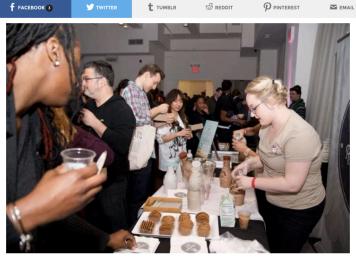
Foodies to sample New York's top eateries at ninth annual Village Voice Choice Eats tasting event

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Guests sampling desserts at the eighth annual Village Voice Choice Eats in 2015. (Photo: Farooq Alihassan)

NEW YORK — Foodies are getting their stomachs ready to experience the finest local dishes at the ninth annual Village Voice Choice Eats event Friday.

The event will feature foods from 65 restaurants around the five boroughs.

See the full list of participating restaurants

On Monday, Village Voice announced the 15 newest additions to the bill: Belle Reve, Butter Lane, Cabalito Pupuseria, Dough, ESH, The Gander, Grandaisy Bakery, Javelina Tex-Mex, Littleneck, Nha Minh, Pearl and Ash, Rosemary's, Sheep Station, Sugar Couture, and Untamed Sandwiches.



Vendors prepare small sampling dishes for each guest. (Photo: Farooq Alihassan)

Each year food critics scour the area to highlight hidden gems in the New York City food scene. Over 35 nations will be represented this year in the restaurant selection.

Foodies will move through the different courses from restaurants including The Meatball Shop, Socarrat Paella Bar and Luke's Lobster. For dessert, guests will have the opportunity to sample from Doughnut Plant, Sugar Couture, Butter Lane

and many more.

As the event continues to grow in popularity, tickets came and went quickly in the VIP categories. Foodies can still snag general admission tickets for \$70 on Ticketfly.