

SEPTEMBER 15, 16 & 17, 2023



# ROANOKE GREEK FEST

- FREE ADMISSION
- LIVE ENTERTAINMENT
- DANCE PERFORMANCES
- RAFFLE
- GREEK CUISINE
- DRIVE-THRU - ORDER ONLINE!
- CHURCH TOURS
- AGORA "MARKETPLACE"

[RoanokeGreekFestival.com](http://RoanokeGreekFestival.com)

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## 2023 FESTIVAL EVENTS SCHEDULE

### GENERAL HOURS - RAIN OR SHINE

Friday: 11:00 A.M. to 10:00 P.M.  
 Saturday: 11:00 A.M. to 10:00 P.M.  
 Sunday: Noon to 7:00 P.M.

### MUSIC

#### Featuring: Zephyros

Friday: 11:00 A.M. to 10:00 P.M.  
 Saturday: 11:00 A.M. to 10:00 P.M.  
 Sunday: Noon to 7:00 P.M.

### CHURCH TOURS

Friday: 1:00, 3:00, 5:00 and 7:00 P.M.  
 Saturday: 1:00, 3:00, 5:00 and 7:00 P.M.  
 Sunday: 1:00, 3:00 and 5:00 P.M.

(For church tours, enter on the Huntington Boulevard entrance next to the main entrance.)

### AGORA "MARKETPLACE"

- Anytime Gem
- Basil Village
- Colossus Jewelry
- Greek Marketplace
- Morozko
- Olive Tree Secrets
- Penelope's of Greece
- Secrets of the Desert

### DANCING EXHIBITIONS

Saturday: 12:00, 3:00, 5:30 and 8:00 P.M.  
 Sunday: 1:30 and 4:00 P.M.

### DRIVE-THRU HOURS

Friday & Saturday: 11:00 A.M. to 9:00 P.M.  
 Sunday: 12:00 P.M. to 6:00 P.M.

### 2023 CHARITY RECIPIENTS

VIA Centers for Neurodevelopment • Local Office on Aging (LOA)



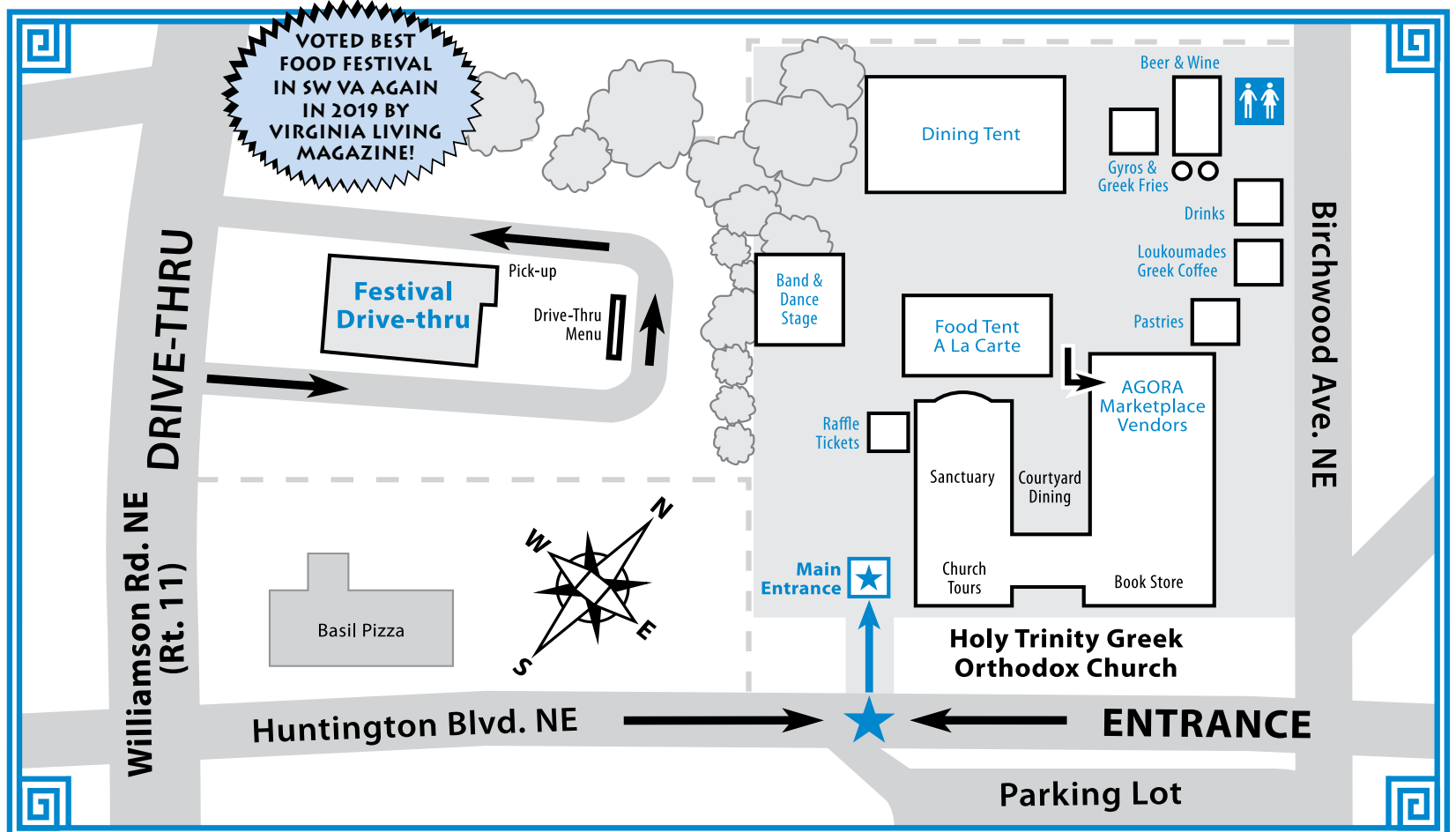
## WELCOME TO THE 2023 FESTIVAL!

