## **NuYu: Promoting Mobile Discovery of New Activities**

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It's Wednesday evening and Joe finds himself waiting for the 5:28 bus as he does every weeknight.

To pass the time, Joe browses NuYu's Friend Feed. "Wow, Amy just tried a plate of snails," he thinks to himself. "I'm not sure I could do that." Inspired by her adventurism though, Joe decides to check NuYu for ideas on what new activities he can try for himself. NuYu alerts Joe that there's a

pizzeria just across the street where he can try an anchovy pizza. He figures he can just catch the next bus, and marches across the street. Although Joe feared anchovies as a kid, he discovers that they're delectable. He snaps a photo and shares it with friends on NuYu. He wonders what new activity he'll try tomorrow.