

Date Idea: Most Romantic Destinations In the U.S.



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If you're lucky enough to have some time off this coming President's Day weekend, what better way to celebrate the coming and going of Valentine's Day than by indulging in some travel and exploration with your honey? Traveling abroad can get expensive and time-consuming, and not all of us have extra money and vacation days to spare. Although places like Venice and Paris are known for their European romance and charm, you can find that same feeling right here in the United States.

Who says you have to be in Paris to french kiss? Here's some [dating advice](#) on the most enchanted travel destinations in the U.S.

1. Niagara Falls (NY): Niagara Falls, known as the Honeymoon Capital of the World, is an ideal romantic spot. One of the many [date ideas](#) for Niagara Falls includes taking a classic Maid of the Mist boat tour with your lover and be captivated by the breathtaking view of the waterfalls. You can also engage in some other fun activities, like going on a Niagara wine tour.

2. Poconos Mountains (PA): Whether or not you've just tied the knot, the Poconos is a spectacular destination. The Mountains were home to the first honeymoon resort in 1945. As part of its intimate tradition, Poconos has a famous heart-shaped whirlpool bath for two, as well as many world-class spas.

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3. Key West (FL): Surrounded by history, art, and culture, Key West is the southernmost city of the U.S. and an excellent couples' [romantic getaway](#). Enjoy a magical tour of the city during the day and take advantage of the upbeat nightlife. Conclude your day with a passionate and awe-inspiring view of the sunset in Mallory Square, where people gather for the sunset celebration.

4. Malibu (CA): An iconic American destination, Malibu is home to an array of public beaches. Enjoy some delicious seafood on the beachfront while bidding the sun farewell for the day or visit a winery in a chateau. Take advantage of an entertaining [date night](#) by hitting up a blues bars, dance hall, or martini lounge.

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5. Rocky Mountains (CO): If you and your partner are outdoor fanatics, you definitely don't want to miss out on the spectacular landscape of the Rockies. Your trip can be amorous, yet adventurous. Reconnect with your partner and discover peaceful solitude in an intimate cabin. Then escape into nature while surrounding yourself by untouched beauty as you venture off for a hike on Mount Elbert, the range's highest peak.

Got any other suggestions for romantic American destinations? Share your ideas below.

New Celebrity Couple Jennifer Lopez & Drake Enjoy Another Date Night Together





By [Mallory McDonald](#)

New [celebrity couple Jennifer Lopez](#) and Drake are continuing to spice up their new relationship! [EOnline.com](#) reported that the two have enjoyed another [date night](#) together despite originally reports that the two were not getting serious. A source told *E! News* exclusively Wednesday that the two “are not seeing anyone else but each other. Drake is in it all the way,” the source added. “J.Lo is peddling slower, but still really enjoys his fun and loving company.” Lopez has two [celebrity kids](#) and many are wondering if that is going to be a problem for the future of their relationship. But according to this source, “He is not fazed by her having kids. He loves kids and is sweet with them.”

This new celebrity couple seems to be getting more serious. How do you know when it's time to make your

relationship more serious?

Cupid's Advice:

Taking a relationship from having no pressure and all fun to one that is more serious and future driving is a scary thing. Use this [relationship advice](#) to make that decision easier:

1. Insecurity: One reason to make the relationship more serious is if the fun just isn't enough for you anymore. If you have been with that person for a good amount of time this could be the right next step.

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2. Constant communication: When you and your partner are constantly together or constantly finding ways to talk to each other, this is a good sign your ready for a more serious relationship.

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3. Mutually ready: If either you or your partner are constantly talking about the next step or thinking about the future and you both like what you see, make it more serious!

When did you make your relationship more serious? Comment below!

Famous NY Restaurant: Black

Tap is the Latest Obsession in Burgers & Flashy Milkshakes



By Justin Thomas

Calling all dessert and subsequent milkshake lovers! There are only a few imaginable reasons that you haven't heard of the long running fad and one of New York's latest culinary breakout stars [Black Tap](#). If you're not an active participant on social media (particularly Instagram), live far outside of New York, or you've never seen their crazy long lines at one of their three Manhattan locations, you get a pass. But even then, Black Tap has created such a loud buzz, earning features on [The Today Show](#), [The Chew](#), and *The Wendy Williams Show*, so it's hard to escape it. This famous NY restaurant

just may be your next date night spot!

Black Tap has officially etched its name in NYC's fabulously sugar-coated list of enjoyable restaurants and experiences!

Black Tap Craft Burgers & Beer has only been around since the spring of 2015 with the opening of one quaint SoHo restaurant. With the help of social media and satisfied customers, Black Tap has parlayed that into a total of three successful Manhattan restaurants and over 230,000 followers on Instagram. The hashtag #BlackTap or #BlackTapNYC will get you nearly 30,000 Instagram posts, most of them sporting the sugary masterpieces.

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It's fair to say that these milkshakes are deserving of a warning label like, "Not for the Faint of Heart". With just a photo, you might find yourself catching the drool escaping your lips in amazement. These milkshakes aren't your run of the mill, drive thru milkshakes. These are a cross between the Betty Crocker and Picasso of desserts. They also offer some alcohol infusions for their 21 plus patrons. The restaurant's creativity has even spilled over to fashion, as they offer some trendy Black Tap apparel on sale at their locations.

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Something of note is that the milkshake menu varies depending on the season. Depending on when you make the trip they might not have the cool foot-tall shake with the giant s'more or top, but you're guaranteed to find something equally delicious

and aesthetically pleasing.

Although the restaurant is fairly young, the ambiance inside gives a very modernized version of a classic NYC burger spot. Where Black Tap is not a designated [celebrity](#) hotspot, many celebrities like Zendaya and Chef Gordon Ramsay have caught on to the trend. If you plan to visit anytime soon, definitely plan to wait in line.

All in all, Black Tap is a great spot to grab lunch, eat dinner with friends, or host a [date night](#). This restaurant offers a fun and friendly environment for all ages.

Have you tried Black Tap or anything like it? Share your thoughts below!

Top Restaurants in NYC for Holiday Decor





By [Mallory McDonald](#)

Going to New York during the holiday season is something that you will never forget. The entire city is filled with lights and holiday decorations that are to die for. But it isn't just the city that gets in the holiday spirit, the restaurants are all in full swing too! So while you are in New York seeing the Broadway plays, shopping and sightseeing, you don't want to miss out on these [popular restaurants](#) known for their holiday spirit!

Rosemary's, Rolfs & Blue Water Grill are the perfect places to enjoy a delicious meal under twinkling Christmas lights & ornate decorations!

[Rosemary's](#)

Rosemary's is an Italian restaurant located in Greenwich

Village. The restaurant serves all three meals, breakfast, lunch and dinner and is known to be one of the best spots in NYC for [date night](#). You and your partner this holiday season can enjoy a nice romantic dinner and feel the holiday magic come alive. You can see the massive Christmas tree that sits atop Rosemary's from three blocks away. The dining room also has some tasteful holiday lighting, and another, smaller tree. Their menu is all under thirty dollars and is perfect for sharing a meal!



