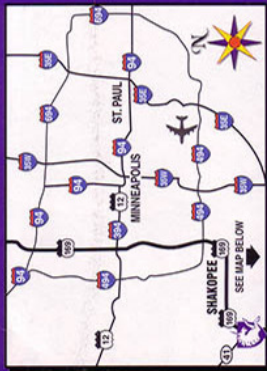




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10-19

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September 15-19



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12-16

Royal Ale Festival

September 22-26



Tip on the spirit with free beer tastings. Drawn yourself in laughter while taking in Peasant Olympics, Battle of the Bartenders and the Best Bloomers Contest.

September 17-19

Italian Carnivale



Feast your eyes on exotic cooking demonstrations, treat your appetite at the Noodle-Eating Contest and don't miss the return of the Homebrew Competition...take advantage of free mask making in the Children's Realm.

September 6-9

Highland Fling



Witness the amazing feats of the Heavy Games! Enjoy traditional Highland Dancing and learn the history of the Minnesota Coalition of Scottish Clans.

September 15-18

Full Contact Armored Jousting!
Daily Costume Contests!
Delicious Food and Drink!

Wine Gala

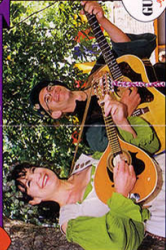
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Pleasure your palate with free wine tastings. Take part in the Charity Wine Auction and treat your feet to the annual Grape Stomp. Stroll through the delightful Flower Exhibition and join us for Sign Language Saturday.

September 22-23

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The luck of the Irish begins with free beer tastings, traditional dancing, Celtic storytelling and Gaelicath lessons. Meet your match at time honored Irish Matchmaking Contest.

September 26-28

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