



















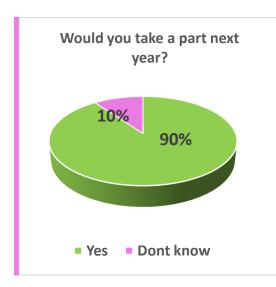
# Summary of Suiti open cafe day August 24, 2019

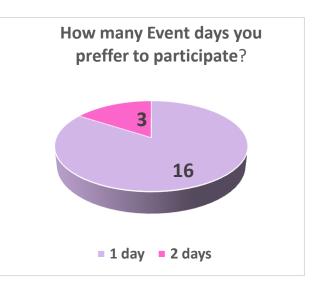
24 th of August 2019 second open Cafe Day event in Latvia took place in Suiti land. Only for one day people of Suiti opened their doors in total 20 cafes – 16 in Alsunga, 3 in Jurkalne and 1 in Basi. We have summuriesed questionaries from Open Cafe hosts and extracted feedback from visitors.

The hosts admit that attendance at the event was very high but they were well prepared and the fact that event took only one day was very important and made it easy to handle. Insipite of intensive day and so much work during the event everyone admit that event felt special like National Holiday party where both sides-visitors and organisators got so much positive emotion that they would deffinetely participate again next year.

• VISITORS VARY between 300-400 up to 850 per house

#### **Answers from Open Cafe's Hosts:**





#### Feedback from Open Cafe's Hosts:

- All guests were satisfied with service and variaty of food, some guests prefer smaller portions to to be able to visit more places;
- It was amazing that visitors age ranged from 0-80+
- Visitors suggested to have additional toiletts at least in the city;
- Many unpredictable situations, as an example all seats were booked up and we received last minute reservation from ex president R. Vejonis and his wife;
- Was easy to welcome guests with special needs (wheelchairs);
- Great opportunaty to open up creativity –in food preparation, souveniers, room and garden decoration as well activities and games;
- Wonderful chance to make alive Old shoool Park and other places where usually is quite;
- We gained confidence that we –simple people have so much power in our hands to do good and make interesting presentations for visitors;
- Brochures with an event description and information should be given out earlier;
- Next time to think more carefully for clear signs and direction instructions;
- We felt so proud about suiti culture.

#### Feedback from Open Cafe's Visitors:

- Feeling was like it is National Holiday day- friends and family celebration;
- Hopefully to be organised next year to make it a tradion;
- Enjoyed suiti performances, singing and Dudas instrument play
- Impressed by Basi traditional house-beautiful exposisition-very modern way to present traditional heritage;
- Excellent suiti, kitchen, very hospitable hosts, great atmosphere;
- Enjoyed learning suiti dialect, fun and very different from latvian;

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Pie vecās suitens! 😁 😁 😁

Varen gārd trakā drān, štrimps un špuktel visam pa virs!!!





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Una Griškeviča Paldies par viesmīlību un izcili garšīgajām pusdienām!

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Jana Skoliņa Skoliņa Mums te ļoti,ļoti patika 😉 😉







Agnese Pobusa



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Inese Aide Zināju, ka traka drān i suitu villain, vai tas būtu arī ēdiens?🤔

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Krista Pavāre Inese Aide Šajā gadījumā ēdieniem tika doti villaiņu nosaukumi. Bet tādus var dabūt tikai "Pie vecās suitens"

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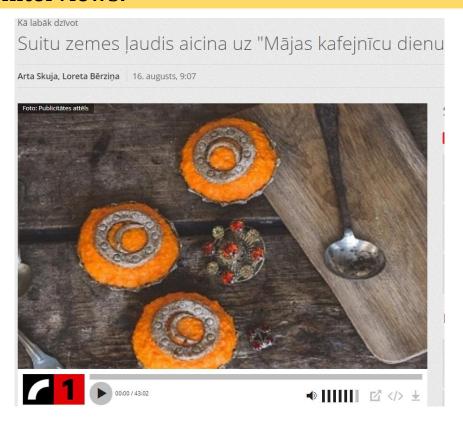




Inese Aide Krista Pavāre , paldies!

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