[Rolfs](#)

Located in the center of Manhattan, Rolfs features German and French cuisine and is especially known to be popular during the month of December. While the food is talked about year round, the decorations during Christmas time are over the top and are known nationwide. Their Christmas decorations are extreme, large and overwhelmingly beautiful. While their entrees are in the high twenties to mid-thirties, you are paying for not only their high-quality food but the atmosphere and ambiance as well!



Rolfs ornate Christmas Decorations fill the entire dining area!

[Blue Water Grill](#)

If you are looking for seafood during the holiday season, Blue Water Grill located on 31 Union Square West is the place for you. With a unique seafood menu, Blue Water Grill attracts all kinds of people and they are open from brunch to dinner. With their meals are higher in price normally in the thirties, the reviews and critiques say it is well worth it! While their decor is subtle, during the winter months they cover their dining areas with twinkling lights that make the place sparkle!



Main Dining Area at Blue Water Grill

Before the holiday season is over, be sure to check out these restaurants in NYC that are not only festive but delicious!

New Celebrity Couple Prince Harry & Meghan Markle Photographed Together on London Date



By [Mallory McDonald](#)

New [celebrity couple](#) Prince Harry and Meghan Markle have completely gone public! The couple was caught in their first photograph together on Wednesday, December 14th as they enjoyed a [date night](#) together. The two saw a show at the Gielgud Theatre in London's West End. A source shared

with [UsMagazine.com](https://www.usmagazine.com), “The low-key pair saw a performance of The Curious Incident of the Dog in the Night-Time at the theater.” The two couldn’t look more happy together in the photos that were taken and seem completely smitten. “Harry and Meghan weren’t going to see each other until the vacation, but they really wanted to see each other,” an insider told *Us*. “Meghan had an overwhelming few days in Toronto – cameras wherever she went, feeling like she was being followed. ... This is all very surreal to her. She feels safe with Harry.”

This new celebrity couple is finally going public with their romance. What are some unique first date ideas?

Cupid’s Advice:

Dates can get rather boring when you continue doing the same thing. Use these [date night tips](#) to ensure a fun and exciting time:

1. Adrenaline rush: Unless your partner is completely afraid of anything involving adrenaline, finding a place to go cliff diving or rock climbing, or even a trip to the amusement park can be a fun and exciting date.

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2. Spontaneous trip: Instead of planning out an entire date together, get in the car and drive until you both want to stop. This way the date is a surprise to both you and is a guaranteed good story!

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3. Festivals: In almost every major city, there are tons of different festivals ranging from chocolate to beer. Check your area for upcoming festivals and events and plan an exciting date!

What is your favorite type of date? Comment below?

How to Campaign for a Better Relationship



By Tanni Deb and Kayla Garritano

With Election Day in recent history, the best time to campaign for a better relationship is now. Whether that means leaning

to the left with a liberal approach or moving toward the right with a more conservative one, you deserve the best relationship. For future [date nights](#) with your partner, let's make sure you can get their vote towards a better relationship.

This [relationship advice](#) may win a vote from that special someone:

1. Figure out what you want in a partner: Knowing exactly what you want in a partner will help you narrow down your choices, just as you would with a candidate in an election. Otherwise, you'll settle for anyone. You can make a list of pros and cons, or just make a mental note, anything to help you make the right moves.

2. Figure out what issues/things you can compromise: Figure out what things you're willing to let go, such as finding a mate who doesn't have certain features or doesn't meet your height requirement. Although compromising is important for a healthy relationship, and this will help you prepare for compromises with your partner in the future, never do it for major issues. For instance, if you want a family in the future, don't make a life with someone who doesn't like children.

3. Search: You'll probably need to search in a variety of places before you find your perfect partner. Dating sites, clubs or even attending a party at your friend's house can lead you to your ideal mate. You usually end up finding your perfect partner where you least expect it!

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4. Communicate: Communication is the key to every successful relationship. It helps avoid misunderstandings, fixes problems, and aids in understanding each other in order to

improve your relationship. Ask your partner how their day was, if they have any new interests, and other common questions like that. You should also show that you appreciate your partner by complimenting him or her once in a while.

5. Listen: Just like communication, listening is another major factor in a successful relationship. Your interest and focus is important to your partner, and when you show that they have your full attention, it means the world to them. It will also build a sense of respect and trust between both of you.

6. Think positively: When you concentrate on the negative aspects, it'll cause tension in your relationship. The next time you have a negative thought about your significant other's actions, come up with a more reasonable explanation for his or her act and then discuss it. If an argument arises, control your tone and figure out what the major issue is or the message your partner is trying to communicate. Lastly, remind yourself frequently of the good times you've spent together.

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7. Common goals: Having similar ambitions in life makes your relationship stronger. Figure out what both of you want and where you both want to be in the future. Find common goals and talk about how to achieve them together.

8. Find time for each other: Work is important, but for relationships to flourish, it's essential to have time for your significant other. Instead of taking things too seriously, spend time with your sweetheart, have fun and just relax. Whether it's a movie night in, an impromptu [romantic getaway](#), or a date at a [famous restaurant](#), make sure you get your time together.

9. Get to know him/her: After you've found the person you think is "The One," date seriously for a while. If you find that the person has way too many red flags or your feelings

for him or her aren't strong enough, it's best to end the relationship so you don't drag it out for four more years, or even the rest of your life.

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10. Marriage: Talk about settling down and moving onto the next step in your relationship if you can see yourself married for the rest of your life. Unfortunately with relationships, it's not quite as easy as electing a new candidate whenever you hit a rough patch.

What methods did you use to find the perfect partner or help change the relationship you're in? Let us know in a comment below!

Celebrity News: Kylie Jenner & Tyga Step Out on Dinner Date After Thanksgiving Festivities





By Kayla Garritano

It's a [date night](#)! [Kylie Jenner](#) and Tyga went out for a dinner date in Malibu on Friday, November 25 after celebrating Thanksgiving with the Kardashian-Jenner family the day before. According to [UsMagazine.com](#), the [celebrity couple](#) dressed down for the night out at Italian restaurant hot spot, Tra Di Noi. Earlier in the day, Jenner prepared a huge spread for breakfast to follow up an impressive Thanksgiving meal, which she hosted at her Calabasas, California home.

This [celebrity news](#) means this duo is certainly still in love. What are some reasons to reserve quality time for your partner?

Cupid's Advice:

Spending time with your partner just goes to show that you're happy together, and you want to keep it that way. Cupid is

here to tell you why you need that time together:

1. Keep that spark alive: Alone time together makes you two remember why you started dating in the first place. You get to revert back to when you started dating and have the memories that follow with it, making for an even more special night together.

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2. Break from reality: Sometimes you want to escape the hustle and bustle of your busy lifestyles and just take a moment to relax. If you're like Kylie and Tyga, you will have family events and celebrations where you're always with other people. It can be needed to just take a step back and spend some quiet, alone time that you may hardly get anymore.

