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**SUFFOLK JOINS INAUGURAL SAVOR SEPTEMBER
REGIONAL CULINARY CELEBRATION**

SUFFOLK, VA (August 25, 2025) This fall, Coastal Virginia is plating up something tasty. "Savor September" is a brand-new regional dining initiative created to showcase Coastal Virginia's culinary talent and seasonal flavors. With Suffolk joining Virginia Beach, Chesapeake, Hampton, Portsmouth, and Smithfield–Isle of Wight, we invite locals and visitors alike to experience the vibrant, diverse, and delicious food scene our region has to offer. Diners love Suffolk's unique flavors—our farm-to-table delicacies, curated craft brews, local bakeries and beyond. "Savor September" is an invitation to our visitors to discover our region's culinary artistry while reminding our locals to support independent, chef-owned and operated eateries.



HOW TO SAVOR SEPTEMBER IN SUFFOLK

The 19th Annual Taste of Suffolk Downtown Street Festival takes place Saturday, September 13, from 11 a.m. – 5 p.m. with an after-party from 5 - 8 p.m. in downtown Historic Suffolk. This free family-friendly festival features live entertainment, a children's Fun Zone, merchants, a car show, a beer garden and an opportunity to sample signature flavors from a variety of Suffolk's unique eateries and breweries. For more information on Taste of Suffolk, visit TasteOfSuffolkVA.com or call 757.514.7250.

SUPPORT YOUR LOCAL EATERIES

Supporting Suffolk's independent eateries means savoring their distinct tastes and unique creations—from Southern classics and fresh-caught seafood to handmade pastas and creative fusion dishes—that reflect the city's culture and charm. By dining local, ordering directly, and sharing your experiences, you help small businesses thrive while keeping Suffolk's food scene vibrant, authentic, and one-of-a-kind. For a full list of restaurants, breweries, cafes, bakeries and ice cream shops in Suffolk, explore [VisitSuffolkVA.com/Dine](https://www.VisitSuffolkVA.com/Dine) or follow [Facebook.com/EatLikeALocalSuffolkVa](https://www.Facebook.com/EatLikeALocalSuffolkVa).

BEYOND SEPTEMBER: MARK YOUR CALENDAR

Save the date for Suffolk Restaurant Week, November 9–16, 2025. From hidden gems to award-winning favorites, this annual culinary celebration spotlights the city's farm-to-table specialties and locally inspired flavors. Participating restaurants will feature chef-crafted dishes and three-course, price-fixed dinner menus—no coupons or tickets required, just ask for the Suffolk Restaurant Week menu. For details, visit [VisitSuffolkVA.com](https://www.VisitSuffolkVA.com).

Learn more about Suffolk events, attractions, accommodations, restaurants, and more at [VisitSuffolkVa.com](https://www.VisitSuffolkVa.com) or via social media platforms [@visitsuffolkva](https://www.instagram.com/visitsuffolkva). Please contact the Suffolk Visitor Center at 757.514.4130 with any questions.

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