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Richmond's Largest Food Festival Announces Featured Restaurants!

Broad Appétit (www.broadappetit.com), the region's newest food event, gears up for the 4th annual "smorgasbord in the street", scheduled for Sunday, June 5, 2011 from 11 a.m. to 5 p.m. The festival will feature over 60 of Richmond's most popular LOCAL dining establishments - and sets a new standard for celebrating local food and cuisine! Mark your calendar and bring your re-usable shopping bags!

A Bargain Day of Fine Dining: Admission to this foodie paradise is free and for just \$3 per small plate, the public can taste signature dishes from over 60 of Richmond's best eateries from 11:00 until 5 p.m. on the 100-200-300 blocks of West Broad Street. Broad Appétit will also serve up outstanding prepared food in addition to fresh Virginia produce, cheeses, herbs, artisan breads and confections straight from local organic farms and specialty food providers. To wash it all down, several of Virginia's finest wineries and beers will be poured.

The event will also feature two music stages with homegrown talents, as well as the MARTIN'S chef demonstration stage and other fun activities for both kids and adults such as story-telling, hands-on in-season food preparation demos, raw milk and fermented food demos, canning and preserving, bee-keeping, chicken-cooping and much more!

2011 FEATURED RESTAURANTS

Acacia mid-town
Africanne on Main
Amour Wine Bistro
Avenue 805
Bacchus
Balliceaux
Bistro 27
Boka Taco
Bonvenu
The Camel
Catering by Jill, Inc.
Comfort
Community Kitchen
Croaker's Spot
Culinard, Culinary Institute of Virginia College
The Empress
Emilios Tapas y Paella
Ettamae's Café
The Franklin Inn
F.W. Sullivan's Fan Bar and Grille
Gibson's Grill
Ginger Thai Taste

Goatocado
Great Seasons Bistro
The Halligan Bar and Grill
Imperial Catering and Events, LLC
India K'Raja
J. Sargeant Reynolds Community College Center for Culinary Arts, Tourism and Hospitality
Julep's New Southern Cuisine
Kitchen 64
Kuba Kuba
Lady Nawlins Cajun Café
Lavenders Café and Specialty Shop/Umami Coffee and Tea Company
Louisiana Flair II
M Bistro and Wine Bar at Rocketts Landing
Martins Food Stores
Mezzanine
Mosaic Café and Catering
Nile Ethiopian Restaurant
Olio
Popkin Tavern
Rowland Fine Dining
Sensi Restaurant
Sine Irish Pub
Shyndigz
Six Burner
Sticks Kebab Shop
Stratford University
Tarrants Café
Tastebuds American Bistro
University of Richmond Center for Culinary Arts
Weezie's Kitchen
White Anchovie

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Broad Appétit is hosted by the Downtown Neighborhood Association to benefit Meals on Wheels and The Central Virginia Food Bank. The event will feature local musicians, chef demonstrations, a kid's area and plenty of farmer's market, art and antique vendors.

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