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3. Check-in with one another: Once you do get that time alone, make sure that you and your partner are doing okay. Are they stressed? Is there something going on in their lives you need to discuss? Spending time together gives you that extra talking time that you may rarely get. Communication will help your relationship!

What are reasons for reserving quality time with your partner? Comment below!

Tips For A Happy

Friendsgiving–It’s Like Thanksgiving, But A Whole Lot Cooler



By Kayla Garritano

Have you gotten an invitation yet to one of the hottest new trends for Thanksgiving? If you haven't, you may very well be getting one soon. Skip [date night](#) and have a "Friendsgiving"—aka: a Thanksgiving celebration with friends. The big difference is you get to call all the shots and do it your own way. Friendsgiving can happen on Thanksgiving Day, but most people host them a few weeks before so they can enjoy both. Typically Thanksgiving with family is a traditional holiday and on the conservative, tame side (if you've had relatives fall asleep in the Lazy-Boy right after the meal,

you'll know what we're talking about), but Friendsgiving can be anything you want! Now aren't you excited to throw your own Friendsgiving?

These expert tips will help you make your Friendsgiving fun and festive:

1. The Invitation List. It's a good rule of thumb to invite friends who are grateful to share your table. Stick with a good group of people who are unlikely to create stress or drama. Try to invite like-minded friends and those that you think will get along well. Set a simple rule upfront that some topics are off limits such as politics, religion and how the Cubs won the World Series.

2. Keep It Simple. There is very little point in hosting a dinner party if you don't enjoy it. The easiest way to do this is by keeping everything simple. What's most important is your guests are happy and comfortable. Set a minimal table with a couple of candles and a little nature, like pinecones or greenery in a glass vase. Skip the formal dinner setting—save that for a family Thanksgiving or Christmas. Make it even easier by setting up a buffet table where your guests can help themselves. This also makes clean up faster.

3. Set a Meal Theme. Since this isn't a traditional Thanksgiving, feel free to have a little fun. Pick a theme such as Throwback Thanksgiving and have friends bring side dishes that were popular in another era. You can also ask your guests to dress the part. It will make for a memorable Friendsgiving! You can also step completely away from the typical fare of turkey and mashed potatoes and go with Mexican, Italian or Asian. Or be bold and order pizza with store bought pies. Shortcuts are welcome here. You're not

trying to impress your mother-in-law with this one. Just remember to ask everyone to bring a side dish to help make your job easier, go potluck for the entire meal or order it from a local restaurant.

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4. Delegate Responsibilities. These are your friends and they're going to want to help you out and you should let them. It will make the day so much more relaxing if you're not stressing and overworked in the kitchen. If you have friends that are meeting for the first time, helping out is a great ice breaker. Jot down the tasks on post-it notes and have every one grab one on their way in the door. You may find your boyfriend's best friend doing dishes with your old college roommate. What an easy way to get the conversation going, "How about your wash and I'll dry?"

5. Don't Forget the Entertainment. No Friendsgiving would be complete without entertainment! Are any of your friends musically inclined? If so, have them bring their instruments and get a sing-a-long going. Another fun activity is karaoke. You can pick up a home karaoke machine very reasonably or find one used. Put on some fun music and encourage everyone to pick a song. A simple homemade photo booth will also keep the fun going. Just hang a sheet or tablecloth on the wall, lay out some props and signs to hold (like "Friendsgiving 2016—Where You Can Pick Your Friends"). You can simply use the camera on your phone or let your friends use their own phones for photos.

6. Give Back at Your Friendsgiving. In America, 1 in 5 kids are struggling with hunger. Your Friendsgiving can make a difference. By hosting a No Kids Hungry Friendsgiving, your guests can have fun enjoying your dinner party while also giving to a worthy cause. No Kid Hungry will offer tons of resources to make your event a success from fundraising tips to exclusive chef recipes. Or you can simply ask each guest to

bring a canned good to the dinner to donate to the local food pantry.

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7. Don't Forget to Uber. Dinner parties like Friendsgiving usually include cocktails and wine. Relaxing and having a couple of drinks is expected. Just make sure your guests get home safely by calling Uber or for a taxi.

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Dating Advice: Five Ways Social Media Can Help Your Relationship





By Diamon Hall and Kayla Garritano

Perhaps you reconnected with the girl who used to pinch you on the playground, the professor who inspired you to land your dream job or a long lost distant relative who lives in Germany. Whatever it may be, websites like Facebook, Twitter, LinkedIn, Snapchat, or Instagram are used in many different creative ways. In fact, it seems that people can hardly function without social media nowadays. It helps you keep in touch with family, friends and even people you wouldn't normally communicate with if it weren't for those sites. If social media can help you in the platonic aspects of your life, then it can certainly help your love life, whether that means meeting a new flame or enhancing a relationship you already have.

This [dating advice](#) can help you use social media to find that special

Someone:

1. More ways to keep in touch: Just like social media can help you keep in touch with family and friends, it can also help you keep in touch with your mate. You may not always be able to pick up your phone to call or even shoot a text. If you're at work and there's a computer available, it's probably easier to log on to a social site like Facebook and chat for a quick minute or send a personal message just to say, "I love you."

2. Dig deeper before the first date: If you're just meeting someone for the first time and about to go on your [date night](#), social media can greatly assist you in figuring out who this person is and what you can expect. Although you shouldn't judge solely on what you read online, the image someone gives off via social media sites can be telling. Browse through their identifying information, photos, and friend's comments. Often times it's insightful to see how a potential partner interacts with others.

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3. Stay close even when distant: You or your honey may have to go out of town without the other sometimes, such as going on a business trip. You can upload pictures of yourself to let them know what's occupying your time while they're not there on Instagram or Facebook. Twitter also let's you update followers about your life as many times as you want. Snapchat, you're just a picture away from sharing with your partner the most current unflattering photo you could take, or putting a goofy filter on. Facebook has even incorporated video chat on their site, which is a great way to seemingly shrink the distance between the two of you.

4. Communicate more with his or her family: Social media is a way around being the shy one at the extended family dinner

table. Your partner's family is going to want to see you in person sometimes, but for the other times, talk to them via a social site. They'll be thrilled to know you think enough of them to include them in your virtual social life. Plus, they get a chance to see what you and your partner do with the pictures you up!

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5. Meet through mutual friends: Sometimes you meet the love of your life through mutual friends. Social media makes it easier to find mutual friends. Whether it's by a retweet that you share, or a like on a friend's picture, it's a simple gesture to know that they exist. You can even sneak into a friend's snapchat when she's sending silly pics to her closest friends. Plus, you can go the extra mile and "follow" or "friend" them. Who knows what could happen!

How has social media helped your relationship? Share your experiences below.

