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Winter's Eve at Lincoln Square – The Upper West Side's Favorite Foodie Festival Returns Monday, November 27th, 2017

*Get in the holiday mood with comfort food and a smorgasbord of sweet treats
from 30 local restaurants*



All along Broadway, top restaurants offered small plates and samples of signature menu items at Winter's Eve 2016.

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New York, NY - November 7, 2017 – Calling all foodies! The 18th annual [Winter's Eve at Lincoln Square](#), New York's largest holiday festival, presented by the [Lincoln Square Business Improvement District](#) (BID), returns on Monday, November 27th, 2017 from 5:30 p.m. – 9:00 p.m. At the event, from 5:30 p.m. – 8:30 p.m., 30 of New York City's popular restaurants and eateries located in the Lincoln Square area will line the sidewalks offering savory samples, delectable desserts, hearty soups, hot drinks, and signature dishes at nominal costs (\$1-\$4). The tastings will be held under tents in front of Time Warner Center at Columbus Circle, along Broadway between 62nd and 64th Streets and at Richard Tucker Park on Broadway between 65th and 66th Streets. The Outdoor Food Tastings are presented by [Glenwood](#).

This year, the festival is partnering with [Citymeals on Wheels](#), which provides a continuous lifeline of nourishing meals and vital companionship to our homebound elderly neighbors. A portion of proceeds from all food and beverage sales at Winter's Eve will go directly to this successful not-for-profit organization.

The highly-anticipated holiday festival is expected to attract more than 20,000 revelers to the Lincoln Square area of the Upper West Side, including music enthusiasts, families and foodies for sure! The dishes are as diverse and cultural as New York City itself. From chicken and sausage jambalaya by Dizzy's Club *Coca-Cola* to spicy Moroccan lamb meatballs by Boulud Sud to guacamole and chips and cider de manzana by Rosa Mexicano, the unique culinary creations are endless.

Festival goers can keep warm with: vegan cauliflower and carrot soup by Nanoosh; pasta e fagioli from Café Fiorello; French onion soup from Bar Boulud; famous lobster bisque by Ed's Chowder House; chile con carne from Porter House Bar and Grill and more.

There is certainly no shortage of rich pasta dishes this year. Toasted ricotta gnocchi with white truffle cream from The Smith, orecchiette alla norcina from Landmarc and vegetable ravioli in a mushroom sauce by La Boite en Bois are sure to be sell outs.

Winter's Eve is not complete without a chocolate babka slice from Breads Bakery. The growing list of participating restaurants features other neighborhood staples including: P.J. Clarke's, Bar Masa, Gabriel's Bar & Restaurant, Sapphire Indian Cuisine and more! See the full list of participating restaurants below and be sure to visit: <http://www.winterseve.nyc/>.

Food is certainly not the only thing to enjoy at Winter's Eve. The evening of family fun will kick off with the Upper West Side's holiday tree lighting ceremony at 5:30PM at Dante Park (Broadway & 63rd Street) with [Micky Dolenz](#), best known as the lead singer of the famed 1960's pop/rock band The Monkees, who will perform holiday classics, a few of The Monkees' top hits and help light the holiday tree live on WABC-TV. Winter's Eve continues with more than 20 free, world-class musical performances, processional groups, dancing, strolling circus performers, face-painting, ice-sculpting, free holiday movie screenings, jugglers, stilt-walkers and other street festivities that will line Broadway and fill the shops of this dynamic, cultural neighborhood.

PHOTOS: For press in need of high resolution photos from 2016, you can download from this link: <http://bit.ly/2ypXJsc>. Photo credit is listed under each photo.

About Citymeals on Wheels: Citymeals on Wheels (citymeals.org) provides a continuous lifeline of nourishing meals and vital companionship to New York City's homebound elderly, helping them live with dignity in their own homes and communities. Working in partnership with community-based organizations and senior centers, Citymeals prepares and delivers over 2 million weekend, holiday and emergency meals for more than 18,000 of our frail aged neighbors each year. Last year, over 21,000 individuals volunteered nearly 68,000 hours of their time. Since its founding in 1981, Citymeals has relied on the generosity of its Board of Directors, the City of New York, sponsors and other designated gifts to cover administrative costs. This ensures that 100% of all public donations will be used entirely for the preparation and delivery of meals.

