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## Bounty of the County returns for weeklong run Sept. 23

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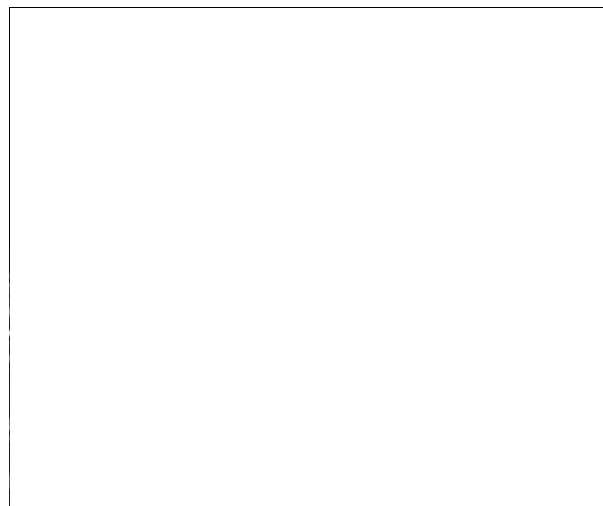


FAIRFIELD — Solano County's farms, food, wine and beer will be celebrated as part of the weeklong Fall 2023 Bounty of the County celebration.

"Sustainable Solano, which organizes Bounty of the County and supports and connects the participating farms and restaurants, seeks to promote the local food system, particularly food grown in Solano County and the businesses that are sourcing from local farms," organizers said about the event, which runs from Sept. 23 through Oct. 11.

This is the fourth year for the celebration.

It was originally envisioned as an event to be held at the Solano County Fairgrounds as a large, in-person celebration of Solano-grown farms, food, wine and beer. However, the Covid-19 pandemic curtailed those plans, with the 2021 Bounty of the County becoming a virtual celebration with video farm profiles and chef demonstrations with Solano produce.



"The 2022 Bounty of the County was celebrated through in-person events, including a special Bounty of the County event at the Solano County Fair," organizers said.

This year, "each event highlights local chefs as they create dishes with Solano-grown produce and many offer an opportunity to connect with local wine, beer or spirits. Bounty of the County also creates opportunities to introduce residents to new home kitchen operations that use local produce," organizers said.

The Fall 2023 Bounty of the County will have special events and dinners in Dixon, Fairfield and Vallejo. Details are available at [sustainablesolano.org/bounty](https://sustainablesolano.org/bounty).

Participating Solano County farms include Be Love Farm, Eatwell Farm, Lockwood Acres, Ruhstaller Farm and Terra Firma Farm. Other highlights include:

### **Fee farmers market cooking demonstrations**

- Sept. 23: 11:30 a.m. to 1 p.m., Vallejo Farmers Market Cooking Demo with Chef Lisa Núñez-Hancock.
- Sept. 28: 4 to 6 p.m., Fairfield Farmers Market with Chef Stephanie Oelsligle Jordan offering tastes of seasonal produce and ways to find it in Solano County.

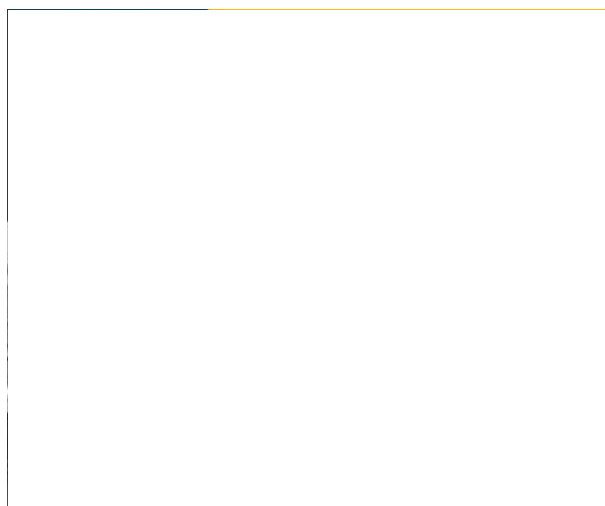
### **Ticketed farm-to-table events**

- Sept. 30: Noon to 2 p.m., Ruhstaller Farm hops field and brewery tour with food and beer tasting, including a special menu by Chef Evan Tappan.
- Oct. 7: 5:30 p.m., Featured Bounty of the County course by Chef Joey Jaraba of Two60.

### **Kitchen & Bar at the Vine to Table dinner in Fairfield**

- Oct. 8: 5:30 p.m., Farm-to-table dinner from Chefs Nicole Hodge and Allan Manuel at Provisions in Vallejo.

- Oct. 11: 6 p.m., Seasonal Farm Dinner from Chef Hank Guerrero at Rosemary's Farm to Fork in Dixon.



## **Cocktail**

- Sept. 22-Oct. 15: Get a special Bounty of the County cocktail at Savage & Cooke distillery on Mare Island.

