



**AUGUST 2017  
WINE, BEER, SPIRITS & CULINARY EVENTS  
AROUND VIRGINIA**



**August 4: Comedy Night**

**New Kent Winery (New Kent)**

Hilarious night of comedy with standup and improve performers. Bikini Panini food truck on site.

[www.newkentwinery.com](http://www.newkentwinery.com)

**August 4: Wine Pairing Dinner**

**Hugo's (Martinsville)**

Four-course dinner with specially selected Hamlet Vineyards wine to pair with each course.

[www.MartinsvilleHugos.com](http://www.MartinsvilleHugos.com)

**August 4: International Beer Day**

**Brew Republic Bierwerks (Woodbridge)**

Celebrate everyone's favorite and lift a glass of beer, to beer, with the whole planet. Starting at noon, glasses are only \$1 with price increases on the hour as the day goes on.

[www.brewrepublic.beer](http://www.brewrepublic.beer)



**August 4-6: Shuck-n-Suck Festival**

**The Oyster Farm (Cape Charles)**

Oyster Buy Boats return for annual culinary weekend of raw, roasted and fried oysters, and more from all over the shore. Live music.

<https://us.eventbu.com/cape-charles/shuck-n-suck-2017/362354>

**August 5: Dog Days of August**

**Three Fox Vineyards (Delaplane)**

Bring your favorite dog companion. Prizes for Best Dressed, Owner/Dog Look-alike and Best Vino Dog.

[www.threefoxvineyards.com](http://www.threefoxvineyards.com)



**August 5: Salsa Saturday**

**James Charles Winery & Vineyard (Winchester)**

A night of salsa dancing to the beats of DJ Georgie, for young and old. Ticket includes beginning salsa lesson from the Winchester Salsa Group.

[www.jamescharleswinery.com](http://www.jamescharleswinery.com)

**August 5: Shore Craft Beer Fest**

**Sunset Beach Resort (Cape Charles)**

Local craft beer from Eastern Shore breweries of Virginia, Delaware and Maryland. Live beachy music, food trucks and kids activities.

[www.shorecraftbeerfest.com/cape-charles.html](http://www.shorecraftbeerfest.com/cape-charles.html)

**August 5: Be Bold 5K Trail Run**

**Bold Rock Hard Cider (Nellysford)**

Great flat, newly redesigned course and a fun time. Post race party with cider samplings, live music, food for purchase and awards.

[www.corkscrewracing.com/#!be-bold-trail-5k/xg0v2](http://www.corkscrewracing.com/#!be-bold-trail-5k/xg0v2)



**August 5: Blackberry Harvest & Music Festival**

**Hill Top Berry Farm (Nellysford)**

Pick your own blackberries and enjoy a glass of wine. Live music and vendors; wine, mead and honey tasting; catered lunch.

[www.hilltopberrywine.com](http://www.hilltopberrywine.com)

**August 5: Final Appearance of 2<sup>nd</sup> Corps Wine**

**DuCard Vineyards (Etlan)**

Re-enactors from Stonewall Jackson's 2<sup>nd</sup> Corp brigade will march through vineyards and demand their wine. Pack a picnic and join in the fun.

[www.ducardvineyards.com](http://www.ducardvineyards.com)

**August 5: Dog Days of Summer**

**New Kent Winery (New Kent)**

Fun games and friendly competitions. Music by Out on a Limb, gourmet hot dogs by The Dog Wagon and much more.

[www.newkentwinery.com](http://www.newkentwinery.com)



**August 5: Enhanced Wine Tasting**

**Veramar Vineyard (Berryville)**

Seated wine tasting experience in rustic Tuscany elegance. Selections from current releases and some most sought-after-library bottlings. Paired with gourmet Charcuterie plate.

[www.veramar.com](http://www.veramar.com)

**August 5-6: Crepes & Wine**

**Northgate Vineyards (Purcellville)**

A taste of Paris with delectable crepes and pastries from Le Petite Lou Lou Creperie. Pair perfectly with wines.

[www.northgatevineyard.com](http://www.northgatevineyard.com)

**August 6: Wine Festival on Sunny Slope Farm**

**1000 Erickson Ave. (Harrisonburg)**

Inaugural festival with incredible views of the Shenandoah Valley, local wineries, live music, food and vendors.

