

# IT LIST

DRAMA **TASTE** HOTSPOTS INDULGE STYLE **SHOP** APPLAUD ACCESS COCKTAILS GLAMOUR  
 CHIC PREMIERES **ESCAPE** FETES SLEEK GLAMOUR STYLE **PARTY** GETAWAYS DEALS OPENINGS  
 OBSESSIONS INDULGE NIGHTLIFE PREMIERES **ESCAPE** TRENDS CHEFS  
**SHOP** LAUNCHES GENIUS STYLE TASTE MUST-HAVES ROMANCE COCKTAILS  
 SCENES OPENINGS **PARTY** CULTURE FETES GALA **SHOP** SLEEK OBSESSION  
 FASHION **TASTE** TRENDS MINGLE SPLURGE MUST-HAVES CHIC CHEFS **ESCAPE**

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THE CAN'T-MISS, MUST-DO PLACES TO TASTE, SHOP, PARTY, GET SMART AND ESCAPE - **THIS WEEK!**



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### TASTE NOW!

If you missed the opening of The Monk's Kettle last month, now's the time to stop by and try nearly every beer from Belgium to Boonville. This perfect neighborhood tavern features carved-wood columns, dim lighting, over 100 bottled beers, and more than 20 drafts. And what's a quality drinking hole without eats? Monk's serves beer bites like giant pretzels and gourmet options like seared ahi filet until 1 a.m. (with beer pairings, of course). Make a booth your abbey and pray to the gods of the brew.

**The Monk's Kettle**  
 3141 16th St.  
 Mission  
 415.865.9523

### The Runner-Up

Longing for Mom this flu season? Head to Turtle Tower on Larkin Street for a bowl of the best pho ga (chicken noodle soup) in town. The rough-textured rice noodles are made in-house, and the broth teems with chicken goodness. Slurp. Smile. Recover. Closed Tuesdays. 631 Larkin St., Tenderloin, 415.409.3333.