



Highland Happenings Fall 2021

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Save the Date

Hands and Harvest Celebration

FARMERS' MARKET

October 8, 3:00-7:00pm

Join us on the courthouse lawn for the final Farmers' Market of the season on Friday, October 8!

HANDS & HARVEST CELEBRATION

Saturday, October 9

The Highland Center celebrates Hands and Harvest. Gather with us around our fire, enjoy live music, s'mores, free games, and activities. Food and drinks will be available for purchase.

WINTERTIDE

Saturday, December 4

Come celebrate the festive winter season with us! Sign up for a cookie decorating class, shop our craft and gift vendors, and visit with Santa.



Hands & Harvest market vendor – Bruce's Syrup and Candies

The Highland Center will join the Highland County Chamber of Commerce in celebrating this year's Hands and Harvest Celebration from October 8-10th.

On Friday, October 8th we invite you to our final Farmers' Market of the 2021 season. The market will be located on the courthouse lawn along with other craft and food vendors

On Saturday, October 9th The Highland Center, Highland County Arts Council

and the Highland Historical Society will host festivities at The Highland Center. We are especially excited for the debut of Pearl's Pizza, Monterey's new wood-fired pizza endeavor – you won't want to miss it!

10am-4pm: Arts and crafts demonstrations at The Highland Center pavilion.

2pm: Performance by *Larnell Starkey and the Spiritual*



Seven in The Highland Center Auditorium.

3-7pm: Music, bonfire, lawn games and activities at the Highland Center lawn/pavilion. Drinks and wood-fired pizza will be available for purchase.

7pm: Outdoor showing of Tol'able David.



Pearl's Pizza

Taste of Highland Success



Taste of Highland 2021

nity. We would like to say a special thank you to:

- Allegheny Mountain Institute
- Back Creek Farms
- Bacova Beer
- Bill Bratton
- Mike & Donna Bedwell
- Big Fish Cider Co.
- Blackthorn Lavender
- Bruce's Syrup and Candies
- The Curly Maple
- Claire's Cake Co.
- Liz Delahoussaye
- Joe DiGiugno
- Tim Duff
- Fireside Farm
- Garth Newel

Over 120 people gathered on the Highland Center lawn on September 18th to celebrate the 11th annual Taste of Highland fundraiser event.

The event featured live music by The Broken Hearts, a silent auction

of high-quality local items, and local food and drinks donated by local producers, chefs, and makers.

As always, this event was a true community effort and was only possible because of the generous support of the Highland commu-



The Broken Hearts trio.



Bartenders Erik Sax & Windsor Betts



Guests enjoy their meal and conversation

Taste of Highland Success

- Grant’s Grocery
- Mary Beth Gutshall
- High’s Restaurant
- Rick Hill
- Lauren Hindman
- Internutritionals LLC
- K&A Livestock
- Karen Milnes
- MORfoods
- Barry & Linda Neave
- Ben Padgett
- Mary Parham
- Sullystone Stables
- Susanna’s Confections
- Thorny Bottom Bees
- Tonoloway Farm
- Virginia Trout Co.
- Warm Springs Inn
- Amy Wayne
- Lorraine White
- Windrunner Farm

We give deep and sincere thanks to all who contributed and made this a success. The Highland Center could not continue its mission to serve Highland County without you!

We also give thanks to the Charles Pinckney Jones Charitable Trust which supplemented all ‘pay what you will’ tickets and allowed the entire community to enjoy the full Taste of Highland event.

Thank you all for your generous support.



Taste of Highland buffet line



Sullystone Stable helpers



Amy Wayne and Phyllis Chesser with chicken & dumplings

New and Upcoming

Here are two new and exciting things to be on the lookout for in the near future!

- The Highland Center working on updating our website. We are moving to a more user-friendly platform that will allow us to edit and update our website more easily to keep you informed of all The Highland Center's latest news.
- We are looking forward to bringing SCORE small-business counseling back to The Highland Center this fall. SCORE is the largest network of free, volunteer small business mentors in the nation. Stay tuned for more details on how to take advantage of this incredible, free service.

Tenant Spotlight



Susanna's Confections Café at The Highland Center

On September 7th, The Highland Center welcomed new tenant Susanna Baxter of Susanna's Confections. Susanna is a native of Hungary and a trained pastry chef who specializes in high-quality, European style cakes, pastries, and confections.

You can find Susanna and her assistants on the lower level of the Highland Center on Tuesdays and Fridays from 9am-

6pm. They use The Highland Center's kitchen space to fulfill their commercial baking orders and also operate a café out of our dining room.

Susanna offers monthly specials as well as a regular menu of hot drinks and delicious treats. We hope that you will stop by and see her soon.

Welcome, Susanna!



Lemon Cake



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