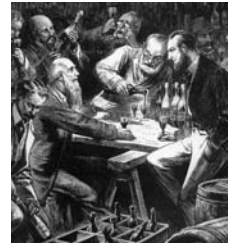


EDIBLE EVENTS



CAN'T MISS

July 24-27. Wine Camp. Four days, three nights of wine immersion. (495-9744 or winecamp.org.)

July 29-30. 3rd Annual Sweet Corn Festival, Harbes Family Farm, Sound Ave., Mattituck. (298-0800, harbesfamilyfarm.com.)

August 11. Hallockville Homestead's Annual Reception, Dinner Dance, and Fundraiser, "Fresh from the Fields," featuring the bounty of our local land, sea, and vineyards. \$55 person, 7-9:30 p.m. at the Naugles Barn, 6038 Sound Ave., Riverhead. (298-5292.)

August 11-13. 2nd Annual Hamptons Wine and Food Festival. Celebrity chefs, cooking demonstrations, wine and food tastings at the Ross School in East Hampton. Featuring Long Island wines. (613-3110, hamptonswineandfood.com.)

August 20. "At the Common Table" Dinner. A fairytale feast of local cuisine among the fields that grew it. Amagansett, 4:30 p.m. (283-3195.)

September 2-4. 60th Annual Shinnecock Pow-Wow, featuring Native foods, chanting and dancing. Shinnecock Reservation, Old Montauk Hwy., Southampton. (283-6143, shinnecocknation.com.)

September 2. The Annual Great Tomato Taste-off. 9 a.m.-noon. Quail Hill Farm, Side Hill and Deep Ln., Amagansett. (283-3195.)



COUNTRY FAIRS AND COUNTRY TOURS

On Sunday, **August 6**, spend the day visiting the farms of Wainscott as part of Peconic Land Trust's annual Through Farms and Fields Tour and Country Luncheon. From 10 a.m. to 4 p.m., this family-friendly tour sponsored by the Corcoran Group will stop at the hamlet's fabled Main Street, a local art exhibit, wine and cheese

tasting, cooking demonstrations, a falconer show and petting zoo, and working farms. (283-3195 or rharris@peconiclandtrust.org.)

And on **September 9 and 10**, EECO Farm holds its first annual country fair, a tribute to the hundreds of country fairs held across rural America to show off newly restored tractors, prize-winning veggies, and freshly made (and harvested) foods. Look forward to a pig-roast barbecue and country dance with fiddle music Saturday night. Both days feature an array of demonstrations, contests, and tastings, including draft horse plowing, hay and pony rides, compost and beekeeping demonstrations, wood-splitting, vegetable show, flower arranging contest, quilt show; baking contests, sack races, and vegetable and face painting. (55 Long Lane, East Hampton, 324-5523.)

SLOW MONDAYS

Stony Brook's Center for Wine, Food, and Culture celebrates its acquisition of Southampton College with an array of events in partnership with Slow Food East End. Each "Slow Monday" takes place from 5:30-7 p.m., costs \$25, and offers the community a chance to meet local growers and taste their artisanal products with an emphasis on leisurely pleasure. Also, look for the two-day Sustainability Symposium featuring local food and wine at the College on **September 16 and 17**. (632-9404, sunysb.edu/sb/winecenter/eastendevents.shtml.)

July 17. Sang Lee Farms, in cooperation with Peconic Bay Winery. 25180 County Rd. 48, Peconic.

July 24. The American Hotel, in cooperation with EECO Farm and The Lenz Winery. Main St., Sag Harbor.

July 31. Channing Daughters Winery, 1927 Scuttlehole Rd., Bridgehampton.

August 7. Paumanok Vineyards with Catapano Dairy Farm and the Noank Aquaculture Cooperative. Main Rd., Aquebogue.

August 14. Vine Street Café with Shinn Vineyards. 41 South Ferry Rd., Shelter Island.

WINETASTERS CIRCLE

A series of varietal wine tasting with an experienced winemaker in an intimate group designed to develop your sensory awareness and knowledge of wines from around the world. Each Thursday night event (5:30-7 p.m.) will be held at the Plaza Café, 61 Hill St., Southampton, in cooperation with Herbert & Rist Wines of Southampton. (Stay for dinner and enjoy a free appetizer, plazacafe.us.) **July 13**, Chardonnay; **July 27**, Cabernet Franc; **August 3**, Sauvignon Blanc; **August 10**, Merlot.

WINE CLASSES & CLASSICS

Grand Cru Classes, the new wine education center in Mattituck, has launched a series of classes for the novice wine lover. "Wine Discovery: From Mystery to Mastery," **July 30**, 1-2:30 p.m., Bedell Cellars, Cutchogue, and "Great Grapes: Mad About Merlot," **July 29**, 3-4:30 p.m., Lenz Winery, Peconic. Classes are 90 minutes and cost \$65. For reservations, call 298-1231 or visit GrandCruClasses.com.

Lenz Winery holds a series of three wine classics to feature wines from local wineries and around the world, and to benefit the East End chapter of Slow Food, the international organization devoted to protecting distinctive crop varieties, cuisines, and food ways. (Admission price, see below, includes unlimited tastings, a Lenz tasting glass, cheese and crackers, and a raffle ticket for several wine prizes. 734-6010.)

Chardonnay World Classic, **August 5**, 5:30-8 p.m. (\$40 in advance, \$45 at the door.)

Champagne World Classic, **August 19**, 5:30-8 p.m. (\$50, \$55.)

Merlot World Classic, **September 9**, 5:30-8 p.m. (\$45, \$50.)



SUPPORT YOUR EAST END FARMERS MARKET

East Hampton Farmers Market
Wednesdays, 9 a.m.-noon, July-September
Nick & Toni's Restaurant parking lot
(136 N. Main St., north of East Hampton village)

Riverhead Farmers Market
Thursdays, 11 a.m.-4 p.m., July-November
Village parking lot
(South of Main St., near Peconic Ave.)

Sag Harbor Farmers Market
Saturdays, 10 a.m.-1 p.m., June-November
Breakwater Yacht Club parking lot
(East side of Marine Park on Bay St.)

Westhampton Beach Farmers Market
Saturdays, 8 a.m.-noon, June-November
Westhampton Beach parking lot
(Mill Rd. next to the Historical Society)