Celebrity News: Kylie Jenner Gifts Tyga a 60-Carat Diamond Bracelet for Birthday





By Kayla Garritano

Bling bling! For Tyga's birthday on Saturday, November 19, girlfriend [Kylie Jenner](#) gave him a 60-carat diamond bracelet. According to [UsMagazine.com](#), Jenner showed off the new bling via her Snapchat, displaying the bejeweled bracelet on Tyga's right wrist. The [celebrity couple](#) then was caught on camera hugging. This follows the surprise party Jenner gave her boyfriend on Thursday, November 17.

In [celebrity news](#), this gift seems extravagant! What are some budget-friendly gift ideas for your partner's birthday?

Cupid's Advice:

Not everyone can afford extravagant and expensive jewelry, but that doesn't mean you care any less about your partner! Cupid is here with some gift ideas that won't break the bank:

1. Cooking for two: Give your partner a [date night](#) that shows your romantic side. Try cooking their favorite meal. You can set up the table with candle lights and a flower as the centerpiece, and then whip up a masterpiece in the kitchen. A cookbook may be your lifesaver, but this shows you appreciate your time together and want to do something special. Plus, it's less expensive than taking your partner to a fancy restaurant!

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2. Frame your love: Something as simple as a decorated frame with your favorite picture of the two of you can go a long way. This is sweet because you get to acknowledge your favorite moment together. Want acknowledge more than one memory? Create a scrapbook! Get your hands a little dirty with glue and glitter all while reminiscing.

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3. Sweet scent: Light up your partner's day with some wonderful smelling candles. They say smells can take you back to certain memories. Maybe there was a date you went on to the beach, or a Christmas peppermint scent that brings you to your first mistletoe kiss. Give your partner a story with the smell of a candle. They'll appreciate how thoughtful you are to have remembered little moments in your relationship!

What budget-friendly gift ideas have you had for your partner's birthday? Comment below!

New Celebrity Couple Avril Lavigne & Ryan Cabrera Heat Things Up



By [Mallory McDonald](#)

[EOnline.com](#) has the scoop on new [celebrity couple](#) Avril Lavigne and Ryan Cabrera's [date night](#)! The two were seen enjoying a night at Chalk Point Kitchen in New York City. The pair enjoyed a nice romantic and quiet evening doing their best to spend alone time together in a corner booth. A source shared the couple "snuggled up" at their table. "Avril was extremely affectionate to Ryan, giving him cute hugs in the booth and kisses," the insider added. "They seemed in love." They shared some white wine and enjoyed a round of appetizers and dinner. The source also added, "They were really friendly

to everyone,” the insider noted. “Ryan was very bubbly and sweet to all the wait staff.” These two were friends for a long time before making things intimate!

This new celebrity couple is heating things up! How do you know when to take your relationship to the next level?

Cupid’s Advice:

Deciding when to take things to the next level can be tricky. But with these [dating tips](#), you can make the right decision:

1. Carefree: When both partners are relaxed and easygoing in the relationship and are not worried about the future, that may actually be the perfect time to take the next step.

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2. Communication: It doesn’t matter how passionate or how close you are in a relationship if your communication is lacking. When communication becomes freely flowing, it is the perfect sign to keep moving forward.

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3. Sympathetic: Even the little things that go wrong in our daily lives can throw us off track. If your partner is sympathetic, understanding and patient when these things frustrate us, they may be a keeper!

When do you take your relationship to the next level? Share your thoughts below.

10 Holiday Gift Ideas Your Special Someone Will Love Just in Time for Date Night



By Linda Guma and Kayla Garritano

The start of the holiday season means the inevitability of shopping for the perfect gifts for all of your loved ones. And with the holidays comes the romance. If you get to spend the holidays with that special someone, make sure it's one to remember. The more consideration you put into your present, the more meaningful it'll be. So, when you're on [date night](#) with your partner for a special holiday treat, make sure they

open a present they'll be sure to love.

If you're looking for gift ideas that don't involve the usual or traditional ugly Christmas sweater for your partner this year, Cupid is here with some relationship advice and ideas:

1. Personalized compilation: Make a personalized CD or playlist for your partner by putting together his or her favorite tracks. Don't forget to include any romantic tunes that remind you of special moments you experienced together, such as your first slow dance. And, of course, mix it up with some holiday numbers, to celebrate with the joyous spirit.

2. Customized calendar: Nothing says "I care about you" more than something home made. With a new year fast approaching, a calendar can come in handy. Select 12 photos of you and your partner and paste them on the pages for each month. Circle important dates, and write headers for your anniversary, among other special occasions.

3. Matching wrist watches: This is a great way to punch up your style, as well as a guilt-free way of pampering yourself with a present. Buy matching watches and ask your jeweler to engrave a message on the back, such as your names and the words "forever" and "always."

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4. Tickets to your favorite show: If you're really not into personalized gifts, you can always find a thoughtful way to

experience something together. Buy two tickets to a show that you and your partner both love, whether it's a movie, a concert or a ballet performance of *The Nutcracker*. Surprise your partner to a dinner at a [famous restaurant](#), followed by their favorite show.

5. Photo frame collection: It's a simple idea, but a classic way to keep the loved ones close at hand. Buy your significant other a silver-plated frame, and insert a photo of the two of you. To make it extra mushy, inscribe "I love you," or a love sonnet by your partner's favorite poet.

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6. Massage coupons: A thoughtful way to express your love this holiday season is to create some free massage coupons. Your partner will surely appreciate them after a stressful day and finally get the chance to relax a little with you.

7. Breakfast-in-bed tray: You don't have to rise and shine for this celebration. Treat yourselves to a bed tray and the luxury of having breakfast in bed together. Maybe pop in a movie and just cuddle under the covers!

8. Vacation getaway: Be spontaneous! Organize a weekend trip for two. Choose a tropical place to escape the winter chill or simply tour a neighboring town you've never visited. Your partner will appreciate your effort to plan the holiday trip. It's a great way to get away from your daily routines and reconnect with your honey.

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9. Get-out-of-chores passes: Get your arts-and-crafts on by making some paper passes to let your partner skip out on their chores. You'll have to take over the cooking or cleaning probably, but it's a great way to show your love, and it can be a fun, goofy way to get out of something, all in good fun!

10. Lovers pillowcases: Get some personalized pillowcases to touch up your bed. For instance, you can get some signs embroidered that say “His” and “Her,” or “Mr. Right” and “Mrs. Right.” If you want to keep with the holiday theme, decorate it with some snowflakes and mistletoe. It’s a different take on putting your face on a mug or a t-shirt. Make it your own!

Got any creative ideas for what to get your partner this Christmas? Share your ideas below.

Celebrity News: Ricky Martin Reveals He’s Engaged to Boyfriend Jwan Yosef





By Kayla Garritano

He had the nerve to propose! On *The Ellen DeGeneres Show* on Wednesday, November 16, Ricky Martin revealed that he recently proposed to boyfriend Jwan Yosef. Ricky was happy to share this [celebrity news](#), but according to [UsMagazine.com](#), he admitted that his proposal didn't go exactly as planned. "I proposed. I was really nervous, but I got on my knees and I took out the little metal box – I just had it in a little velvet pouch – and instead of saying 'Would you marry me?' I said, 'I got you something!' Bad!" Martin let out a laugh. "And then he was like, 'Yes?' I said, 'I want to spend my life with you,' and he was like, 'What is the question?' 'Would you marry me?' That's it." DeGeneres then told Martin how happy she was for him, to which he replied, "Yeah, it was very beautiful."

