



## San Diego Bay Wine + Food Festival named best in U.S.

Winning San Diego fest features celebrity chefs, winemakers

Mouthwatering tastings, live cooking demos, beautiful venues, celebrity chefs and sommelier-paired wine lists – these 10 North American food festivals each offer a totally travel-worthy epicurean adventure.



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### SAN DIEGO BAY WINE + FOOD FESTIVAL San Diego

Sandy beaches and sailboats set the scene for this weeklong festival in San Diego. Celebrity chefs, top notch winemakers, mixologists, Master Sommeliers, brewmasters and James Beard-winning authors join together for more than 40 events.

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The top 10 winners in the category Best General Food Festival are as follows:

1. San Diego Bay Wine + Food Festival - **San Diego**
2. Pacific Wine and Food Classic - Newport Beach, Calif.
3. Fire, Flour, & Fork - Richmond, Va.
4. A Taste of Colorado - **Denver**
5. Hawaii Food & Wine Festival - Hawaii
6. New Orleans Wine & Food Experience - **New Orleans**
7. The Taste Of Vail - Vail, Colo.
8. Taste of Chicago - Chicago
9. Charleston Wine + Food - **Charleston, S.C.**
10. FOOD & WINE Classic in Aspen - Aspen, Colo.

A panel of experts partnered with 10Best editors to pick the initial 20 nominees, and the top 10 winners were determined by popular vote.

Congratulations to all these winning festivals!