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Les Dames d'Escoffier New York Presents *SummerDine* A Scholarship Fundraising Program

New York, NY - July 2, 2018. Les Dames d'Escoffier New York (**LDNY**), the premier invitational, non-profit organization of women leaders in the culinary field, has launched a new fundraising initiative. *SummerDine* will highlight the best of summer dining and the season's bounty at a select number of New York's finest restaurants on August 6th and 13th.

Its partners include several high-profile women chefs/restaurateurs such as *Lidia Bastianich* of **Eataly**, *Suzanne Cupps* of **Untitled at the Whitney Museum**, *Maria Loi* of **Loi Estiatorio**, *Surbhi Sahni* of **Saar Indian Bistro**, and *Barbara Sibley* of **La Palapa Cocina Mexicana**.



Additional top-tier restaurants lined up for the program are **Le Coq Rico**, **The Modern at MOMA**, **Perrine at The Pierre**, and **Madison & Vine at the Library Hotel**.

Special menus with a range of price options are planned. Choose from a once in a lifetime experience for four at The Modern's **Kitchen Table**, to a five-course tequila and antojitos tasting for six at **La Palapa**, to an exclusive behind-the-scenes tasting tour and three-course menu at **Eataly**. Specialty wines and gratuities are included in the price. Complete ticketing details can be viewed at [Eventbrite](https://www.eventbrite.com).

All proceeds from *SummerDine* will benefit LDNY's Scholarship Fund that supports women pursuing culinary careers.

Ticket Links

August 6th: <https://www.eventbrite.com/e/summerdine-august-6th-tickets-46334598030>
August 13th: <https://www.eventbrite.com/e/summerdine-august-13-tickets-47488225561>

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Les Dames d'Escoffier New York (LDNY) is the founding and largest chapter of Les Dames d'Escoffier International, a philanthropic non-profit 501(c)(3) organization comprised of professional women in food, fine beverage, and hospitality whose mission is the education, advocacy and empowerment of talented women through mentoring and scholarships.