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## Discover a Cuisine & Cultural Arts Getaway in Alpharetta

**ALPHARETTA, GA - (March 20, 2023)** – Alpharetta is an artisanal community. From multiple art galleries and a free sculpture walking tour to impeccably crafted dishes at chef-driven restaurants, Alpharetta invites you to book a getaway filled with inspiring art and delicious food.

Artfully crafted dining awaits in Alpharetta! With over 200 restaurants throughout they city, you can find ample flavors from all around the world. Tantalize your tastebuds at Rickshaw Thai Street Food where they serve elevated Thai street food like their Krapow Gai Sup, a street basil chicken dish served with bell peppers, onion, fresh basil and a fried egg. Vas Kouizna is home to many colorful, Mediterranean dishes like The Garden Plate, which comes with grilled portobello mushroom, roasted tomato, marinated eggplant, zucchini, squash, red onion, bell peppers and topped with a honey fig balsamic drizzle. Like most art, some of the most impactful pieces are the simplest creations. Bocado has perfected the art of a delicious burger. Select their Avalon Burger for a classic burger featuring American cheese, bread and butter pickle, shredded lettuce, tomato, grilled onion and boss sauce.



Alpharetta's dining scene does not stop at restaurants, there are multiple food-focused events occurring every year in the community. Celebrating its  $31^{st}$  year, Taste of Alpharetta returns on Thursday, May 11. The one-day only food festival boasts over 60 participating restaurants serving up their best of the best dishes, as well as new creations. Grand Tasting Alpharetta will take place Thursday, September  $7^{th}$ . Restaurants participating in this tasting event will feature unlimited tastings of exclusive menus, specialty cocktails and the chance to meet the chefs behind it all. October 15-21 will mark the

inaugural fall-based Alpharetta Restaurant Week. After an extremely successful Alpharetta Restaurant Week in February, the Alpharetta Convention & Visitors Bureau and Flavors Magazine decided to dedicate another week to celebrating and promoting incredible restaurants throughout the community. Participating restaurants will showcase meticulously constructed pre-fix menus with multiple courses, making it the perfect opportunity to try a new restaurant and savor an appetizer, entrée and dessert!

Once your cravings are satiated, expand your mind as you revel in the cultural arts scene in Alpharetta. Get some steps in while you explore the Alpharetta Arts Walk which is comprised of 20 sculptures. Stop at the Alpharetta Welcome Center to pick up a brochure which includes a map, and information about each beautiful sculpture. Create your own work of art at Painting with a Twist where even the most novice of artists can produce a stunning piece that you'll happily display to remember your trip. Plan your getaway to Alpharetta around a show at any of our impeccable venues. The names of the talented performers taking the stage will be music to your ears! Upcoming shows in 2023 at Ameris Bank Amphitheatre alone include heavy hitters like Chris Stapleton, Dave Matthews Band and Eric Church, just to name a few!

Book your trip during one of Alpharetta's art-themed community events. Paint the Town: Alpharetta Plein Air is a 5-day artists invitational, where artists of all media are tasked to paint scenes live throughout the community. The creations will then be on display and available for purchase at the Alpharetta Arts Center May 13 – June 10. One weekend a month, starting May 20 and 21, creativity hits the park in charming Downtown Alpharetta. Alpharetta Art in the Park at Brooke Street Park is a lovely outdoor artist's market featuring beautifully handcrafted paintings, jewelry and other fine goods available for purchase. Alpharetta Arts Streetfest is Alpharetta's largest artist market. Every Memorial Day Weekend, The Grove behind the Alpharetta Community Center is bursting with color as more than 100 artists from all over the United States share their stunning creations. Being a 2-day event, you do not have to rush, savor each tent to find wonderful new pieces for your home, or special gifts for family and friends.



"We are eager to invite visitors to relish in the beauty and flavor of what makes Alpharetta a special destination," says Janet Rodgers, President & CEO of the Alpharetta Convention and Visitors Bureau. "With so many art related attractions, impeccable dining options and an abundant of events throughout the year, Alpharetta always has something new to discover."

The Alpharetta Convention & Visitors Bureau wants to gift a Cuisine and Cultural Arts Getaway to one lucky winner. Enter the giveaway by visiting <a href="https://www.awesomealpharetta.com/a-cuisine-cultural-arts-getaway-in-alpharetta/">https://www.awesomealpharetta.com/a-cuisine-cultural-arts-getaway-in-alpharetta/</a>. The giveaway prize includes a hotel stay at the Atlanta Marriott Alpharetta, \$100 gift card to Creation Social House, \$100 gift card to Painting with a Twist and a \$50 gift card to Williams Sonoma. The winner will be notified the week of June 11, 2023.

Want to take planning your trip in your own hands? Book your stay in Alpharetta, and plan all of your exciting experiences at <a href="https://www.awesomealpharetta.com">www.awesomealpharetta.com</a>.

## **Alpharetta Convention and Visitors Bureau**

The Alpharetta Convention and Visitors Bureau serves as the Official Destination Marketing Organization for the city of Alpharetta, GA. With so much to do, why not stay the weekend? Book a hotel stay at one of the Alpharetta's 30 modern and upscale hotels directly at <a href="www.awesomealpharetta.com">www.awesomealpharetta.com</a>. Alpharetta was recently named in the top 10 of "The South's Best Cities 2023" by Southern Living Magazine and "One of the Best Places to Visit in Georgia" by Vacationidea.com.

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