**MILWAUKEE IRISH FEST**

Happy to Be Home!

AUGUST 18, 19, 20, 21, 2022

IRISHFEST.COM

**THE FESTIVAL APP!**

Download the official Milwaukee Irish Fest app now for the most

current and up-to-date information. View the schedule, artists, food,

and more all from a mobile device. Available on the Apple App Store

and Google Play.

**ADMISSION & WAYS TO SAVE**

Note: Kids 12 & Under Always Free!

**GATE ADMISSIONS (**General admission)

* Thursday $5
* Friday $17
* Saturday & Sunday $23
* Kids (12 & under): Always Free!
* Seniors (60+): $17

**FESTIVAL HOURS**

* Thursday, August 18, 2022 5 PM - 10 PM
* Friday, August 19, 2022 4 PM - 12 AM
* Saturday, August 20, 2022 12 PM - 12 AM
* Sunday, August 21, 2022 11 AM - 9 PM

**WAYS TO SAVE AT THE GATES!**

* Every day—Have your hand stamped by Irish Fest gate officials and re-enter the festival grounds the same day for free.
* Every day— Active Duty Military receive free admission plus one guest any day of the festival with valid military ID.

THURSDAY, AUGUST 18

* DONATE SCHOOL SUPPLIES - FREE ENTRY
  + Free admission: Donate school supplies (markers, notebooks, backpacks, etc.) to Hope House outside the Mid-Gate to receive free admission. Partial grounds open (preview night).
* ASSOCIATED BANK CARDHOLDERS - FREE ENTRY
  + An express festival entrance lane will be available exclusively for Associated Bank cardholders. Show your Associated Bank Mastercard or Visa credit card at the designated Mid-Gate turnstile, and you and your party will receive free entry. You will not need a ticket to enter.

FRIDAY, AUGUST 19

* COLLEGE DAY - DISCOUNT
  + College students with a valid student I.D. will receive a $3 discount off of General Admission tickets at any gate ticket window.

SUNDAY, AUGUST 21

* DONATE NONPERISHABLE FOOD ITEMS - FREE ENTRY - SOUTH GATE FROM 8AM
  + Donate nonperishable food items between 8 and 11 am at the South Gate entrance to receive free admission. The festival opens at 11 am. For anyone who donates food and chooses not to attend Mass, enjoy breakfast at Paddy’s Cafe or Ward's House of Prime right inside the South Gate area until the festival opens at 11 am, or receive a hand stamp to return at any time on Sunday until 9 pm.
    - 8:00 AM - The South Gate entrance opens for Mass
    - 9:30 AM - Mass service begins
    - Location: American Family Insurance Amphitheater
    - 11:00 AM - Free admission with donation of nonperishable food items ends

**WELCOME: HAPPY TO BE HOME!**

Home is not a place but a feeling. It tells a story and has the ability to express a connection—home is where the heart is. Where family is. Where your friends are.

Home is the feeling we have when we all gather together to celebrate. This festival means so much to us all. Each year we return and it feels like we were never apart. There’s a song by Skerryvore that captures it -

“I’m home, and it feels like I was never gone I'm home, happy to be home

Home, I'm happy to be home with you Counting minutes and counting miles Closing my eyes just to see your smile Always in my dreams you're never really far Wishing every second to be right where you are”

Home is where we celebrate. Welcome home!

**FESTIVAL LOCATION**

Henry Maier Festival Park 200 N Harbor Dr

Milwaukee, WI 53202

**GET TO KNOW CELTICMKE**

Milwaukee Irish Fest is proudly presented by CelticMKE. We are a nonprofit dedicated to sharing our love of Celtic music, art, history, and culture with people both in the Midwest and around the world. Along with our one-of-a-kind festival, CelticMKE is home to a number of year-round programs, cultural-heritage projects and events.

Stay connected and visit us at celticmke.com

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**DONATE TO CELTICMKE**

It’s easy to support CelticMKE programs and their efforts in preserving and promoting Celtic traditions and music education. Call 414-476-3378 to donate.

**THE LEGEND OF DANNY The Dobhar-chú**

pronounced: do-war coo

To understand what a Dobhar-chú is (pronounced do-war coo, the "b" is silent), you first need to understand what a cryptid is. Quite simply, it's any animal whose existence is unsubstantiated. Nessie in Scotland, the Hodag here in Wisconsin and Bigfoot are all cryptids. You’ll find them in any culture with a rich history rooted in storytelling—and there are no greater storytellers than the Irish.