In celebrity news, even Ricky Martin admits to an awkward

marriage proposal! What are some ways to avoid things going wrong during your proposal?

Cupid's Advice:

Even if you're a [celebrity couple](#), not everything will run smoothly when in a relationship. Proposals are a big and nerve-wracking event. Cupid is here to help make sure your plan runs smoothly when you pop the question:

1. Rehearse: Practice makes perfect! Even if it's just role play and you ask your friend to play the part of your partner, it's good to rehearse what you want to say and how you want to ask the question. This way, you'll feel more confident. Even if it's not word for word, you at least have the idea down!

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2. Have a back-up plan: What if your [date night](#) reservation gets canceled, or your car runs out of gas? Just in case, make sure you have another idea of what it is you want to do. Make some fun out of a bad moment to bring back the excitement.

Related Link: [Relationship Advice: Post-Engagement Behavior](#)

3. Let your friends know: Your friends always have your back. If you need their help when proposing to your partner, then they'll be there for you. They can be somewhere hidden, but just in case they see you start to worry, they'll shoot you a text or are a call away. They won't let you mess up!

How have you avoided things going wrong during your proposal? Comment below!

Serendipity 3: Perfect for Date Night & a Sweet NYC Celebrity Hotspot



By Kayla Garritano

If you've been looking to satisfy your sweet tooth craving, and want to try a legendary, trendy restaurant in New York City, then Cupid has a place for you! Serendipity 3, in the heart of Little Italy, could be your next date spot with your "sweetheart," and you may even be able to indulge in a few [celebrity sightings!](#)

Serendipity 3, one of NYC's sweetest spots, is a delicious restaurant with a high profile clientele and some serious food!

NYC is great for [date ideas](#). Not only is there culture within the art museums, Broadway shows, and sightseeing, but there's also a great time in the city's [popular restaurants](#). Before we get to Serendipity 3's appetizing meals and desserts, let's start with the celebrities who've made their mark inside the restaurant.

Since 1954, Serendipity 3 has brought great food and celebrities that come along with it. This New York restaurant's walls are decorated with celebrities who have come into the warming abode. Celebrities such as Wendy Williams, Bill Clinton, Sarah Palin and the *High School Musical* cast have been pictured.

It's safe to say this restaurant and its food gave these celebs "serendipity" when walking in to the little restaurant. And what is to thank? The food, the dessert, and the sweet drinks.

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Let's start with the food. There are many unique options to choose from, such as "De la Maison," or house specials, casseroles, pastas, sandwiches, crepes, omelets, fish and vegetarian options. There is something for everyone here.

Next on the menu come these unique desserts. There's a whole section dedicated to just sweets, where you can get different flavors of pie to something whacky called "cheesecake vesuvius."

There's also an entirely different section called "drugstore sundaes," where you can either create your own or choose from one of the many on the menu. You can go healthy with fresh fruit, or splurge a little with a cinnamon fudge one. What's unique about this place is that there is a sundae that's just as famous as its clientele. The Golden Opulence Sundae requires a 48 hour in-advance reservation. Why? Because this sundae prices at \$1,000 and is covered in a 23-carat gold leaf. It holds the Guinness World Record for most expensive sundae!

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And let's not forget the teas, coffees and frozen drinks to top off your taste buds. Get a classic twist with a frozen hot chocolate, or venture out with a mochaccino. Whether it's frozen or hot, it's going to warm your stomach and your heart.

Serendipity 3 brings class and comfort to fine dining. If you want some [dating advice](#), take your partner here. Splurge a little with these dinners and treats, and you'll be sure to have a magical night. No reservations are taken if you're ordering just desserts. You may even get a nice view of a [celebrity couple](#) while snacking on a sundae. How sweet!

Have you been to Serendipity 3? Let us know what treat you tried in the comments below!

Enjoy an Outdoorsy Date Night

at The Little Nell



By [Cortney Moore](#)

If you have a special event like a birthday or anniversary coming up, or you just want to visit a romantic location for the holidays, then The Little Nell might just be the place for you! Nestled on the Aspen Mountain in the beautiful state of Colorado, you can enjoy a [date night](#) in the great outdoors alongside your sweetheart.

Have a romantic and scenic date night in the Colorado mountains.

The Little Nell is a 5-star resort that features a number of luxurious amenities, such as: free in-room snacks and non-

alcoholic drinks, WiFi, spa services, activities for children, free seasonal bike loans, outdoor pool and hot tub, a local American restaurant, tavern, multiple bars, and much more. However, this chic hotel's main attraction is its ski lodge, which goes along with the resort's snowy setting at the base of the Silver Queen Gondola. This is a great option for active couples who like snow sports and vacation spots that provides bang for the buck.

Related Link: [Embark on a Romantic Getaway in the Luxurious Wilderness of Finch Hattons](#)

If you're unsure whether The Little Nell is right for your date night, keep in mind that this upscale resort has made celebrity news with a list of famous clients. So, if The Little Nell can make superstars like Mariah Carey and Kate Hudson happy, then this might be a place you want to look into.

Related Link: [Romantic Getaway: Enjoy a Fun Holiday at the Beautiful Gaylord Texan Restort & Convention Center](#)

Have you ever been to a ski resort? Would you like to visit The Little Nell for a romantic date night? Share your thoughts below!

5 Date Ideas To Maximize Daylight Savings





By Linda Guma and Kayla Garritano

After a long, hot summer of late night festivities, followed by fall work hours that extend past 6 p.m., we could all use an extra hour of sleep so our bodies can catch up. Well, soon enough it will be here. On November 6, we'll turn back the clocks again to mark the end of Daylight Savings Time. While most of us are probably happy about gaining that extra hour of sleep, why not maximize those 60 extra minutes by spending it with your partner? Here is some [dating advice](#) on ways to capitalize on a little romance:

These [date ideas](#) will be sure to give you the best use out of that one extra hour!

1. Rise and shine: Of course, not all of us are nocturnal. If you and your partner are early risers, there's no need to bother resetting your biological clocks. Take advantage of that additional time by going for a morning jog together

before you start your respective daily routines. To save some energy, you've got to use some energy. Other ways to be creative with dates early in the day include morning swims, sweet mimosas at a nearby cafe, or breakfast in bed.

2. Last call: If you and your partner prefer sleeping in and staying up late, feel free to unleash your night owl tendencies. Bars and clubs will be open an hour later, which also means that last call for drinks will be extended as well. After grabbing cocktails at your favorite lounge, hit the club and dance the night away.

