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Welcome to Snallygaster...

Named for the fearsome and toothy mythical beast said to terrorize the DC region at the turn of the century, Snallygaster returns to DC for its seventh installment as a rollicking celebration of craft beer, food, music and more.

For one day and one day only, we'll simultaneously unleash no fewer than 350 incomparable craft beers and ciders, and feature the best of the best in food trucks, music, entertainment and family fun. If you have joined us at Snallygaster in years past, then you should know we plan to go bigger and better for this year's party in downtown DC. If you have yet to attend what Washington City Paper readers have deemed "The Best Beer Festival in DC" in 2013, 2014, 2015, 2016 & 2017 then just know we are not like the other guys. Every selection is hand-picked by Beer Director Greg Engert to represent the most outrageously delicious selections possible.

Specifics will be unveiled along the way (join the mailing list and follow @SnallygasterDC on Facebook, Twitter and Instagram for all the latest) but festival goers can expect a veritable sea of small batch, highly sought-after brews on draft from the finest American and international producers (so many of which will make their DC debut right here, and only here), as well as a host of cask ales and gravity-kegs of Franconian lager, locally brewed beers from renowned breweries in our region and much more. See 2017's beer list on our website (snallygasterdc.com) for an idea of what to expect.

Where the Money Goes...

Snallygaster serves as the largest annual fundraiser for Arcadia, a nonprofit organization dedicated to creating a more equitable and sustainable local food system in the DC area. By attending Snallygaster you are supporting the demonstration farm in Alexandria (where we grow food using sustainable practices and host thousands of school children teaching them about farming & healthy foods), 2 Mobile Markets (a 28-foot school bus and second retrofitted truck) that we turned into farm stands that make weekly stops to underserved & low-income neighborhoods and make the food both accessible and affordable through SNAP, WIC and food assistance programs, as well as a Veteran Farmers Program. Don't know about Arcadia? You should, they're doing some pretty cool things right here in our own backyard. Visit arcadiafood.org for all the deets.



Here's How It Works...

We strongly recommend purchasing our online packages (available at snallygasterdc.com) in advance so that you can beat the lines and guarantee your entry. You have two options:

The Kraken (\$40), which gives you entry to the festival at 1:30 PM and includes your admission (a \$15 value) and 30 beer & food tickets.

The Basilisk (\$65), our VIP ticket which gives you early entry at 12 pm for 1.5 hours of access to all the beers including many rare, small batch brews, plus your admission (a \$15 value) and 30 food & drink tickets.

These advance ticket packages will only be available online & will be on sale until 11:59 PM, October 12, or when sold out. They will not be available at the door on the day of the event.

If you show up on the day of and need tickets you'll be charged a \$15 admission fee, the proceeds of which are donated to Arcadia Center for Sustainable Food & Agriculture. From there, you'll need to buy food & drink tickets (we call them Snally Bucks) and then use these tickets for food & beer inside the event. Treat these tickets as cash inside Snallygaster - we cannot replace misplaced or lost food & drink tickets. We do not buy back unused food & drink tickets, but you may donate these to Arcadia at the end of the event if you wish.

\$1 = 1 ticket. To ensure that more guests have greater access to the rarest beers available during Snallygaster 2018, we will be serving the most limited selections in smaller 4 oz. tasting pours this year. Beers are available in a range of pour sizes, including smaller tasting portions (4 oz. or 7 oz.), as well as full pours (14 oz.). Full beers (14 oz.) will be priced from 6-9 tickets (on average) and tasting portions (7 oz. and 4 oz. pours) will cost 4-8 tickets (on average), tax included. Food will be priced individually depending on the item. Snally Bucks only for all beers, Snally Bucks and cash can be used at all of the food trucks.

Cash and credit will be accepted for you to purchase Snally Bucks throughout the venue. We will also have ATMs inside the event.

You must be at least 21 years of age and have a valid ID to consume alcohol, no exceptions.

Things You Should Know...

Will the event be held rain or shine?

We are excited about the weekend and certainly are not letting a chance of showers dampen our spirits as we count down the days until Snallygaster. While we will of course be considering the safety of our attendees first and foremost, we are confident that the festival will be an epic day, rain or shine.

Will the event sell out?

Due to safety concerns and in the interest of everyone having the best time possible, there is a maximum capacity restriction that we must abide by. There is a chance that we will reach that number at some point during the event and have to suspend the sale of admission. Yet another reason why we strongly encourage you to buy advance tickets online to ensure you are all set.

More Things You Should Know...

How can I find specific beers inside the event? Is there a map?

