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Come Eat and Drink at the Festa!

San Jose, CA – New this year, the Festa will offer wines by a celebrated Bay Area Italian chef and restauranteur... who also happens to have written the book on Italian wine.

Shelley Lindgren, owner of A16 restaurant in San Francisco and co-author of "Italian Wine: The History, Regions and Grapes of an Iconic Wine Country" is providing wine from her winery, <u>Tansy Wines</u>, for our Wine Tasting Garden. Staff will be pouring Vermentino and Rose of Aglianico.

Guglielmo Winery, Bargetto Winery, Fortino Winery and Rosa d'Oro Vineyards will also be offering tastings.

And we are, of course, serving up lots and lots of mouthwatering food!

Just to give you a taste: Tony and Alba's Pizza, Sons of Sicily's sausage and ravioli, Tricarico Social Club's polenta with sauce, cheese and Italian Sausage, twisted potatoes, mango on a stick, chicken kebabs, spaghetti and meatballs, meatball sandwiches, cannoli, gelato, biscotti, coffee cake, Kettle Korn, portobello mushroom sandwiches, eggplant pesto sandwiches, fried artichokes, specialty corn on the cob and more!

Also new this year, we're offering the Italian beer, Sfizio Pilsner by Fort Point Beer Company.

42nd annual Italian Family Festa San Jose:

FREE ADMISSION

When: Saturday August 3rd 11am-7pm Sunday August 4th 11am-5pm

Where: History Park, 1650 Senter Rd., San Jose

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The Italian Family Festa is presented by the Italian American Heritage Foundation (IAHF). All proceeds support the preservation of Italian culture and the Italian American Heritage Foundation Scholarship Program. The Italian American Heritage Foundation (IAHF), a 501(c)(3) non-profit organization, is dedicated to the preservation and promotion of Italian heritage and culture in the Santa Clara Valley.