

ASIAFIED NY

A curated cheat sheet to Food | Art | Culture | Whatever

September 2011

eat HERE

Kappa Sake House: Vintage Japanese movie posters on the walls. Cute stools by the bar. It's Tokyo meets Brooklyn, and authentic Japanese food at decent prices. Order: the shrimp shumai, grilled salmon with Jamaican jerk sauce. Price: \$\$ Location: 388 5th Avenue, Brooklyn NY 11215 (Park Slope)

Yuen Yuen: One of the best lunch spots in Chinatown. Get ready to dig into over 100 kinds of rice and noodle dishes. Order: the Sliced Chicken with Eggplant Rice, glutinous ball soup with sesame filling. Price: \$ Location: 1 Bayard Street, New York NY 10079 (Chinatown)



see THIS

Xu Bing: An acclaimed Chinese artist brings a distinctly Eastern perspective to the 10th anniversary of 9/11 with a public installation of dust collected from Lower Manhattan. From 9/8 to 10/9. Admission: Free Location: Spinning Wheel Building, 5 West 22nd Street New York, NY 10010 (Flatiron)

Choi Byungkwan, "Bamboo": The Korean photographer who's exhibited in Asia and Europe showcases his black-and-white photographs of a revered plant that evokes the greys and blacks of ink brushstrokes. From 8/31 to 10/1. Admission: Free Location: Soho Photo, 15 White Street, New York, NY 10013, open Wednesdays thru Sundays (Tribeca)



do THAT

'Medea' at Japan Society: This gorgeous production of the Greek play combines elements of traditional Kabuki theater with a late 19th-century Japanese setting. From 9/23 to 9/25. Admission: \$25-32 Location: Japan Society, 333 East 47th Street New York, NY 10017 (Midtown East)

An Evening with Liao Yiwu: The writer who recently defected to Berlin will read from his books, all of which are banned in China. Date: 9/13. Admission: \$15-20 Location: The New School, Tishman Auditorium, 66 W. 12th Street, New York, NY 10011 (Union Square)

"You were born an original. Don't die a copy." - John Mason