Related Link: [Date Idea: Dance the Night Away](#)

3. Fall cleaning: This may sound like a big drag, but it'll be worth it once it's over. You and your partner can make a game of tidying up together. Get rid of things you no longer use and make way for newer items. The sense of accomplishment will serve as a bonding activity and you if you aren't currently living together, be sure to save a drawer or two for him.

4. Take a chill pill: Sometimes, you just need to relax after the constant hustle and bustle of your busy life. Use the extra time to fuel your energy for the rest of the day. You can find romantic ways to unwind together, such as snuggling in bed or taking a bubble bath. Even the enjoyment of a local bookstore or a movie can be fun.

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5. Bucket List: Take the time to sit over some wine and plan out some exciting events for the future. You and your partner will each need a pen and paper. Each jot down creative activities and places you've always wanted to visit, your own personal bucket list. After you're done, consult each other's lists and then sketch out a tentative plan to create a joint list. You'll have some fun talking about the unordinary activities you want to do, and the unique places you want to

go. It'll definitely be some good conversation!

What can you do to make the most of Fall Back? Share your ideas below.

Relationship Advice: 5 Things to Know Before Dating a Funny Guy



By Kayla Garritano

When you're dating someone, you should always be able to laugh. After all, isn't laughter the best medicine? Now, say

you meet a new guy, and you go on a series of [date nights](#) with him. You realize he cracks a lot of jokes, and you're laughing along. You got yourself a funny guy! However, you may need to know a few things before you continue dating him. Cupid is here to help with some [dating advice](#):

These pieces of advice will help you when you're dating a funny guy!

1. You may have to get used to him: A sense of humor can depend on the guy you're dating. Is he more sarcastic? Is he good with puns? The more you keep dating him, the more you'll adapt to his humor. And who knows? Maybe you'll even catch the same humor, and you'll be cracking your own jokes!

2. Not every joke is a joke: Humor hides emotions sometimes. Guys don't always joke around because they're trying to be funny. There may be an underlying problem, and they're covering it up by inducing laughter. But have no fear, just communicate with him and everything will be fine! You'll know when there's a difference between humor and sorrow.

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3. He will make your day better: Rough day? Your guy will be sure to make you smile with some corny joke that he was saving for that moment. When you want to talk, he will be serious enough to listen, but know when it's the right time to make you laugh.

4. They aren't titled as the "funny guy": Just because they are funny doesn't mean their new identity when being introduced to people is the "funny one." They don't like being labeled just as much as anyone. They may be funny, but they don't have a sense of humor when it comes to that title!

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5. They can be serious: A funny guy knows when it's time to be serious and when it's time to be funny. He can't crack a joke during a tragic event and expect to receive good feedback from that. He should have the right judgement on when it's time to be serious.

Have you ever dated a funny guy? What do you wish you knew before dating him? Comment below!

Product Review: Essential Beauty Products To Look Your Best On A First Date





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By Mallory McDonald

It is hard to feel good about yourself when you don't look your best. Plus, that's not to mention when you have a date with someone for the first time and you're feeling down about how you look. There are so many things to check off the list to look great for that first impression, and it can seem overwhelming. You want your skin to be glowing and smooth and the little things to be noticeable. For your next [date night](#), try using these products to make you feel confident and beautiful while meeting your date for the first time!

**Million Dollar
Tan, Tweexy, ToGoSpa and
the Giraffe Bath & Body razor are**

your go-to products for looking and feeling your best when the time for a first date rolls around!

Million Dollar Tan

Million Dollar Tan has the perfect products to maintain your glow post-summer. Before you can have the perfect tan, though, you should exfoliate your skin with the company's [Tingly Peppermint Body Scrub](#) for only \$12! [Summer Sun Sunless Tan](#) is very light and airy, and, after your scrub, it will give you an even all over tan that is odorless and is designed to last longer. For \$42, you can start your transformation! To maintain your tan and keep your skin moisturized as your date approaches, Million Dollar Tan's [Sheer Tan Glam](#) is a tinted moisturizer that provides instant glow while fighting aging! Sheer Tan Glam can be used at all times of the day and can even be worn under your makeup on your date! The product costs \$36 and is worth every penny. The total for all of the Million Dollar Tan products together is \$90, which is much less expensive than your membership at a tanning salon and has lots more benefits!



Million Dollar
Tan's Tingly
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Scrub

ToGoSpa

Use ToGoSpa's at-home products the night before or the morning of your date to treat yourself to relaxation and unwind your pre-date jitters. [EYES](#) by ToGoSpa is an under the eye mask designed to soothe, moisturize and de-puff your eyes. It comes in a 3-pack for \$12.50, and you get the choice of four different eye treatments for what suits you best. [FACE](#) by ToGoSpa also comes in a 3-pack and is \$35. FACE is a collagen gel face mask that helps dry skin, aging, evens your skin tone, improves elasticity and minimizes fine lines in one 30 minute treatment, and you get three! [NECK](#) is also a collagen gel mask in a three-pack for \$25. If you are one of the millions of people in the world that is self-conscious about your neck, this is perfect for you. You never know if your date will end in a kiss on the neck! Use [LIPS](#) by ToGoSpa, a three-pack set for \$12.50 that will re-moisturize, re-hydrate and plump thinning lips. For a total of \$85, not only will you be tan and glowing, but you will feel relaxed and replenished!



ToGoSpa at-home products.

Now that you have exfoliated your skin and have an even glow, you want to wear something that shows this off. When wearing anything that shows off your legs, having a smooth shave can be tedious and annoying. With the [Giraffe Razor Extension Handle](#), not only will it help you get ready faster for your date, but for every time you shave. This is a reusable razor that can be disposed of, too. The extension handle includes two universal razor attachments in small and

large and has the capability to extend 15-20 inches. For \$29.99, you will never have to worry about reaching those tough spots again!



Giraffe Razor Extension Handle.

You are ready and glowing for your date, are smooth and feel more confident than ever and, yet, there still feels like something missing. If you are someone who always forgets to treat themselves and can never make it to the nail salon, this product is for you. The [Tweexy](#) makes polishing without messy spills seem like a breeze and gives you the ability to paint your nails everywhere. The colorful device slips onto your fingers like a ring and grips the polish securely to keep the bottle within easy reach to avoid spills for only \$14.95! Now you can paint your nails before you date with no stress and no hassle.



Don't miss out on feeling and looking your best! Even if you don't have a date, these products are the perfect way to treat yourself!

2016 Fashion Trend: Turtlenecks Are back





By Mallory McDonald

2016 is bringing back the 60's better than ever. A classic and chic fall look is making a comeback, and everyone in fashion is rocking it. Turtlenecks were once a thing of the past, but this fall season they are making a statement. [Celebrity fashion](#) icons such as Kendall Jenner and the Hadid sisters have been seen strutting the streets in turtlenecks as the cold weather is approaching. This trend is very versatile and can be worn in many ways to accomplish multiple looks. Whether you are hitting a night out on the town with friends or taking on the professional world, don't overlook a turtleneck as your go-to outfit.