The Dobhar-chú—also known as a King Otter—is a cryptid that first showed up in Ireland (Conwall cemetery in Glenade, County Leitrim, to be precise) during the 17th Century. Carved into a headstone, historians have uncovered a relief featuring an animal with the body and legs of a dog, but the head and tail of an otter. Dobhar-chús are thought to live in the water and be about 10-15 feet in length with dark fur and black-tipped ears. Our Dobhar-chú (we’ve named him Danny) is believed to have swum the length of the North Atlantic Ocean; across the Gulf of St. Lawrence; through the St. Lawrence River; across Lakes Ontario, Erie and Huron; then down Lake Michigan before arriving in our harbor. He’s been spotted paddling around Lakeshore State Park, occasionally sunning himself on the rocks, and taking in the sights and sounds of our festival at dawn and dusk. If you’re lucky, you might catch a glimpse of him. And fortunately, in addition to being great storytellers, we Irish are thought to be lucky as well.

**TRADFEST**

TRADFEST TEMPLE BAR RETURNS

Milwaukee Irish Fest is partnering with Dublin's renowned TradFest for a fifth year, to showcase emerging artists in Ireland at the fest. Catch TradFest performers Brídín, Clare Sands, Emma Langford and Mike Hanrahan all weekend long. Just look for the fiddle icon on the schedule.

**THE SCHEDULE**

**THURSDAY, AUG. 18**

THE GRAND HOOLEY

SPONSORED BY ASSOCIATED BANK

Schedule subject to change. Please download the app for the most up-to-date information.

Hours: 5 PM to 10 PM

LAKEFRONT BREWERY STAGE

5:15 Clare Sands (fiddle icon)

6:30 Mike Hanrahan (fiddle icon)

7:45 Brídín (fiddle icon)

9:00 Emma Langford (fiddle icon)

MILLER LITE STAGE

5:15 Lisa Canny

7:00 Boxing Banjo

8:45 Red Hot Chilli Pipers

DANCE PAVILION

5:15 Jill Devlin and Jane Meehan - Limerick Partnership

6:45 Tulua

8:15 Phil Rubenzer's Memorial Set Dance/Session

**FRIDAY, AUG. 19**

THE GATHERING

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Hours: 4 PM to 12 AM

AER LINGUS STAGE

4:15 Cashel Academy of Irish Dance

6:00 The Drowsy Lads

8:00 The Elders

10:00 Rory Makem and Donal Clancy

CELTIC ROOTS STAGE SPONSORED BY CATHOLIC FINANCIAL LIFE

4:15 Danny Diamond & Dáithí Sproule

5:45 Aoife Scott

7:15 Shane Hennessy

8:45 Adam Agee & Jon Sousa

CIDERBOYS STAGE

4:15 Glencastle Irish Dancers

6:00 Red Hot Chilli Pipers

8:00 Enter the Haggis

10:00 Skerryvore

COORS LIGHT / PARKVIEW SENIOR-LIVING COMMUNITY STAGE

4:15 Boxing Banjo

6:00 Eileen Ivers

8:00 We Banjo 3

10:00 JigJam

LAKEFRONT BREWERY STAGE

4:15 Tulua

5:45 Milwaukee Academy of Irish Dance and Milwaukee Irish Dance Company

7:15 Tallymoore

8:45 Lisa Canny

10:15 Rum Ragged

MILLER LITE STAGE

4:15 Bellator Academy of Irish Dance

6:00 House of Hamill

8:00 Scythian

10:00 Socks in the Frying Pan

THE SNUG STAGE SPONSORED BY TRADFEST

4:15 Brídín (fiddle icon)

5:45 Clare Sands (fiddle icon)

7:15 Emma Langford (fiddle icon)

8:45 Mike Hanrahan (fiddle icon)

VILLAGE PUB

4:30 Barry Dodd

6:15 Enda Reilly

8:00 Joanna Hyde and Tadhg Ó Meachair

VIZZY HARD SELTZER STAGE

4:15 MaryAnn Miller

5:45 Frogwater

7:15 Derek Byrne & Paddygrass

CEDAR CREST CHILDREN'S STAGE

4:30 Wayne Francis, puppeteer

5:30 Acme Fiddle Company

6:30 Bellator Academy of Irish Dance

CALLEN CELTIC KITCHEN

4:30 - 5:15 Chef Mike Hanrahan

6:00 - 6:30 Johnny Harte, Five Farms Irish Cream Co-Founder

DANCE PAVILION

4:15 Céilí Lessons

5:00 Ceol Cairde - Céilí

6:30 Set Lessons

7:15 Áthas - Set (with Jill Devlin and Jane Meehan - Limerick Partnership)

