

Sunset Supper at the Market:

Dining and dancing for a good cause



The August 2004 Sunset Supper sold out all the tickets, and had donors asking for more.

By **JOHN LIVINGSTON**

The most important thing about the Sunset Supper is that it is *fun!*

The 10th annual Sunset Supper is on tap Friday, August 12, from 7:30 to 11:00 p.m. featuring fine dining, dancing under the stars and the satisfaction of helping human service agencies in the Market.

The Market Foundation sponsors the event. Proceeds benefit the Pike Market Senior Center, Pike Market Childcare and Preschool, Pike Market Medical Clinic and the Downtown Food Bank, according to Erika Sweet, event coordinator.

"The Sunset Supper is a favorite of people who are into food. It is a real *foody* event," Sweet said. "It is getting more and more well attended each year. Last year, tickets sold out."

More than 70 of Seattle's outstanding restaurants, wineries, breweries and beverage companies will serve their best creations in a buffet-style setting. The event also shows off the restaurants and beverage establishments in the immediate Market. A list follows at the end of this article or you can view it on the web at <http://www.pikeplacemarket.org/livefiles/documents/14/Sunset%20Supper%20Participants%202005.pdf>

"The restaurants donate the food, in the neighborhood of 1,000 portions," Sweet said. "This is a big contribution, and they come back year after year. They like helping with the Market organizations."

You can wander through the Market, tasting food as you go, meet the chefs and enjoy the diversity of our region's culinary offerings. Dining is *al fresco*.

"We set up tables on Pike Place and in the North Arcade. And this year, we have moved the tents around to fit more people," Sweet said. "At Sunset Patron level, there is even a special Patron dining tent, with a wine bar and complimentary parking."

After dinner, patrons can enjoy dancing in the street beneath the summer stars to the soul/funk groove of *Soul Provider*.

"The band has a great sound – soul, funk, and classics from the 60's and 70's. It's very danceable," Sweet said.

In fact, dancing tops the list of a few tips to make the event more enjoyable.

"The dance floor is the cobblestones (the surface of Pike Place), so wear comfortable shoes," Sweet said. "Dress 'party casual,' – nice, but mobile."

Another key tip to enjoying your choice of food or beverage is to arrive close to the beginning of the event.

"People who want the best selections get here when the gates open (7:30 p.m.), Sweet said. "They'll find all of the food and drink they want."

In addition to providing a fabulous evening, the Sunset Supper raises a major part of the budget for the human services agencies at the market.

PRICES

Ticket prices start at \$65 for General Admission (\$55 if purchased by July 29th). This

includes all food, beverage and entertainment. Seating is not guaranteed.

Reserved seating is \$80. This includes all food beverage and entertainment, plus admission to the Reserved Seating Area, where guests are guaranteed a seat at a table.

Sunset Patron seating is \$150 per person or \$1,500 per Patron Table. Patron benefits include valet parking, premier reserved seating in the Patron Tent, Patron wine bar hosted by Chinook Winery and Pike & Western Wine Shop, listing in program, and acknowledgement in print & e-newsletters.

RESERVATIONS

To make reservations for the Sunset Supper online, visit <http://www.pikeplacemarket.org/site.asp?p=eventregistration>.

To order tickets by phone or for more information, call 206-774-5252 or email mktfoundation@pikeplacemarket.org.

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