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Trombone Shorty, Dragon Smoke, and George Porter Jr. to Headline 2024 Bayou Bon Vivant: Cajun Music & Food Festival

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Festival Info & Tickets: bit.ly/24Bayou

Norfolk, VA –Trombone Shorty & Orleans Avenue, Dragon Smoke, and George Porter Jr. & Runnin' Pardners have been announced as the headliners for the 2024 Bayou Bon Vivant: Cajun Food & Music Festival, sponsored by [Explore Louisiana](#), to be held Friday-Sunday, May 17-19, 2024, at Town Point Park along the Downtown Norfolk Waterfront.

The festival will also feature live performances from Dumpstaphunk, Maggie Koerner, Buckwheat Zydeco Jr. & the Ils Sont Partis Band, Meschiya Lake & the Little Big Horns, and many more. View below for the current music lineup.

The 34th Annual Bayou Bon Vivant is a three-day celebration of the tastes, tunes, and traditions of historic New Orleans and the best of Louisiana. From juicy handfuls of crawfish to world-renowned N'awlins jazz musicians, the Bayou Bon Vivant captures the vibrant spirit of Louisiana and transforms it into a weekend-long party along the Downtown Norfolk Waterfront. A wide-ranging and fun experience for the entire family, the Bayou Bon Vivant also features an Arts Market featuring a variety of New Orleans crafters, authentic mouth-watering Cajun dishes such as fresh crawfish, beignets, gumbo, étouffées & jambalaya, and much more.

New this year, Norfolk Festevents and the Bayou Bon Vivant Cajun Music & Food Festival have partnered with Explore Louisiana to celebrate the Year of Music! More details to be announced soon.

In celebration of Mardi Gras week, the 3-day passes are \$15 ONLY until midnight on Friday, February 16th. Use promo code BAYOU2024 at checkout to redeem special pricing. For more information and to purchase tickets, visit bit.ly/24Bayou.

2024 Bayou Bon Vivant: Cajun Food & Music Festival Lineup

Main Stage – Friday, May 17

8:30pm – Dragon Smoke

6:00pm – Dumpstaphunk

3:30pm – John Papa Gros

Main Stage – Saturday, May 18

8:30pm – Trombone Shorty & Orleans Avenue
6:00pm – Maggie Koerner
3:45pm – CJ Chenier & the Red Hot Louisiana Band

Main Stage – Sunday, May 19

4:30pm – George Porter Jr. & Runnin' Pardners
2:25pm – Bon Bon Vivant
12:30pm – New Breed Brass Band

Crescent City Stage – Friday, May 17

7:30pm – Buckwheat Zydeco Jr. & the IIs Sont Partis Band
5:00pm – Deltaphonic
12:30pm – To be announced soon!

Crescent City Stage – Saturday, May 18

7:15pm – Meschiya Lake & the Little Big Horns
5:00pm – John Papa Gros
2:30pm – New Breed Brass Band
12:30pm – Louis Michot

Crescent City Stage – Sunday, May 19

3:30pm – Terrance Simien
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