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RENAISSANCE FESTIVAL SETS NEW TABLE FOR THE 2019 SEASON
The Festival's most exclusive event:

The Pleasure Feast – The DUKE of BAVARIA
“Herzog in Bayern”

Pinal County, AZ - The Pleasure Feast at the annual Arizona Renaissance Festival is a five course one and a half hour dinner and comedy show that is the most exclusive event within the larger festival entertainment program. With Feast Hall seating at 12:00pm, and again at 2:30pm, only 200 of an average daily attendance of 14,000 may partake of the two special feasts each festival day.

Feast guests are treated like royalty as the Chef's kitchen crew and the Feast Master's boisterous serving wenches and knaves dish up a roaring good time.

A roaming feast throughout the kitchens and pubs of the elaborate 30-acre European village has always been an integral part of the Renaissance Festival appeal. The Pleasure Feast is a sit down, full service and good cheer dinner theater experience within the event.

This medieval theme park has “The Village Green” with a chapel for weddings, a reception tent for outdoor parties and special events, and the manor hall for The Pleasure Feast – all designed to accommodate a growing demand for Renaissance themed parties and corporate events enjoying the festival's very unique atmosphere.

The Pleasure Feast begins with music and comedy introductions while the audience enjoys an appetizer consisting of baskets of assorted breads; pumpernickel & rye accompanied by Bavarian Alpine crumbly blue cheese-cream cheese spread, gooseberry chutney, hazelnut brittle and gherkin pickle.

The Feast Master proceeds to introduce the delicious vegan split pea soup and the salad course, and then the meats; roasted prime rib, lightly seasoned with coarse sea salt & cracked pepper, served with sauerbraten sauce. Baked chicken paprikash; bone-in half chicken served with smoked paprika sauce, braised red cabbage, apple & chestnuts.

All of the courses are accompanied by ample drink, a side order of live music and raucous variety entertainment. (The humor is risqué and wildly funny).

The one and a half hour production concludes with a decadent black forest cake dessert while the Feast Hall staff continues to dish up their emphasis on play acting as well as cooking.

Admission to the five-course Pleasure Feast is \$75.95 per person, which includes \$28 festival admission for all park events, the one and a half hour five-course dinner and show, plus a souvenir limited edition toasting tankard to take home.

Feast Hall reservations are recommended and can be made by calling 520-463-2600. The 2019 Feast menu and reservation link can be found [here](#).

The Arizona Renaissance Festival celebrating 31 Years of Cheers is a unique combination of outdoor theater, circus, arts and crafts fair, jousting tournament and feasting opens on February 9 for eight consecutive weekends; Saturdays, Sundays and Presidents' Day Monday through March 31, 2019.

WHEN YOU GO:

What: The 31st Annual Arizona Renaissance Festival

Where: East of Apache Junction on US Highway 60, near the Superstition Mountains.

When: Eight consecutive weekends (Saturdays, Sundays, and Pres' Day Monday Feb. 18) from February 9 through March 31, 2019.

The Festival runs from 10a.m. until 6:00 p.m., rain or shine.

Tickets: Advanced discount tickets available for purchase and print at home **on-line** RenFestInfo.com or at Fry's are \$26 for adults and \$16 for kids ages 5 – 12, children under 5 are always FREE. Tickets purchased at the Festival Box Office are \$2 more. Discounts tickets for seniors (60 and older) are \$25, only available at the Festival Box Office. Parking is FREE courtesy of Fry's.

Information: RenFestInfo.com