On behalf of the dedicated members of the Holy Trinity Greek Orthodox Church, we extend a warm and heartfelt "Καλώς Ορίσατε" (Kalos Orisate - welcome) to the 15th Roanoke Greek Festival. After a pause of three years, it brings us immense excitement to say: Epistrepseme! WE'RE BACK!

With eager anticipation, we have been counting down the days to revive our cherished and award-winning event in the Roanoke Valley. We extend our sincerest invitation, hoping you will indulge in our authentic Greek cuisine, delectable pastries, live Greek music, traditional dancing, shopping in our Agora ("Marketplace"), insightful church tours, and the one-of-a-kind "Greek to Go" experience - Roanoke's sole Greek Festival Drive-Thru! Immerse yourself in a world rich with the sights and sounds of a culture steeped in history and adorned with beautiful traditions. We warmly encourage your participation in our church tours, which will enlighten you about our Eastern Orthodox Faith dating back to the year 33 A.D., the day of Pentecost.

Our gratitude extends to all those who have rallied behind us, contributing countless hours of labor to manifest this extraordinary event. It is with deep appreciation that we extend ευχαριστώ (Thank You) to you. This grand celebration wouldn't have taken shape without YOUR unwavering support and enthusiasm! This event fills our hearts with elation, and we eagerly anticipate the joy of sharing it with you. Your patronage is deeply valued, and we trust that your weekend here will be a source of immense pleasure. May you come to realize our unwavering belief in "LIVE LIFE GREEK."

OPA! Pete Simopoulos  
 Chairman (2006 - 2023)



## RAFFLE: WIN A TRIP TO GREECE OR \$1,500.00

Purchasing a raffle ticket will enter you into a drawing for two round trip tickets (coach class) to Athens, Greece OR \$1,500.00. Drawing will be held Sunday, September 17<sup>th</sup> at 5:00 P.M. Some restrictions may apply. You do not have to be present to win.

For details visit the Raffle link at: [www.RoanokeGreekFestival.com](http://www.RoanokeGreekFestival.com)

Raffle tickets are 1 for \$5.00  
 or 3 tickets for \$10.00

Tickets available at the RAFFLE BOOTH



PHOTO (right): Greek Festival Chairman, Peter Simopoulos with the previous raffle winner!

