



QUIERO QUËRO

Quëro Shoes brings the craftsmanship of artisan shoemaking into the digital/affordable age, similar to what Warby Parker did for glasses. Each pair of Quëro's shoes is handcrafted in Almansa, Spain (three hours south of Madrid) from Italian, French, and Spanish leather. Now you can try on its suede loafers, boots, dress shoes, and leather sneakers (that look too sleek to be kicks) in a new pop-up store on Madison Avenue, open seven days a week through mid-January. Both men's and women's styles are available—the NY-based brand's factory-direct business model creating great value and premium quality. **485 Madison Avenue, querohms.com**

DELICIOUS DEBUT

Next door to two-star Michelin L'Atelier de Joël Robuchon in the Meatpacking District, Le Club opened this fall in a space formerly occupied by Le Grill de Joël Robuchon—both named after the late kitchen guru, who was named "Chef of the Century" by the guide *Gault Millau*. His longtime protégé, Christophe Bellanca, oversees the menu of French-inspired snacks and small bites, including tarte flambée, oysters with tapioca pearls, and yuzu and beef sliders on brioche with onion confit. The beverage program includes oversized cocktails and a weekly daiquiri special. The lively and stylish space was designed by Pierre Yves Rochon. **85 10th Avenue, leclub-newyork.com**

SPARKLING PERSPECTIVES

Jen Pelka's all-women-funded champagne bar, The Riddler, has opened its second location (the original in Hayes Valley, San Francisco) in the West Village, offering more than 100 champagnes by the bottle. True connoisseurs will relish its deep library of reserve vintages and rare finds. Signature tater tot waffles will be on the food menu, along with an extensive raw bar and fresh takes on French classics. Sparkling wines, still wines, and Miller High Life ("the champagne of beers," after all) round out the beverage program. "We're looking to create a place that is both a neighborhood hangout and a wine-lover's destination," Pelka explained. **51 Bank Street, theriddlersf.com/new-york**



YURMAN DAZZLES ANEW

Just in time for gift shopping, David Yurman's new global flagship store has opened its doors on Manhattan's most luxurious corridor between Fifth and Madison Avenues. The 5,000-square-foot boutique spans three floors, showcasing the latest Yurman collections, including one-of-a-kind jewelry designs, wedding pieces, and watches. For the holidays, elevated expressions of iconic Pinky Rings, plus Starburst and Renaissance collections will launch in full pavé. **5 East 57th Street, davidyurman.com**



GAME DAZE

Hotel 50 Bowery and newly launched OS Studios are teaming up to create the ultimate gamer hotel package. For \$7,000, guests will receive two nights accommodation in the Bowery Suite and two hours of private gaming with either Mike LaBelle or Adam Kudeimati at the OS NYC gaming lounge. An additional perk is full OS NYC membership, including access to members-only events and 100 hours of complimentary gaming. Package must be booked by contacting Christopher.Shiel@JDVHotels.com and is valid for stays from January 1 to March 31. **50 Bowery, hotel50bowery.com**

