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### **Ascension Parish Tourism Commission Introduces “Taste of Ascension”**

Ascension Parish, LA (June 18, 2015) - This year, the Ascension Parish Tourism Commission is excited to host and announce, ***Taste of Ascension***, a two-week dining event, to be held July 13-26, 2015.

Food is an essential part of the southern traditions in Louisiana and is the focal point of everything we do. Ascension Parish has no shortage of fabulous restaurants and wonderful southern cooking. Ascension Parish Tourism Commission would like you to *Get Connected* to the gumbo of cultures unique to the south and fall in love with our food that reflects our way of life in our Parish.

***Taste of Ascension*** is a special dining experience that highlights restaurants in Ascension Parish with special offers. Participating restaurants to date include Café Lafourche, Carli-Co Café, DeAngelo’s, Don’s Seafood, Galvez Seafood, Grapevine, Mike Andersons, Houmas House-Café Burnside, Mulligan’s Grill at Pelican Point Golf Club, Pelican Landing Grill, On the Half Shell, Sno’s Seafood, Tee Wayne’s Cajun Cookin’, The Cabin Restaurant and The Coffee House.

Restaurants created special priced offers and delicious fixed price menu selections that will be available for the two weeks in July. The meals will vary in courses and have set prices. Participating restaurant menus will be listed on the website, [www.TasteofAscension.com](http://www.TasteofAscension.com).

For customers, this will be the perfect opportunity to try a new restaurant or visit their favorite place for a special offer. You will be able to plan your dining experience by viewing the specials available on the website.

Each participating restaurant will be able to submit one recipe of their featured dish which may be chosen to be used in distribution all over the country. Ascension Parish Tourism Commission will print recipe cards from the submission. Restaurants will also have the recipe cards to distribute at the restaurant so customers can pick one up while dining.



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Ascension Parish is more than just grand plantations along the historic river road- it's your *CONNECTION* to great Louisiana food, exciting festivals and events, fantastic shopping, attractions, unique accommodations and all Ascension has to offer. Be sure to check out our calendar of events on our website at [www.TourAscension.com](http://www.TourAscension.com) for information. Our website is also *mobile friendly*, so you can check it out on smartphones and tablets while on-the-go or come by our visitor center located off I-10 in Sorrento located at 6967 Highway 22 (888-775-7990). Like us on Facebook and follow us on Twitter. Don't forget to sign up for our monthly newsletter on our website to receive information on what's happening in our parish. Make sure and tell your friends and family to come **Tour Ascension!** It's your connection to everything Louisiana has to offer!

