



Last year marked the first annual Wine Country Distillery Festival, presented by Poppy & Vine at Sally Tomatoes. The event brought 18 local distilleries together under one roof. Bringing awareness to their brands and sharing their craft with 335 locals and visitors alike, all while benefiting Social Advocates for Youth (SAY).

Attendees enjoyed distilled spirits and cocktails from local distilleries, as well as other libations from vendors such as Revive, Monarch Bitters, G's Ginger Beer + more. Event goers enjoyed Big Bites and Small Bites from Gerard's Paella, Jam's Joy Bungalow, Sonoma Creamery, Golden State Pickle and several others. In addition the event featured a cocktail competition between 5 top rated local Restaurant/Bars, along with live Music from the Real Sarah's, Miss Moonshine and a Raffle with 100% of the proceeds benefiting SAY.

With a well-received first year and an ever growing [Distilled Spirits Industry](#) in Wine Country, we're excited to say we are planning next year's event. We are over the moon to announce the second annual Wine Country Distillery Festival will take place on Saturday February 8, 2020, from 12 pm to 4 pm at its new location, Flamingo Conference Resort & Spa. The event will continue in the same format as last year, plus a food truck court, and Vendor Appreciation Party.

In conjunction with the second annual Wine Country Distillery Festival, the event will be supporting a local Non-Profit, Sonoma Family Meal (SFM). Sonoma Family Meal (SFM) was born in response to the devastating 2017 Tubbs Fire and continues to serve our community, most recently in response to the 2019 Russian River Flood and Kincade Fire. Their mission, values and passion of 'a community driven food model of food assistance that activates our connections in the local food community to assist families experiencing a transitional need for prepared meal assistance'. At the heart of the mission, its locals feeding locals, which makes Sonoma Family Meal the perfect fit for the upcoming distillery festival.

We look forward to another great year at the [Wine Country Distillery Festival](#), we'll see you there!



All the best,

Lindsay Musco

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