We're very excited to provide a free mobile app again this year to Snallygaster attendees! The app won't go live until the day before the event (so that it will reflect the proper placement of all the beers) so be sure to join the mailing list and stay tuned to receive updates and instructions. We'll also provide a printable map with a corresponding beer list available on snallygasterdc.com.

Where are the Snally Mugs?

Unfortunately, due to safety concerns at the new location, we are unable to offer our glass Snallygaster mugs with ticket purchases in 2018. Bummer, we know.

If I'm attending Snallygaster as a designated driver/non-drinker, do I still have to pay admission?

Any guest over the age of 14 is asked to pay the \$15 admission fee to enter. The admission fee is critical for raising money for Arcadia. From there, it's completely optional to buy food & drink tickets a la carte inside the event.

These tickets are \$1 each and can be used interchangeably for either food or drinks.

General admission is not sold in advance online.

Can I bring my child who is under 21 with me to Snallygaster?

Yes! Our friends at Arcadia will have an entire family-friendly section where kids can do fun activities such as face-painting, temporary tattoos and more. Children under 14 do not have to pay the \$15 admission.

What kind of food will be at Snallygaster? Can I bring my own?

We are not permitting any outside food and drink at Snallygaster, but there will be plenty of options inside!

Check snallygasterdc.com along the way as we update this year's vendors.

Are there going to be vegetarian options? Are there any gluten free beverage options?

There will be vegetarian options. There will also be wine and ciders available which are gluten free.

What is your refund policy?

We will not refund advance ticket packages or admission if the event is forced to end early or is cancelled the day of due to extreme weather or any other "act of God." Additionally, we do not buy back unused food & drink tickets.

We are able to offer refunds on advance ticket packages up to 7 days before the festival (deadline for any and all refunds to be processed is October 6, 2018).

Can I bring my dog to Snallygaster?

Because we're on a paved area, we're kindly asking everyone to please leave their furry friends at home.

I love Arcadia and what they do. Can I donate to them at Snallygaster?

Yes! We'd be happy to have you donate in addition to your admission fee if you so desire. Simply go to the Arcadia Mobile Market which will be parked inside the event and they can help. Additionally, you can donate your leftover food & drink tickets to Arcadia at the end of the day. Your help directly funds programs such as the Mobile Market,

Farm Camp & their Veteran Farmer Program. Visit arcadiafood.org for more info.

Is my registration/ticket transferrable? Is it okay if the name on my ticket doesn't match the attendee?

All ticket sales are final and tickets are transferrable. We'll be scanning tickets upon arrival, so there is no need to change the names on tickets if they are transferred to someone else.

Do I have to bring my printed ticket to the event?

Having your printed ticket or displayed on your smart phone will help the check-in process go as quickly and as smoothly as possible. In a pinch, we can look up your ticket by the purchaser's last name.

Do you need volunteers?

It takes a lot of humans to make this beast breathe. If you think you've got what it takes to pitch in, help out and join the fun, please fill out the simple volunteer form at snallygasterdc.com and then wait to be contacted by one of our official Snally wranglers.



Here's How To Find Us...

There are plenty of ways to get to this year's festival at 6th Street & Pennsylvania Ave. NW (actually on Penn between 3rd & 6th).

Metro Access

Take the Green or Yellow Lines to the Archives/Navy Memorial/Penn Quarter stop, or the Red Line to Judiciary Square.

Bus Access

There are many Metrobus routes that stop near the festival including the 30N, 30S, X1, P6, 16X. The Circulator also stops at 7th street & Madison Avenue NW.

Designated Drivers and Parking

For designated drivers, there is some street parking and public parking lots located in and around the area, but to be honest, this thing is so monstrous we really discourage driving here. Uber and Lyft? Absolutely!

Capital Bikeshare

There are several stations close to Snallygaster, the closest is located at 6th Street and Indiana Ave. NW

Hotel?

For those traveling from out of town, we've partnered with the Grand Hyatt Washington (located in CityCenter, a 15 minute walk to the festival site) for a reduced rate, a limited number of rooms are available to Snallygaster advance pass holders.

About Those Beers...

Unlike most beer festivals, we buy our beer from brewers and don't rely on beer donations or trades. Beer Director Greg Engert curates each and every selection at Snallygaster, bringing the same approach he applies daily to his lists at Churchkey, Birch & Barley, Bluejacket, EatBar, Red Apron, Rustico, The Sovereign, and more. The program offers classic seasonal brews alongside little-known imports, rare and exotic ales in addition to the best of American craft drafts, as well as cask ales and gravity-kegs of Franconian lager.

The Snallygaster list is all about balance: bringing the very best in craft beer from near and far to ensure plenty of flavors for every palate.

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