3 Ways To Successfully Rock A Turtleneck

1. Casually: Turtlenecks have a simplistic elegance to them that makes it easy to wear with your favorite pair of jeans and light accessories. It's perfect for meeting up with friends for lunch or running your normal weekly errands.

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2. Professionally: Women are always looking for ways to expand their business wardrobe attire. Turtlenecks can be perfect to wear to work with a nice fitted pant, pumps, a blazer and a nice bold red lip. Or, consider a turtleneck paired with a pencil skirt and a statement necklace. With the turtleneck having such a versatile canvas, there is so much that can be done to change the overall look you are going for.

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3. Personally: Turtlenecks have the highest neckline, and this makes women feel that it isn't sexy enough for [date night](#). But, with the right styling, it can make you feel confident and ready for a night out. A tight turtleneck with a short skirt and a pair of pumps or a tight turtleneck dress is the perfect outfit to say, “I'm confident and classy.”

The next time you feel like your closet needs something new, try this trendy fall look! You'll be thanking yourself when you have one turtleneck that can be worn so many different ways.

Product Review: Smell As Good As You Look





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By Mallory McDonald

Attraction can come from lots of things, but smell is certainly one of the most enticing beauty tips. Stop your next date in their tracks by spicing up your perfume, and start smelling as great as you look!

Check out My Burberry Black, a new and sultry fragrance on the market.

There are hundreds of fragrances released every year, but one brand seems to always stand out. The Burberry brand never fails to deliver, and their recent launch of My Burberry Black is no different.

This new perfume for women is inspired by the black heritage trench coat and features British actress Lily James. The fragrance fuses the scent of sun-drenched jasmine flower and peach nectar, with a touch of rose.

Customers are able to physically personalize their My Burberry Black bottle with up to three initials through a monogramming service available on burberry.com and selected Burberry and wholesale stores.

If you always feel like there is a missing element when it comes to your overall look on [date nights](#) in your relationship, use this product as an opportunity for change! Be prepared for your date to fawn all over you and ask about your new scent!

Don't miss the opportunity to smell as good as you feel! Check out our other product reviews [here](#).

Get Fit In Time For Date Night With A Twerk-Out





By [Cortney Moore](#)

Move over Zumba because a new exercise dance craze is taking over the nation! Make way for twerking yourself into a slimmer shape! Yes, twerking, or as some like to put it, a “twerk-out.” It’s not just for celebrities like Miley Cyrus. These instructional dance classes are popping up in gyms and dance studios across the country. It’s where fitness meets the club, combining dancehall choreography, cardio and aerobics to help exercisers break a sweat. Not convinced to give it a try? Well a single 60-minute class can help you burn up to 1,000 calories! Getting fit for [date night](#) couldn’t be any easier, not to mention you’ll learn dance moves your partner will surely appreciate. Get in touch with your seductive side and learn how to twerk like a professional!

Learn How To Twerk Like A Pro Before Your Next Date Night

LexTwerkOut: Lexy Pantera’s revolutionary twerk out program has made celebrity news with her famous clientele. which

include Christina Milian, Karrueche Tran and Tameka Harris. Based in Los Angeles, dance enthusiasts are able to take classes or host twerk parties with their closest friends. Even if you can't make your way to her studio, you can still get a good work out through her LexTwerkOut app and Youtube channel.

Vixen Workout: With multiple locations throughout New York and Florida, Vixen Workout is an intense hip hop cardio dance program. Started by a former Heat cheerleader, this workout routine will get you in touch with your inner vixen by teaching you how shake what you've got. There are Vixen instructors in other states, so if New York and Florida are too far for you to travel for lessons, you can find someone else to teach you the great moves.

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305 Fitness: Named after Miami's area code, 305 Fitness is one the hottest dance cardio studios to hit the east coast. With locations in New York, Boston and Washington D.C., twerk lovers can get a full body workout doing non-stop cardio and high interval training. Each class has a live DJ playing music so your workout routine won't even feel like a workout. Featured in a number of publications for their great studio, 305 Fitness promises to get you moving.

Boss Chick Dance Workout: Just like the name says, this revolutionary dance program will show you how to dance like a boss. This dance program teaches a high intensity hip hop, dancehall, afrobeat fusion twerk-out. Get yourself closer to that "bangin' new body" you've always wanted. With Boss Chick dance studios in 6 states and abroad, you'll have plenty of opportunities to take lessons or host your own twerk party.

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StripXpertease: Is a female driven business that aims to teach women to get in touch with their "sexier, sultrier, more

confident” self. At StripXpertease, you’ll learn how to do pole work, lap dances, twerk and much more. Couple activities are encouraged so it might be a great option for a date night! Visit their studios in New York and Los Angeles so you can unleash your sexy and toned self.

Twerk Out Fitness: If you’re on the shy side and don’t wish to pay the expense for private lessons, then twerking in the comforts of your own home might be the best option. Twerk Out Fitness offers instructional DVDs and downloadable content that will show you how to move. Once you’ve boosted your confidence, you can contact the instructors at Twerk Out fitness to schedule in-person lessons or parties. You’ll learn from the best here since many of their instructors are from Atlanta, where twerking originated.

Have you heard of a “twerk-out” before? Would you sign up for a class? Share your thoughts in the comments below!

Find Your Balance On Date Night With Stand Up Paddle Boarding In New York





By [Cortney Moore](#)

Remember how Orlando Bloom made [celebrity news](#) earlier this month while paddle boarding nude? We bet you do! Aside from Bloom's outrageous antics, you might have noticed an increasing number of celebrities on vacation standing on boards and having paddles at hand. What is this sport that has celebrities like [Jennifer Aniston](#), Cameron Diaz and Julia Roberts so ready to jump in the water? Well, <https://www.globosurfer.com/best-inflatable-stand-paddle-boards/>, also known as SUP, is a leisurely way to get in a good workout while also seeing the sights, making it a great option for [date night](#)! Avoid getting love handles while you're falling in love. SUP works out your core, legs, back, shoulders, arms and neck by exercising your endurance, strength and balance. In fact, you can burn anywhere from 500 to 1,000 calories in one hour! Challenge your sweetheart to a race, or do yoga at sunset. The possibilities are surprisingly endless when you're on a paddle board.

Stand up paddle boarding is a date night activity that can get you fit. Check out some of the best places in NYC to begin your paddle boarding experience!

1. Manhattan Kayak + SUP: Zero experience is needed at Manhattan Kayak. It's a complete paddle sports center located in the heart of NYC. With beginner, intermediate and advanced classes taught over 40 times a week, you'll definitely find time to paddle out to the city sights. This location also offers paddle tours to iconic NYC destinations, day or night, and instructional classes for speed demons and cross fit/yoga lovers.

2. A-Team Paddleboarding: Offering group and private lessons at Rockaway beach in Queens, students are taught by a Rivera Paddlesurf team rider and other certified paddle board instructors. This location provides classes for those just learning how to paddle board, and those who are more experienced and want to learn how to paddle surf or race. SUP yoga and Pilates are also fitness options that are available. There's even a limited number of TRUCK-A-FLOAT sustainable living pods open to those who wish to stay overnight, ideal for a memorable date night. Book these in advance because they go quick!

