's (I opt

instead for [Meal Pal](#), a service that grants you access to the city's best lunches at a fraction of the cost). Though bordered by touristy destinations like The High Line and Chelsea Market, I promise there are gems to be discovered in this neighborhood. Click through for a few of my insider highlights.

This week Senior Contributor [Madison Russell](#) takes us through her favorite spots in Chelsea, her home turf!

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The High Line Hotel



Oh, y'all. This place is such a gem, I'm a little sad to even tell you about it. Intelligentsia Coffee truck plus charming outdoor furniture plus free WiFi plus a gorgeous, historic setting? Probably my dream place. Enter [The High Line Hotel](#).

Situated inside a cluster of landmarked buildings that make up the former General Theological Seminary, the hotel was originally constructed in 1895 and was once Clement Clarke Moore's 17th-century apple orchard.

In addition to the rich history and charming architectural details of the building, the property also boasts an additional perk. During the warmer months, the front garden transforms into a full service restaurant, and this year, it is occupied by [The Golden Hour](#). On Sunday through Thursday from 2 pm to 10 pm and Friday and Saturday from 2 pm to 11 pm, you can dine at the urban oasis.

And this part, this part pains me to write.

If you venture through the crowd of locals enjoying their morning cortados and matcha lattes and open the doors to the right of the coffee bar, you find ultimate urban paradise. You're welcome.

[The High Line Hotel](#), 180 10th Avenue

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