[www.asunnyslopefarm.com](http://www.asunnyslopefarm.com)



**August 6: Wine Library Tasting**

**Gray Ghost Vineyards (Amissville)**

Taste library wines outside of the annual vertical wine tasting. Limited number available for purchase. Reservations highly recommended.

[www.grayghostvineyards.com](http://www.grayghostvineyards.com)

**August 8: Grill & Chill**

**Breaux Vineyards (Purcellville)**

Fun and free day of grilling demos, samples of grilled foods, rubs, sauces and all things that make the dog days of summer much better. Special wine tastings.

[www.breauxvineyards.com](http://www.breauxvineyards.com)

**August 9: Wine Wednesday**

**King Family Vineyards (Crozet)**

Grab a glass of your favorite wine and enjoy local food by Spiced Tea Gourmet as the sun sets behind the Blue Ridge Mountains.

[www.kingfamilyvineyards.com](http://www.kingfamilyvineyards.com)

**August 10: Shine Runners Pub Run  
Hammer & Forge Brewing (Boones Mill)**

Family friendly run open to all fitness levels. Run 3 miles, 5 miles or just walk with your dog. Afterwards, stay and socialize at the brewery.

[www.playfranklincounty.com/rub-runs](http://www.playfranklincounty.com/rub-runs)

**August 10-13: Richmond Jazz Festival  
Maymont (Richmond)**

Experience the world's best jazz, great food, outstanding wine and outdoor cigar

[www.jazzatmaymont.com](http://www.jazzatmaymont.com)

**August 11: Cross Roads Fest  
New Market Rebel Park (New Market)**

Music from bluegrass and country to Americana and rock and roll on the giant stage. Good ol' smoky BQ and multiple food options. Beer and wine garden.

[www.newmarketvirginia.com](http://www.newmarketvirginia.com)

**August 11 & 25: Toast the Weekend  
Bluestone Vineyard (Bridgewater)**

Concert series continues with a fun relaxing way to get the weekend off to a great start. Food trucks and pre-ordered picnic tables or bring you own tables, chairs and food.

[www.bluestonevineyard.com](http://www.bluestonevineyard.com)



**August 12: The Black Dog Beach Music Festival  
Chateau Morrisette Winery (Floyd)**

Dance the day away to the sounds of summer with Steve Owens and Summertime, the Dancing Chicken Band and the Entertainers. Well mannered dogs on a leash welcome.

[www.thedogs.com](http://www.thedogs.com)

**August 12: Bottling Workshop  
Catocin Creek Distilling Company (Purcellville)**

Learn how to bottle, cap, seal and label Roundstone Rye. Get a chance to work “whisky cow” or operate “Ninette” the fancy French labeling machine.

[www.catocincreekdistilling.com](http://www.catocincreekdistilling.com)

**August 12: Caribbean Night  
Cave Ridge Vineyard (Mount Jackson)**

Festival style featuring live reggae band and traditional island cuisine.

[www.caveridgevineyard.com](http://www.caveridgevineyard.com)



**August 12: Brewfest**

**Workhouse Arts Center (Lorton)**

More than 30 Virginia craft breweries, distilleries and wineries will be on tap. Live performances, food trucks and access to a/c galleries and studios.

[www.workhousearts.org](http://www.workhousearts.org)

**August 12: Starry Nights**

**Veritas Vineyards & Winery (Afton)**

Outdoor concert on the lawn. Bring blankets, lawn chairs and dancing shoes for live music, wine and an unforgettable night under the stars. Advance reservations suggested.

[www.veritaswines.com](http://www.veritaswines.com)



**August 12: Wine & Chocolate Pairing**

**DuCard Vineyards (Etlan)**

Sample of flight of Lindt's premium excellence line of chocolates paired with a DuCard wine that best complements. Limited seating/advance reservations.

[www.ducardvineyards.com](http://www.ducardvineyards.com)

**August 12: BBQ & Bluegrass**

**Breaux Vineyards (Purcellville)**

Farewell to summer with wine tastings, BBQ, craft vendors and live bluegrass music all day long. Limited seating so lawn chairs and blankets recommended.

