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## 2011 Taste of the [Twin Cities Originals](#) Food and Wine Event July 28 at TCF Bank Stadium

**What:** 2011 Taste of the Twin Cities Originals Food and Wine Event

This year's Taste of the Twin Cities Originals food and wine event will feature new dishes, drinks and flavors from 22 of the best restaurants in the Twin Cities. Now in its sixth year, the event will please foodies with some of the best appetizers, entrees, desserts and drinks in the Twin Cities. This year's strolling food and wine ticket price will include a complimentary Riedel crystal wine glasses. Come and see why Twin Cities Originals has been preserving the true spirit of the original Twin Cities dining experience at the Taste of the Twin Cities Originals event.

**Where:** [TCF Bank Stadium](#)  
2009 Southeast University Avenue  
Minneapolis, MN 55414 ([Map](#))

**When:** Thursday, July 28, 2011, 6 – 9 p.m.  
VIP hour is from 5 - 6 p.m.

**Who:** Twin Cities Originals' 22 member restaurants will be taking part in this annual event: [5120 Restaurant & Onyx Bar](#), [Afton House Inn](#), [Barker's Bar & Grill](#), [Biella](#), [Cork's Irish Pub](#), [CURRENT](#), [David Fongs](#), [Eden Avenue Grill](#), [Great Waters Brewing Co.](#), [Lake Elmo Inn](#), [Luci Ancora](#), [McCoy's Public House](#), [Marx Fusion Bistro](#), [Murray's](#), [Rudolphs](#), [Sail Away Café](#), [San Pedro Café](#), [Santorini](#), [Scusi](#), [Spill the Wine](#), [St. Clair Broiler](#) and [Woolley's Steakhouse](#).

**Tickets:** Tickets can be purchased online at [TCOriginals.com](#) starting Tuesday, June 14.

- VIP tickets are \$80 and include \$200 worth of gift certificates to Twin Cities Originals restaurants and access to the event starting at 5 p.m.
- Regular admission tickets are \$40

**About:** Twin Cities Originals was formed in 2002 by a group of local, independently owned restaurants in response to the growing number of chain restaurants. The organization fosters an environment in which independent Twin Cities' dining establishments can grow and flourish. In 2001, the number of chain restaurants grew to outnumber independently owned restaurants and continues to threaten the local dining environment. Though all members of Twin Cities Originals are competitors, 20 restaurants have come together to preserve the true spirit of original Twin Cities dining. For more information, please visit [www.tcorignials.com](http://www.tcorignials.com)