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SummerNight hosts the “Peachy Keen Culinary Contest”

AUBURN, Ala. – This year’s SummerNight Downtown Art Walk theme is Peaches! The 2023 art walk will feature the “Peachy Keen” Culinary Contest. We invite all culinary artists to submit an entry to this unique contest! Each contestant may submit an entry that will become property of the Auburn Arts Association. There is no fee to participate, but each entry must contain the featured ingredient, peach. All culinary submissions will be available for donation for the public during SummerNight, and all proceeds will benefit the Auburn Arts Association and their educational programs. Winners of the culinary contest will be announced at 7:30 p.m. on the main stage during the art walk.

Prizes may be awarded in the following categories: kids, savory, cookies and bars, pastry and bread and cakes and cupcakes. Other awards such as Judge’s Favorite, honorable mention and Best in Show may be awarded as well.

Application forms must be received by Friday Morning, June 9th. Culinary entries are due to the Dean Road Recreation Center from 12-8 p.m. on June 8 or June 9 from 8-11 a.m. for judging. The Dean Road Recreation Center is located at 307 S. Dean Road, Auburn AL 36830.

SummerNight will be held on Friday, June 9, from 6-10 p.m. in downtown Auburn and is FREE to the public. The “Peachy Keen Culinary Contest” applications are available online at www.auburnsummernight.org. For more information, please contact the arts center at (334) 501-2963.

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The SummerNight Downtown Art Walk is an arts festival that transforms downtown Auburn into its very own arts district, featuring the work of local and regional artists, live musicians, street performers, great food and children's activities. Each year, the Auburn Arts Association, City of Auburn / Jan Dempsey Community Arts Center (JDCAC), Auburn Downtown Merchants Association and St. Dunstons Episcopal Church host this event to highlight the many talented artists in our community in addition to promoting the unique Auburn downtown area.