[www.breauxvineyards.com](http://www.breauxvineyards.com)

**August 12: Beer, Bourbon & BBQ**

**Hunt Club Farm (Virginia Beach)**

A great day of sippin', tastin', listenin', smokin' and eatin'. Includes glass for All-You-Care-To-Taste sampling of beer and bourbon. Food vendors and music all day.

[www.beerandbourbon.com](http://www.beerandbourbon.com)



**August 12-13: Glass Engraving  
Magnolia Vineyards (Amissville)**

Patty Sevre, Master glass engraving artist, will custom engrave wine glasses and assorted glass items while you wait. Perfect gift idea.

[www.magnoliavineyards.com](http://www.magnoliavineyards.com)

**August 13: Cheeseology  
Little Washington Winery (Washington VA)**

Lively seminar on the basics of cheese and wine pairing and what makes it successful. Taste from six categories of cheese with 6 different wines.

[www.wineloveschocolate.com](http://www.wineloveschocolate.com)



**August 15: Nightcap: Elizabethan Songbook  
Ox-Eye Vineyard (Staunton)**

A program of the Staunton Music Festival, upstairs in the vineyard tasting room. Enjoy 16th century songs for voice and lute. Ticket includes complimentary drinks.

[www.stauntonmusicfestival.org](http://www.stauntonmusicfestival.org)

**August 18: Dinner at the Distillery  
Catoctin Creek Distilling Company (Purcellville)**

Four-courses with seasonal produce and local suppliers by Chefs of The Wandering Chef. Craft cocktails expertly paired with each course.

[www.catoctincreekdistilling.com](http://www.catoctincreekdistilling.com)



**August 18: Movie Night at Veramar  
Veramar Vineyard (Berryville)**

Movie starts at dusk about 9 pm. Come early to set up your picnic on the lawn and enjoy some fabulous wine.

[www.veramar.com](http://www.veramar.com)

**August 18: Shakespeare in the Vines  
Virginia Mountain Vineyards (Fincastle)**

“A Midsummer’s Night Dream” performed by Botetourt theatrical group. Pack a picnic, purchase your wine and enjoy the show. Free admission.

[www.vmvines.com](http://www.vmvines.com)



**August 19: Virginia Craft Brewers Festival**

**IX Art Park (Charlottesville)**

If you love craft beer, good food, live music and fun this is the event for you. More than 100 breweries from across Virginia will serve tastings 1:00 to 8:00.

[www.vacraftbrewersfest.com](http://www.vacraftbrewersfest.com)

**August 19: Clover Hill Village Wine Festival**

**5747 River Ridge Rd (Appomattox)**

Featuring 10 wineries and 40 vendors, in addition to live music, a variety of foods and kids’ activities. Presented by Appomattox Co. Historical Society.

[www.appomattoxhistoricalsociety.org](http://www.appomattoxhistoricalsociety.org)

**August 19: Beat the Heat Party**

**DuCard Vineyards (Etlan)**

Cool wines, mountain streams, shaded patios, water fun, live music and food truck. No cover, just lots of fun.

[www.ducardvineyards.com](http://www.ducardvineyards.com)



**August 19: Super Hero Party**

**Brew Republic Bierwerks (Woodbridge)**

Super menu options, gummy bear-infused beer, live music. Come in super hero costume, win a reward.

[www.brewrepublicbeer.com](http://www.brewrepublicbeer.com)

**August 19: Tap Tap Craft Beer Festival**

**Greenbrier Farms (Chesapeake)**

Unlimited free samples of 30+ beers with ticket, food trucks and live entertainment. Purchase a growler to buy a refill of your favorite beer.

[www.taptapfest.org](http://www.taptapfest.org)

### **August 19: Evening Wine Dinner**

#### **Fox Meadow Winery (Linden)**

Incredible five-course prix fixe dinner. Chef Therese Brown leads you on an incredible culinary journey showcasing the best of Fox Meadow wines.

[www.foxmeadowwinery.com](http://www.foxmeadowwinery.com)



### **August 19: Wine Pairing Dinner at Stratford Hall**

#### **Stratford Hall (Montross)**

Five-course wine dinner paired with Ingleside wines at this historic venue. Passed Hors d' Oeuvres, Appetizer, Salad, Sea Bass, Angus Beef and Dessert. Reservations 804-493-1967.

