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Activities and Suggestions for November 7-9, 2017 Visit

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Accommodations: November 7-9th

Yonder Luxury Vacation Rentals: Loft 201

16 Church Street

Asheville, NC 28801

Check in: TBD Tuesday, Nov. 7th

Check out: 7:00 AM Thursday, Nov. 9th

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#VisitAsheville, #AshevilleMagic, #AVLSound (Music)

Facebook: VisitAsheville, Foodtopia

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Useful Links for your readers:

www.exploreasheville.com/foodtopia/

www.exploreasheville.com/music/

www.exploreasheville.com/beer/

Let us know if you link to us and we'll be sure to echo you on our social media pages!

Tuesday, November 7th 2017

Check into Loft 201 @ 4:00 PM

16 Church Street, Asheville, NC 28801

Suggestion: West Asheville Tailgate Market: 4:30-6:00 PM

718 Haywood Road, Asheville

Pop-up Farmer's Market in the River Arts District—look for the Wild Foods booth!

http://www.westashevilletailgatemarket.com/

Chestnut Dinner (Beer pairing dinner was cancelled due to low attendance)

48 Biltmore Avenue, AVL *NOTE: Alcohol and Gratuity is not comped.

Join us at Chestnut on Tuesday, November 7 at 6:30 p.m. for a 5-course meal. Chef Brian Crow of Chestnut will prepare the dishes and a Hi-Wire Brewing representative will discuss the beers.

https://www.chestnutasheville.com/

Dinner Menu

Beer Menu

Wine Menu

Suggestion: Pillar Rooftop Libations for Cocktails (Open until 12 am)

309 College Street, Asheville, NC

New rooftop bar and restaurant in the Hilton Garden Inn. Great atmosphere and delicious bites.

http://pillaravl.com/

https://www.facebook.com/PillarAvl/

Suggestion: Asheville Guitar Bar

122 Riverside Drive, Asheville NC 28801

Hole in the wall in the River Arts District—everything is made out of instruments!

https://www.facebook.com/ashevilleguitarbar/

Suggestion: Tuesday Night Funk Jam at Asheville Music Hall at 11:00 PM

31 Patton Avenue, Asheville

This gem has been an Asheville Music Happening for the past 10 years for music-loving regulars.

https://ashevillemusichall.com/

https://www.facebook.com/TuesdayNightFunkJam/

Wednesday, November 8th, 2017

Breakfast at Early Girl Eatery 9:00 A.M.

8 Wall Street, Asheville **Confirmed with Julie

Known as a farm-to-table southern comfort food experience, Early Girl has been a local favorite with great menu options.

http://earlygirleatery.com/

https://www.facebook.com/EarlyGirlEatery-123128261080262/

Suggestion: Check out the NC Arboretum 10:00-11:00 a.m.

100 Frederick Law Olmstead Way, Asheville

Offering a botanical garden, bonsai exhibit, hiking rails and more.

http://www.ncarboretum.org/

Exhibits at the Arboretum on this day include:

• Wicked Plants: The Exhibit, 9AM-5PM

Inside the Baker Exhibit Center, The North Carolina Arboretum's popular, one-of-a-kind traveling exhibit, Wicked Plants, returns to the Arboretum this fall! Inspired by author Amy Stewart's best-selling book "Wicked Plants: The Weed that Killed Lincoln's Mother and other Botanical Atrocities," this fun-filled, family-friendly exhibit gives visitors a safe, hands-on experience with some of the world's most harmful plants and diabolical botanicals.

http://www.ncarboretum.org/event/wicked-plants-exhibit/2017-11-08/

Romantic Realism by Ernstine Bucking: 9AM-5PM

Austrian-born, Arden, N.C.-based artist and sculptor Ernestine Bucking gently captures images of the diverse wonders of the natural world in her exhibit, Romantic Realism, on display in the Education Center daily October 7, 2017 – January 7, 2018. Featuring birds, wildlife, butterflies and landscapes in oil, acrylic and watercolor, Ernestine carefully uses tones and shades that closely mirror objects that appear in nature. She has hosted more than 100 one-woman shows across the nation, and has received numerous awards over the past four decades.

http://www.ncarboretum.org/event/romantic-realism-ernestine-bucking/2017-11-08/

Suggestion: Wedge Brewing and Art Studio 11:30 a.m. – 1:00 p.m.

37 Paynes Way, AVL

A unique local favorite, Wedge is nestled in the River Arts District. It has its own artist studio and offers a number of delicious brews. The Gollem is pretty delish.

https://www.wedgebrewing.com/

https://www.facebook.com/wedgebrewing/

<u>Lunch at 12 Bones Smokehouse 1:00 – 1:45 p.m.</u>

<u>5 Foundy Street, Asheville</u>*<mark>Confirmed with Angela (owner.) Ask for Tracey Young (FOH Manager)</mark>

12 Bones makes everything from scratch, smoking their meats slowly over select hardwoods that gives it a flavor all its own.

https://www.12bones.com/

https://www.facebook.com/12BonesRiver/

https://www.instagram.com/12bonesribs/

Suggestion: Explore the River Arts District 2:00-3:00 p.m.

Check out plenty of Artist studios in eclectic and funky West Asheville!

http://www.riverartsdistrict.com/asheville-river-arts-district-map/

Some Studios:

Cotton Mill Studios: 122 Riverside Drive

Curve Studios & Garden: 6,9,12 Riverside Drive

Desert Moon Designs Studios: 372 Depot Street

EcoDepot Marketplace: 408 Depot Street

The Hatchery Studios: 1 Roberts Street

Jonas Gerard Fine Art: 240 Clingman Avenue

Northlight Studios: 357 Depot Street

Pink Dog Creative: 342 Depot Street

Suggestion: Check out 5 Walnut Wine Bar 3:30 p.m.-4:30 p.m.

5 W Walnut Street, AVL

Get cozy in the middle of welcoming interiors while tasting delicious wines, cheeses and other local fare.

https://www.5walnut.com/

https://www.instagram.com/5walnutwinebar/

Suggestion: Check out Noble Cider 4:30-6:00 PM

356 New Leicester Hwy, AVL

Take in the fall flavor of Asheville's local apple orchards, which partner with Noble Cider to produce regional craft beer that's close to home.

https://www.noblecider.com/

https://www.facebook.com/NobleCider/

Dinner at Calypso 6:30 PM

<u>18 N. Lexington Ave., AVL</u>*Confirmed with Esther Francis Joseph—mention your name upon entry and your connection with Esther. 646-235-0778

Hidden gem on Lexington in a historic location. Calypso offers exotic St. Lucian Caribbean cuisine and island craft cocktails.

https://calypsoasheville.com/

https://www.facebook.com/CalypsoAVL/

Suggestion: Music at The Crow & Quill 11:30 p.m.

106 N. Lexington Ave. AVL

Hidden on Lexington Avenue, the Crow & Quill has over 600 different kinds of spirits for patrons to enjoy. The décor is Victorian with a gypsy twist and the music always involves dancing. Look for the doorway/windows that look like they've been taped up (to keep it secret).

Suggestion: Capella on 9 Rooftop Bar & Restaurant

AC Hotel Asheville Downtown

10 Broadway, 9th Floor

Asheville, NC 28801

Located at the top of AC Hotel, this rooftop bar has a chic, European style that has a great food and drink menu.

https://www.capellaon9.com/

Suggestion: The Montford Rooftop Bar and Restaurant

199 Haywood Street (Hyatt Hotel)

Asheville NC 28801

http://themontford.com/

Thursday, November 9th, 2017

Check out @ 7:00 a.m.