

Taste of Julian: A Rural Dining Adventure!

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9TH Annual Event Shows There's More to Julian Than Its Apples



Every fall thousands make the trek up the hill to Julian fit its legendary apple pie. But Julian is much more than apple pie, and the 9th Annual Taste of Julian is designed to give you the opportunity to discover the many other culinary delights Julian offers, including apple pie. This year's Taste of Julian is being held on Saturday, April 8th, 1-5pm and many of the town's restaurants, bakeries, wineries and breweries will be participating in the self-guided culinary tour of the historic mountain town's unique restaurants.

Sponsored by the Julian Chamber of Commerce, Taste of Julian offers participants the opportunity to sample local menus including appetizers, entrees, beverages and desserts from many of the finest establishments in Julian. Tickets are limited and are \$25 per person, available through the Julian Chamber of Commerce and on the event website at www.ATasteofJulian.com. There will also be a limited number of \$30 tickets sold on a first-come, first-served basis at Town Hall the day of the event. Free parking will be available for attendees at the lot at 4th and B.

"Your ticket is your passport to come up to Julian and sample unique specialties from our most popular locations," explains Tracy Turner of the Julian Chamber of Commerce. Of course, you'll be able to sample our world-famous apple pie, but you'll see that there's a lot more in Julian to satisfy and delight your appetite."

Taste of Julian ticket holders will check-in at Town Hall on April 8th and receive colored identification wristbands along with a map of participating venues. The self-guided tour allows you to enjoy the unique atmospheres of each of the Taste of Julian participants between 1-5pm, at your own pace and in any order you choose. While you're sampling the local cuisine, be sure to learn more about Julian's rich history, browse through its charming shops, and enjoy tis old-fashioned ambiance.

Taste of Julian is a fundraiser to benefit the Julian Chamber of Commerce and the proceeds are used to enhance and protect Julian's historic district.

Other upcoming events include the Heritage Quilt Show, Gold Rush Days, the 4th of July Parade, Grape Stomp, Apple Days and Country Christmas. Go to www.visitjulian.com for details or call the Julian Chamber at 760-765-1857.

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