# ROANOKE GREEK FESTIVAL MENU

## A LA CARTE MENU (BUFFET LINES)

- PASTICHIO** (*pa-STE-cho*) - LAYERS OF PASTA AND SEASONED GROUND BEEF TOPPED WITH A BECHAMEL CREAM SAUCE. \$10.00
- MOUSSAKA** (*moo-sa-KA*) - LAYERS OF FRIED EGGPLANT AND SEASONED GROUND BEEF TOPPED WITH A BECHAMEL CREAM SAUCE. \$10.00
- SOUVLAKI** (PORK TENDERLOIN) (*sue-VLAH-kee*) - PORK TENDERLOIN SKEWER WITH ONIONS AND GREEN PEPPERS MARINATED IN OUR SPECIAL BLEND OF GREEK SPICES. \$10.00
- SOUVLAKI** (CHICKEN) (*sue-VLAH-kee*) - CHICKEN SKEWER WITH ONIONS AND GREEN PEPPERS MARINATED IN OUR SPECIAL BLEND OF GREEK SPICES. \$10.00
- YAHNI** (GREEN BEANS) (*yiah-NEE*) - GREEK-STYLE GREEN BEANS COOKED IN A SEASONED TOMATO SAUCE. \$2.00
- GREEK RICE PILAF** - RICE COOKED IN A BLEND OF SEASONINGS. \$2.00
- DOLMADES** (*Dol-MA-thes*) - GRAPE LEAVES STUFFED WITH SEASONED RICE IN AN OLIVE OIL LEMON-BASED SAUCE. (3 COUNT) \$3.00
- GREEK SALAD** - ROMAINE AND ICEBERG LETTUCE TOPPED WITH CHERRY TOMATOES, ONIONS, KALAMATA OLIVES, PEPPERONCINI, AND FETA CHEESE. SERVED WITH KEN'S GREEK DRESSING. \$5.00
- TIROPITA** (*tee-ROH-pee-ta*) - A RICH, CREAMY CHEESE FILLING WRAPPED IN A CRISPY, BUTTERED PHYLLO DOUGH. (3 OZ.) \$3.00
- SPANAKOPITA** (*spa-na-KO-pee-ta*) - A RICH, CREAMY SPINACH AND CHEESE FILLING WRAPPED IN A CRISPY, BUTTERED PHYLLO DOUGH. (3 OZ.) \$3.00
- GALAKTOBOUREKO** (*ga-lak-to-BOO-ree-ko*) - RICH VANILLA CUSTARD BAKED BETWEEN SHEETS OF BUTTERED, CRISPY PHYLLO DOUGH SOAKED IN A SWEET SYRUP. \$4.00
- ASSORTED PASTRY PACK** - INCLUDES: 1 BAKLAVA (LAYERED WALNUTS, HONEY IN PHYLLO SHEETS) · 1 KATAIFI (SHREDDED WHEAT, WALNUTS AND HONEY) · 1 KOURAMBIE (BUTTER COOKIE COVERED IN POWDERED SUGAR) · 1 ERGOLAVI (ALMOND DELIGHT! CRESCENT-SHAPED ALMOND COOKIE) · 1 MELOMAKARONO (HONEY DIPPED NUT COOKIE) · 2 KOULOURAKIA (TWISTED BUTTER COOKIE). \$15.00
- BAKLAVA** (*bah-klah-VA*) - AN AROMATIC BLEND OF WALNUTS, CINNAMON, AND SUGAR LAYERED BETWEEN BUTTERED SHEETS OF PHYLLO DOUGH, SOAKED IN A SWEET HONEY SYRUP. \$14.00 (4 PACK)

## GYRO & SOUVLAKI

- GYRO WRAP** (*YEE-row*) - SEASONED LAMB & BEEF IN A GRILLED PITA WITH LETTUCE, TOMATO & ONION AND TOPPED WITH TZATZIKI (YOGURT CUCUMBER SAUCE). \$10.00
- SOUVLAKI WRAP** (CHICKEN OR PORK) (*sue-VLAH-kee*) - TENDER CHUNKS OF EITHER CHICKEN OR PORK TENDERLOIN IN A GRILLED PITA WITH PEPPERS AND ONIONS, TOPPED WITH TZATZIKI (YOGURT CUCUMBER SAUCE). \$10.00
- GREEK FRIES** - FRENCH FRIES SEASONED WITH GREEK SPICES. \$3.00

## SEPARATE MENU AVAILABLE AT DRIVE-THRU

HOURS - FRIDAY & SATURDAY: 11:00 A.M. TO 9:00 P.M. • SUNDAY: 12:00 P.M. TO 6:00 P.M.  
DRIVE-THRU PICK-UP LOCATED AT 3415 WILLIAMSON RD. NW., ROANOKE, VA

Visit the "Drive-Thru Menu" link at: [RoanokeGreekFestival.com](http://RoanokeGreekFestival.com)

ONLINE ORDERING FOR DRIVE-THRU NOW AVAILABLE!

