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RiNo Eats Kicks Off Art RiNo Weekend with One-Night Culinary Experience

The 21+ event brings together eleven RiNo-area restaurants, historic neon signs, live music and performances at Truss House on October 2

Denver, CO — [RiNo Eats](#) will kick off RiNo Art District's three-day [Art RiNo festival](#) on **Friday, October 2**, bringing together RiNo-area restaurants for a one-night culinary tasting experience at Truss House at RiNo ArtPark. The 21+ ticketed event, taking place from **6–9 PM**, will feature tasting portions from participating restaurants alongside a historic neon sign exhibition, live music and pop-up performances.

Guests will sample dishes created by participating restaurants throughout the evening, with tasting portions included with admission. Confirmed restaurants include **Barcelona Wine Bar, Butcher Block Cafe, Cimera, Corsica Wine Bar, Lunchboxx, Major Tom, Odie B's, Pit Fiend Barbecue, River, Rooftop Social at Vib Hotel, and Uptown & Humboldt.**

"Food is one of our most ancient and most human art forms, and RiNo Art District has long been a place where that gets taken seriously and is done incredibly well," said Daisy Fodness-McGowan, Executive Director of RiNo Art District. "As we mark 20 years as an arts district, RiNo Eats recognizes the chefs in our district as a vital force and central to our creative identity."

"We feel very fortunate that we've been able to call RiNo home for the past 5 years. When we opened Lunchboxx, our vision focused heavily on embracing the market concept, and providing a wide variety of quick and easy fresh offerings for the neighborhood. Whether that's grabbing a rotisserie chicken and some sides to take home to the family, or satisfying a hankering for a mid-day fried chicken sandwich, we're so happy to be serving the community," said Zach Spott, owner and chef, Lunchboxx.

Food, Art & Live Entertainment

The evening's entertainment will add a creative layer to the culinary experience. **Golden Bell**, a DJ and live-band fusion featuring drums and horn, will provide live music throughout the event. **OddKnock Productions** will bring free-flowing improv pop-ups into the event, while **Circus Foundry** will present aerial performances on a lollipop lyra. A historic neon sign exhibition will also be on view, in collaboration with **Save the Signs**, a Colorado preservation organization dedicated to documenting and rescuing Colorado's historic signage.



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Supporting Artists and Creative Work

RiNo Eats is part of RiNo Art District's broader work supporting artists, creatives, and creative businesses across the district. Proceeds from the event support RiNo Art District's year-round programming, including opportunities that compensate local artists and provide access to art, creativity, and cultural programming throughout the district.

RiNo Art District is a 501(c)(3) nonprofit arts organization that has supported artists, creative businesses, and communities across the historic north Denver neighborhoods of Five Points, Cole, Globeville, and Elyria-Swansea since 2005.

RiNo Eats Details:

Friday, October 2 | 6–9 PM | 21+

Truss House at RiNo ArtPark
3400 Arkins Ct., Denver, CO 80216

Tickets:

- **\$100 General Admission**
- **\$95 General Admission 4-Pack**
- **\$75 General Admission 10-Pack**

[Get tickets for RiNo Eats here.](#)

[Press kit with logos, poster & social graphic here.](#)

RiNo Eats is a 21+ ticketed event. Alcoholic and non-alcoholic beverages will be available for purchase. Participating restaurants will label menu items with allergen and dietary information when available, though accommodations for food allergies or dietary restrictions cannot be guaranteed.

RiNo Eats is the first event of Art RiNo, RiNo Art District's three-day festival. The weekend continues Saturday, October 3, with [Art RiNo Festival](#), a free, all-ages festival featuring live music, artist activations, open studios, and live mural painting. The weekend concludes Sunday, October 4, with [Beers Made By Walking](#), featuring a guided nature walk and tasting of place-based beers inspired by RiNo.

RiNo Eats is presented by KeyBank, with major support from the RiNo Business Improvement District (RiNo BID). Every event supports local artists, makers and creative businesses that make the RiNo Art District a vibrant Creative District.

About RiNo Art District

[RiNo Art District](#) (RAD) is a Denver-based nonprofit arts organization and one of Colorado's first state-certified Creative Districts, nationally ranked [#6 Best Arts District by USA Today](#) in



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2026. Founded in 2005, RAD champions artists, creatives, and local businesses through programming, advocacy, and creative placemaking across the historic north Denver neighborhoods of Five Points, Cole, Globeville, and Elyria-Swansea. RAD works to keep diverse creative voices at the heart of the district's identity and future, cultivating a vibrant, inclusive, and enduring creative ecosystem where artists and communities thrive, with roots in north Denver, leadership across Colorado, and serving as a national model for artist-centered places.

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