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3. New York Kayak Co.: With a beautiful view of the Statue of Liberty, New York Kayak Co. offers a number of kayak and paddle boarding related options for native New Yorkers. Beginner and intermediate classes are available, along with SUP yoga and tours throughout the day. Students have the

option to learn in groups or private lessons. Club memberships offer special perks such as storage, rentals, discounts and exclusive access to facilities.

4. Rockaway Jet Ski: Home to all of your water sport needs, Rockaway Jet Ski is nestled right in the Jamaica Bay. Here you can try your hand at paddle boarding and other paddle activities, such as yoga and sightseeing tours. After your lessons, you can enjoy food, cocktails and live music at the Thai Rock deck bar and restaurant. Just imagine a romantic date night at sunset with your significant other and the NYC skyline.

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5. Skudin Surf Inc.: The Skudin Surf school has multiple locations throughout New York. However, their SUP branch is located on Long Beach. Here you'll be able to enjoy group, private or semi-private paddle boarding lessons in flat water or the ocean. SUP yoga and other fitness classes are also available. There's even a full moon paddle tour that could be a romantic trip for couples. Package deals and registration for adult surf camp are also an option for avid fans of paddle boarding.

6. Kostal Paddle: All the way in Port Washington and Island Park Long Island, Kostal Paddle is an ideal spot to learn how to paddle board. Surround yourself by the beauty of nature, and take lessons in standard paddle boarding, SUP touring and yoga. Classes are taught in the summer on Fridays, Saturdays and Sundays, so if you want to learn how to paddle board, then you need to reserve spots soon! Their last lesson for the year will be on September 16.

Have you heard of paddle boarding? Would you give this a try on date night? Share your thoughts in the comments below!

Make Your Love Soar On Date Night With Aerial Classes In NYC



By [Cortney Moore](#)

Do you have a love for the aerial performers at Cirque du Soleil? Ever wondered how they can easily climb up and down those silks and hoops while being suspended in air? You might think these performers had to train at a young age to get so nimble and flexible, but this is not always the case! Believe it or not, you can become one of those amazing performers with a few aerial classes. Learn how to soar through the sky with

ease and impress your friends with these circus-like moves! It might even be worth it to try out on your next [date night](#)! Just imagine yourself and your sweetheart defying gravity and completely in sync with each other while practicing these mesmerizing moves. If that's not motivation enough to give these classes a try, then maybe a few fit celebrities can inspire you to. Khloe and Kourtney Kardashian, Vanessa Hagens, Sarah Hyland and P!nk are just a few stars who have made [celebrity news](#) following this daring fitness trend.

Try Out Aerial Classes On Your Next Date Night

Circus Warehouse: Founded in 2010 and located in Long Island City, the Circus Warehouse has made a name for itself in all things circus related. Classes are taught by actual circus stars so you can have faith that you're learning from people who know what they're doing. This location offers aerial silks, Lyra (aerial hoop) and many other circus classes you may be interested in trying.

Body & Pole: Push your limits at Body & Pole located in the Chelsea neighborhood. This 10,000 square foot studio offers an assortment of classes so you can do your best as an aspiring aerialist. With world-renowned instructors teaching 200 classes on a weekly basis, students can improve their flexibility, contortion and aerial choreography on fabric, hoops and poles.

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Aerial Arts NYC: Learn aerial skills from experienced professionals who have performed at Cirque du Soleil, famous cruise ship lines and countless other circus locations.

Aerial Arts NYC is located in Midtown East, and offers both group or private aerial circus classes in silks, static trapeze, rope, Lyra, hammock, straps and Spanish web.

Om Factory: Take a more peaceful approach to aerial fitness with the Om Factory. Founded in 2006, with multiple locations in NYC (Union Square & Fashion District) and abroad, the Om Factory has had the opportunity to teach aerial yoga to thousands. Aside from assorted yoga classes, this location also offers traditional aerial circus lessons with silks, Lyra, cloud swings and static trapeze.

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Skybody System: Empower your body and mind at this aerial yoga studio in the Flatiron district. You don't have to be fitness pro here because experienced instructors will teach you everything you need to know as a beginner. You have the option to take a variety of aerial fitness classes that include yoga or dance. And with classes offered 7-days a week, you'll have plenty of opportunities to practice your skills!

City Pole: Receive individualized attention at an aerial studio located in Tribeca. City Pole boasts small class sizes for beginner, intermediate and advanced aerialists. As a result each student has access to the studio's equipment with no need to share during lessons. Here, experienced trainers teach pole dancing, flexibility, aerial hoop and silk classes.

Be the envy of your friends by getting fit on date night and learning these aerial skills as a couple! You'll be sure to get your heart racing with the one you love close by.

Have you ever heard of aerial classes before? Would you be interested in giving it a try? Share your comments below!

Indulge In a Romantic NYC Date Night at One if by Land, Two if by Sea



By [Stephanie Sacco](#)

If you want to wow your partner with one of the most romantic restaurants in New York City, visit One if by Land, Two if by Sea, an upscale American restaurant located at Aaron Burr's former carriage house. This unique dining experience is perfect for a [date night](#), or maybe even a special [date idea](#) like a proposal or wedding venue.

One if by Land, Two if by Sea is an amazing find with it's romantic dining rooms, delicious menu, and elegant atmosphere.

It's all about the ambiance at One if by Land, Two if by Sea. With three separate rooms to choose from (The Constitution Room, The Mezzanine, and the main dining area), capacity to sit up to one hundred people and multiple menu choices, it could very well be a one of a kind place to eat. Executive chef Gary Volkov and pastry chef Vera make a great team providing the perfect mix of fresh ingredients and decadent sweets.

The menu offers three course meals, as well as six course and nine course tasting menus. Say "goodbye" to grabbing a quick bite with your date and "hello" to the experience of a lifetime. With entrees like Beef Wellington and desserts such as Crème Brûlée and Chocolate Mousse, you won't want to miss out.

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Some of the most romantic date nights are spent here, including Saturday jazz brunches or holiday reservations for New Year's Eve and Mother's Day. One if by Land, Two if by Sea is a great spot for wedding anniversary dinners, and private parties can be arranged where the whole place is at your disposal. Imagine the beautiful events you can celebrate here!

The romantic atmosphere features brick fireplaces, a piano, chandeliers, and great views. The classy vibe provides an amazing backdrop to your special evening. You'll never have a candlelit dinner like this again, so try this dating advice:

take advantage of your time at this restaurant and soak it all in, because you might only get one chance.

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One if by Land, Two if by Sea is not for every night, but for that one special occasion, it's magical. When you're in need of a fantastic meal with the most romantic of dining experiences, give this famous restaurant a taste.

Have you been to One if by Land, Two if by Sea? What was your favorite course? Comment below!