

# Enjoy Sussex . . . food and drink

## Tempt your senses with fresh local produce

Savour the taste of our fine Sussex fare. From pickles to pies, cheeses to chops they're all here in Wealden District. Try our Farmers' Markets, award-winning vineyards, breweries, cider makers, farm shops, nurseries, Pick-Your-Own and organic producers for a mouth-watering display of goods. Whether you want to sample some fresh fish straight off the boat from the Sussex coast, or indulge in a drop of the local brew, you'll be spoilt for choice.

### Barnsgate Manor Vineyard

Set on the edge of the Ashdown Forest with glorious views across the Sussex Weald and South Downs, Barnsgate Manor is a tranquil haven in the heart of the Sussex countryside. Take a tour of the vineyard, visit the wine and gift shop and taste the delicious wines that are only available here. Then relax in the old tearooms and enjoy a delicious lunch or cream tea.

**Location:** Herons Ghyll, near Uckfield  
**Tel:** 01825 713366  
[www.barnsgate.co.uk](http://www.barnsgate.co.uk)

### Crowborough Farmers' Market

**Location:** Pine Grove Car Park  
9am-1pm. Fourth Saturday of every month. **Tel:** 01892 664064

### East Dean Local Produce Market

**Location:** East Dean Village Hall  
from 10am-12.30pm. Every Wednesday. **Tel:** 01323 423481.

### The English Wine Centre

Close to the lovely old village of Alfriston, the English Wine Centre stocks the very best in English wines and much more besides. You can impress your friends with your very own label wines; visit the wine museum with its fascinating paraphernalia; enjoy tasting and then call in to the adjoining cellars dining room.

**Location:** Alfriston  
**Tel:** 01323 870164  
[www.englishwine.co.uk](http://www.englishwine.co.uk)

### Hailsham Farmers' Market

**Location:** Hailsham Cattle Market  
From 9am-12.30pm. Second Saturday of every month. **Tel:** 01323 833359

### Heathfield Farmers' Market

**Location:** Co-op Car Park from 9am-12.30pm. Third Saturday of every month. **Tel:** 01435 862798



*Local produce on display at a Farmers' Market*



*Another busy day at a local market*



*Try a taste of France*



*Fresh, organic produce is widely available*

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## Kent and Sussex Apple Juice & Cider Centre

There are over 25 ciders and 25 varieties of apple juice to choose from as well as a large selection of home-made cakes, biscuits, honey, jams, chutney, dried fruits and nuts along with fresh fruit and vegetables. Free tasting of apple juice and cider. Pick your own apples, plums and soft fruit.

**Location:** Perryhill Orchard,  
near Hartfield. **Tel:** 01892 770595

## Middle Farm Countryside Centre

Try the fine food in the famous Farm Shop-fresh fruit and vegetables, home-reared organic beef, gourmet selection of British cheeses, home-made pickles and preserves, and much more!

**Location:** Firle, beside A27

**Tel:** 01323 811411

[www.middlefarm.com](http://www.middlefarm.com)

## Manor Cellars

Both Barrels Ltd offers a variety of fruit wines and sparkling perry. Visitors are welcome to savour the taste of these products made to original Sussex recipes.

**Location:** Merrydown Cellars, Horam

**Tel:** 01435 812257

[www.manor-cellar.co.uk](http://www.manor-cellar.co.uk)

## Pevensey Bay Village Market

**Location:** St Wilfred's Hall, Pevensey  
From 9am-11.45am.

2nd Saturday of the month.

**Tel:** 01323 460178.

## Sussex Breakfast

**An exciting new initiative designed to build stronger links between accommodation providers and local food producers.**

The 'Sussex Breakfast' is made from quality ingredients sourced direct from Sussex producers or purchased from farm shops that are supplied by local farmers and craft producers. Visitors can enjoy milk from local small dairies, sausages and dry cured bacon made from pigs reared outdoors, free range eggs, apple juice, seasonal fruit, and tasty homemade jams, mustards and marmalades.

**For more Information:** 01424 775615

[www.thenetherfieldcentre.co.uk](http://www.thenetherfieldcentre.co.uk)

## Sussex Food Finder Directory

A business guide of local food sources and organisations for everyone who would like to know how to obtain locally produced food or find out about organisations involved in growing it, cooking it, buying it and eating it. Useful for caterers, shopkeepers, community groups and individuals. Available from Sussex Stationers £3.95.

[www.sussexenterprise.co.uk/](http://www.sussexenterprise.co.uk/)

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## Uckfield Farmers' Market

Luxford Car Park from 9am-1pm.

First Saturday of every month.

**Location:** Luxford Car Park, Uckfield

**Tel:** 01825 760646



*After your day out, relax with tea and cakes*



*Enjoy a pint of local beer or glass of wine*



*Why not try it before you buy it!*



*Sussex Breakfast – A delicious way to support Sussex*

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