Winter's Eve 2017 Food Tastings Participants & Featured Menu Items

Time Warner Center – 10 Columbus Circle

1. Asiate
 - a. Kambocha Squash with Seared Scallops, Kumquat & Yuzu Gastrique - \$4
2. Bar Masa
 - a. Spicy Tuna Hand Roll - \$4
3. Bouchon Bakery
 - a. Chocolate Bouchon - \$1
 - b. Gruyere bread (French bread with gruyere cheese) - \$3
 - c. Peppermint Bark (Peppermint bark is a chocolate confection) - \$4
4. Dizzy's Club Coca-Cola
 - a. Chicken and Sausage Jambalaya - \$4
 - b. Hot Spiced Apple Cider - \$3
5. Gabriel's Bar & Restaurant
 - a. Short Ribs of Beef over Polenta - \$4

6. Landmarc
 - a. Orecchiette alla Norcina - \$4
7. Porter House Bar and Grill
 - a. Chili Con Carne - \$4
8. Sapphire Indian Cuisine
 - a. Chicken Tikka Masala with Pilaf Rice - \$4

Richard Tucker Park - Broadway between 65th & 66th Streets

1. Indie Food & Wine
 - a. Polenta with Prosciutto and Winter Vegetables- \$4
 - b. Hot Cocoa with Whipped Cream - \$2
2. Francesco's
 - a. Baked Ziti - \$4
 - b. Penne alla Vodka - \$4
3. Gourmet Garage
 - a. TBD
4. Nanoosh
 - a. Quinoa Nanoosh & Original Hummus (Vegan) - \$4
 - b. Cauliflower & Carrot Soup (Vegan)- \$3
 - c. Raisin Rice Pudding - \$3
5. Le Pain Quotidien
 - a. Hot Chocolate - \$3
 - b. Mini Brownie - \$2
 - c. Mini Madeline - \$2
6. La Boite en Bois
 - a. Vegetable Ravioli in a Mushroom Sauce - \$3
 - b. Pumpkin Soup - \$2
7. Luce Restaurant & Enoteca
 - a. Eggplant Rollatini - \$4
 - b. Penne Tomato & Basil - \$4
 - c. Tiramisu - \$4
8. Tavern on the Green
 - a. Hot Apple Cinnamon Doughnuts with Chocolate Custard Sauce - \$3

Lincoln Square Restaurant Row - Broadway between 62nd & 64th Streets

1. Atlantic Grill
 - a. Pumpkin Soup - \$3
 - b. Salmon Poke - \$4
2. Bar Boulud

- a. Frenchie Sliders - \$4
 - b. French Onion Soup - \$4
 - c. Dessert TBD - \$3
3. Boulud Sud
 - a. Moroccan Lamb Meatballs with Crispy Shallots, Labneh, Spicy Tomato Sauce - \$4
 - b. North African Spiced Pumpkin Soup with Pomegranate, Toasted Pumpkin Seeds, Rose Yogurt - \$4
 - c. Dessert TBD - \$3
4. Café Fiorello
 - a. Pasta e Fagioli - \$3
 - b. Chocolate Mousse - \$3
5. Lincoln Center Kitchen
 - a. Lobster Bisque - \$4
 - b. Hot Apple Cider - \$3
6. Magnolia Bakery
 - a. Banana Pudding (Small) - \$3
 - b. Hot Chocolate - \$2
 - c. Mini Cupcakes - \$2
7. P.J. Clarke's
 - a. P.J.'s Famous Mini Hamburgers - \$4
 - b. P.J.'s Famous Mini Cheese Burgers - \$4
8. Rosa Mexicano
 - a. Guacamole and Chips - \$4
 - b. Cider de Manzana - \$2
9. The Smith
 - a. Toasted Ricotta Gnocchi with white truffle cream - \$4
10. Empire Rooftop
 - a. TBD
11. BONMi
 - a. Red Curry Chicken Rice Bowl - \$4
 - b. Roasted Portabella Banh Mi Sandwich - \$4
 - c. Five Spice Pulled Pork Banh Mi Sandwich - \$4
12. Breads Bakery
 - a. Chocolate Babka Slice - \$4
 - b. Assorted Bureka - \$2
 - c. Gouda Cheese Straw - \$1
13. Ed's Chowder House
 - a. Lobster Bisque - \$4
 - b. Hot Apple Cider - \$2
14. Starbucks
 - a. Butter Croissant - \$2

- b. Lemon Loaf - \$2
- c. Banana Loaf - \$2

Menus are subject to change.

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