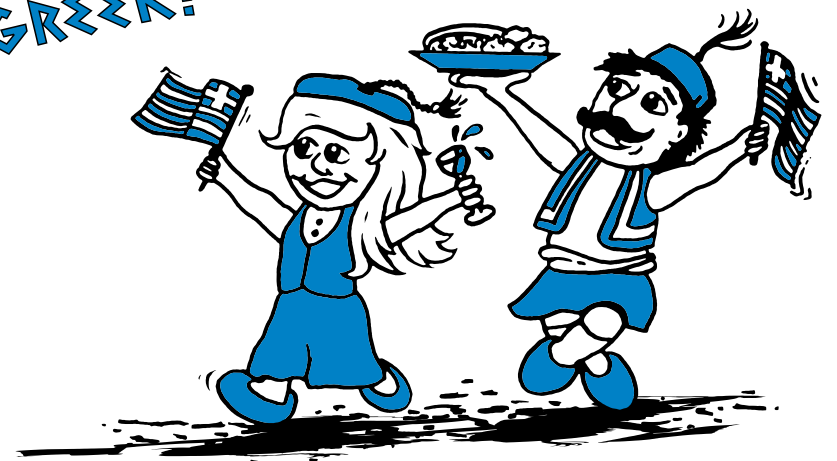
## GREEK PASTRIES

- BAKLAVA** (*bah-klah-VA*) - AN AROMATIC BLEND OF WALNUTS, CINNAMON, AND SUGAR LAYERED BETWEEN BUTTERED SHEETS OF PHYLLO DOUGH, SOAKED IN A SWEET HONEY SYRUP. · \$4.00 (EACH) · \$14.00 (4 PACK)
- BAKLAVA SUNDAE** CREAMY VANILLA ICE CREAM TOPPED WITH THE CLASSIC GREEK PASTRY... BAKLAVA \$6.00
- ERGOLAVI** (*err-go-LA-vi*) - A DECADENT CHEWY ALMOND COOKIE. \$3.00
- APRICOT-FILLED ERGOLAVI** (*err-go-LA-vi*) - AN APRICOT FILLING SANDWICHED BETWEEN TWO DECADENT CHEWY ALMOND COOKIES. \$3.00
- GALAKTOBOUREKO** (*ga-lak-to-BOO-ree-ko*) - RICH VANILLA CUSTARD BAKED BETWEEN SHEETS OF BUTTERED, CRISPY PHYLLO DOUGH SOAKED IN A SWEET SYRUP. \$4.00
- KATAIFI** (*ka-ta-EE-fee*) - SHREDDED PHYLLO DOUGH STUFFED WITH WALNUTS IN A SWEET HONEY SYRUP. \$10.00 (3 PACK)
- KOULOURAKIA** (*Kou-lou-RA-kia*) - TWISTED BUTTER COOKIE. \$10.00 (12 PACK)
- KOURAMBIETHES** (*kou-ram-BEH-thes*) - A DELICATE BUTTER COOKIE COVERED WITH POWDERED SUGAR...THE GREEK TRADITIONAL "WEDDING COOKIE." \$10.00 (6 PACK)
- MELOMAKARONA** (*Melo-ma-KA-ro-na*) - CINNAMON FLAVORED COOKIE DIPPED IN A HONEY SYRUP AND TOPPED WITH CRUSHED WALNUTS. \$10.00 (6 PACK)
- LOUKOUMADES** (*lou-kou-MA-thes*) - GREEK DONUTS SOAKED IN A SWEET HONEY AND CINNAMON SYRUP. \$5.00 (6 PACK) · \$8.00 (12 PACK)
- ASSORTED PASTRY PACK** (1 PIECE EACH OF BAKLAVA, MELOMAKARONO, KATAIFI, KOURAMBIE, ERGOLAVI AND 2 KOULOURAKIA). \$15.00

## BEVERAGES

- LEMONADA IN SOUVENIR CUP . . . . . \$4.00
- ICED TEA IN SOUVENIR CUP . . . . . \$4.00
- BOTTLED WATER . . . . . \$2.00
- GREEK COFFEE . . . . . \$3.00
- FRAPPE (ICED COFFEE) . . . . . \$4.00
- GREEK BEER (BOTTLE) . . . . . \$5.00
- GREEK BEER IN FESTIVAL GLASS . . . . . \$8.00
- GREEK WINE (SINGLE SERVING) . . . . . \$5.00
- GREEK WINE IN FESTIVAL GLASS . . . . . \$8.00
- GREEK WINE (BOTTLE) . . . . . \$20.00
- GREEK WINE (BOTTLE) & 2 FESTIVAL GLASSES . . . . . \$25.00
- RETSINA (SINGLE SERVING) . . . . . \$5.00
- RETSINA (BOTTLE) . . . . . \$20.00

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