evening will include a cocktail and tasting reception, followed by a dinner featuring a menu created by notable chefs, including Barbara Lynch, Anne Quatrano and Vajra Stratigos. 6:30pm. VIP tickets $350. King Plow Event Gallery, 887 W. Marietta St. NW, jkahksteinamericas.org

SEPT. 13-14
Atlanta Arts Festival
Peruse the wares of local and national artists at the eighth annual festival, featuring 200 of the country’s finest painters, photographers, sculptors and more. There will also be artist demonstrations, crafts for kids, live music and a variety of tasty eats from local food vendors. 10am. Free. Piedmont Park, 1320 Monroe Drive NE, 770.941.9668, atlantaartsfestival.com

SEPT. 13
ART Party
It’s a spirited evening of multimedia art, entertainment and food, all to support the group’s exhibits, educational programming and studio artist program. This year’s event will feature a 21-artist exhibition curated by Joey Orr. 7pm. VIP tickets $250. Atlanta Contemporary Art Center, 535 Means St. NW, 404.688.1970, thecontemporary.org

SEPT. 18
Taste of Buckhead
Sample more than 50 wines and beers; nibble on a variety of selections from Buckhead eateries; and watch chef demonstrations from premier restaurants in the buzzworthy neighborhood event. There will also be auctions featuring trip packages and restaurant certificates. 5:30pm. VIP tickets $75. The Buckhead Theatre, 3110 Roswell Road, 404.467.7607, buckheadbusiness.org

SEPT. 19-20
Detroit
A Pulitzer Prize-finalist and a top 10 play according to The New York Times in 2012, the dangerously funny play Detroit revolves around a couple’s suburban barbecue dinner. Tickets from $20. Huriam Theatre, 1083 Austin Ave., 404.584.7430, huriamtheatre.com

C. Carlos Museum, 571 S. Kilgo Circle NE, 404.727.4282, ccarlosemory.edu

Legacy Ball
Head to the DeKalb-Peachtree Airport for local child nonprofit Voice Today’s second annual gala. Enjoy dinner provided by The Capital Grille in Dunwoody, along with dancing, signature cocktails and an auction. 7pm. Tickets from $125. Atlantic Aviation Hangar at DeKalb-Peachtree Airport, 1931 Airport Road, 678.578.4888, voicetoday.org

Whoopi Goldberg
The legendary funnywoman (The Color Purple, Ghost, ABC’s The View) stops by Atlanta this fall for a stand-up comedy show followed by a Q&A session with the audience. 8pm. Tickets from $65. Cobb Energy Performing Arts Centre, 2800 Cobb Galleria Parkway, 770.916.2800, cobbenergycentre.com

SEPT. 26
Back on the Farm
Take part in a casual farm-to-table dinner party at the Atlanta History Center. Chaired by Libby and David Lanies, the event will showcase a scrumptious meal as well as fabulous entertainment, all to