[www.stratfordhall.org](http://www.stratfordhall.org)

### **August 19: Paint and Sip**

#### **DelFosse Vineyards (Faber)**

Create one of a kind pet portrait based on a photo you send in by August 12 for pre-sketched Canvas. Benefits Nelson County SPCA.

[www.delfossewine.com](http://www.delfossewine.com)

### **August 19: Summer Soiree**

#### **Virginia Distillery Company (Lovington)**

Enjoy the height of the summer harvest festival. Full flight menu offered as usual. Book ahead or walk-ins welcome on first come basis.

[www.vadistillery.com](http://www.vadistillery.com)

### **August 20: BREWBQ**

#### **Shockoe Bottom (Richmond)**

The Bottom's backyard barbeque with a stellar lineup of Greater Richmond craft breweries. Summer sessions, hoppy IPAs, ales, pilsners, stouts and more. Live music.

[www.enrichmond.org](http://www.enrichmond.org)

### **August 24: The Vine: Cruise the Mediterranean**

#### **Breaux Vineyards (Purcellville)**

Portugal to Spain, France, Italy, Greece and Lebanon. Take a trip around the Mediterranean and celebrate the flavors with four courses paired with four wines.

[www.breauxvineyards.com](http://www.breauxvineyards.com)



### **August 24-27: Lockn' Festival**

#### **Oak Ridge Farm & Infinity Downs Farm (Arrington)**

Four day music festival with an emphasis on stellar music, camping, outdoor activities, regional food, beverages and artisans.

[www.locknfestival.com](http://www.locknfestival.com)

**August 26: Tuscan “Fer Agosto”**

**Three Fox Vineyards (Delaplane)**

Celebrate end of summer “Tuscan-style”. Bring a picnic, your family and friend and have a ball.

[www.threefoxvineyards.com](http://www.threefoxvineyards.com)



**August 19: Dog Days of Summer**

**Bold Rock Cider (Nellysford)**

Celebration of pet lovers and their furry friends. Lots of activities, pet pool, portrait booth; frolic in the River and the Meadow. Live music and food truck. Free admission.

[www.boldrockcider.com](http://www.boldrockcider.com)

**August 26: Belle Grove Wine Festival**

**Belle Grove Plantation (Middletown)**

Featuring tastings by regional vineyards and highlighting local food with wine pairings, vendors and live music.

[www.bellegrove.org](http://www.bellegrove.org)



**August 26: Grayson County Wine Festival**

**East Main Street (Independence)**

Enjoy the tastes and sounds on the lawn of the beautiful 1908 Courthouse, a civic and cultural center. Festival proceeds benefit the Courthouse Foundation. Wines and craft beers.

[www.historic1908courthouse.org](http://www.historic1908courthouse.org)

**August 26: Neptune’s Coastal Craft Beer Festival**

**Neptune’s Park (Virginia Beach Oceanfront)**

It’s a beer lover’s haven featuring local beer and cask ales and national and regional craft beers. Some 30 breweries, live music, food trucks and more.

[www.neptunefestival.com](http://www.neptunefestival.com)



**August 26: Blanc on Blanc Dinner Party**

**James Charles Winery & Vineyard (Winchester)**

This very elegant evening dinner party includes dinner, music, glass of wine, with cash bar to follow. You must Wear All White! Dig out those fancy white suits and dresses.

[www.jamescharleswine.com](http://www.jamescharleswine.com)

**August 26: Jazz in the Courtyard**

**Ingleside Vineyards (Oak Grove)**

A relaxing evening of sipping wine and enjoying the sounds of live jazz. Bring a picnic or food available for purchase. Limited seating. Reservations recommended.

[www.inglesidevineyards.com](http://www.inglesidevineyards.com)



**August 27: Dog Days Summer Festival**

**Beliveau Estate Winery (Blacksburg)**

Bring your four legged friends on a leash and enjoy award winning wines. Vendors with lots of goodies for your pets, live music and more.

[www.beliveaestate.com](http://www.beliveaestate.com)