

Taste of St. Croix

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Good morning Valued Sponsors of Taste of St. Croix 2024...

Today marks two (2) week since we celebrated the 24^{th} Annual Taste of St. Croix... It is time to say THANK YOU!

Even though, sometimes words are simply not enough to express our deep gratitude for all that you do to ensure Taste of St. Croix's success; We still want to say **THANK YOU**!!!

With the support of Divi Carina Bay Resort Casino Manager Anton Kuipers and his team, we were able to return to Divi Carina Bay Resort & Casino for <u>The 20th Annual Taste</u>, <u>'Virtually Tasting'</u>, <u>The 21st Annual Taste 'Vaccination Only Taste'</u> and for <u>The 22nd</u>, <u>23rd, and 24th Annual Taste of St. Croix</u>. Although The Divi Carina Bay Resort is now fully open, they are still faced with many challenges on the hotel side of the resort and are not able to accommodate larger events such as The Taste of St. Croix at this time.

Your contribution made it possible to highlight St. Croix's vibrant culinary scene, highlight our fine restaurants and caterers to the local attendees, as well as **THE MANY GUESTS** who were here visiting St. Croix.

In addition, you are also supporting a non-profit organization that has supported many community organizations such as the St. Croix Foundation, Lighthouse Mission, The Women's Coalition, Farm to Table, Department of Agriculture, the VI Culinary Team, and many other community initiatives that makes a real difference year-round. This year's event will benefit The Lighthouse mission and The Women's Coalition of St. Croix

This year's event exceeded all expectations, and we hope you will visit our Facebook page and our website and relive some memories. You can also find the perfect photos to help promote your establishment on our Facebook page: <u>https://www.facebook.com/atasteofstcroix</u>

And finally, don't forget to mark your calendar, because the 25th Annual Taste of St. Croix will be held in April or June of 2025!

We are already looking forward to seeing you there and partnering with you once again.

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