9:00 The Drowsy Lads with Éamonn de Cógáin

HEDGE SCHOOL

4:00 - 4:30pm The Ballad of the Crimson Warrior - Film

4:30 - 5:20pm Finding Family With DNA Testing - Richard Hill, Genealogist

5:30 - 6:20pm The Creation of the Anglo - Treaty of 1921 - John Gibney, RIA

6:30 - 7:20pm The Importance of Anti-Racism and Anti-Bias in Education as it Relates to the

Development of the Black & Irish Identity - Black and Irish, Leon Drop, Femi Bankole,

and Briana Fitzsimons

7:30 - 8:20pm In Love with the Shape of You - Dr. Niamh Hamill

8:30 - 9:00pm The Ballad of the Crimson Warrior - Film

THEATRE PAVILION

One-act plays presented by Milwaukee Irish Arts

5:00 Melody

6:00 Bring Your A Game

7:00 Julia Elizabeth

8:00 Dead Men’s Bells

GAELTACHT

4:15 - 4:45 - Joe Ó Dónaill - Irish Language Lesson

5:00 - 6:00 - Oireachtas Show – highlights from Ireland’s premier Irish cultural festival

6:00 - 7:00 - Máire Ní Choilm – Sean-Nós Singing & Workshop

7:00 - 8:00 - Dúthracht – Aodán “Jaff” Mac Séafraidh & Jacaí Mhic Shéafraidh

IRISH MUSIC SESSIONS

Located along the Lagoon walkway on the back side of Water Street Brewery

4:00 - 6:00 - County Crossing – Irish Music Session

6:00 - 8:00 - O'Donoghue's Irish Pub – Irish Music Session

8:00 - 9:00 - Open Session – Irish Music Session

IRISH LANGUAGE WORKSHOP TENT (NO SPONSOR)

5:00 pm Intermediate Irish - Aodán Mac Séafraidh of Turas in East Belfast

6:00 pm Teaching Irish during Covid (online, in-person, and hybrid) – Rónán Ó Dochartaigh –

Oideas Gael in Glencolmcille, Donegal

FRIDAY HIGHLIGHTS

* Enjoy tea, desserts and our famous Shamrock Cookies at the Tipperary Tea Room
* Meet Irish authors all weekend long at the Literary Corner!
* Discover your Irish roots by visiting our Genealogy Area!

**SATURDAY, AUG. 20**

The Day

Schedule subject to change. Please download the app for the most up-to-date information.

Hours: 12 PM to 12 AM

AER LINGUS STAGE

12:15 House of Hamill

1:45 Kinsella Academy of Irish Dance

3:45 Volunteer Scholarship Program

4:15 Trinity Academy of Irish Dance

6:00 Rory Makem and Donal Clancy

8:00 The Elders

10:00 The Drowsy Lads

CELTIC ROOTS STAGE SPONSORED BY CATHOLIC FINANCIAL LIFE

12:15 Gray, Gosa, Noyes and Langby

1:45 Ce Reunion

3:30 Adam Agee & Jon SOusa

5:15 Shane Hennessy

7:00 Danny Diamond & Dáithí Sproule

8:45 Aoife Scott

CIDERBOYS STAGE

12:00 Gleasons

1:30 Reilly

3:00 Enter the Haggis

4:45 Skerryvore

7:45 Scottish Rock Show, with We Banjo 3, Skerryvore & Friends

10:15 Red Hot Chilli Pipers

COORS LIGHT / PARKVIEW SENIOR-LIVING COMMUNITY STAGE

12:00 Academy of Irish Music

1:30 Leahys Luck

3:00 Glencastle Irish Dancers

4:45 We Banjo 3

6:30 JigJam

8:30 Boxing Banjo

10:15 Eileen Ivers

LAKEFRONT BREWERY STAGE

12:30 Jeff Ward

2:00 Irish Fest School of Music

3:30 Beglan Academy of Irish Dance

5:00 Tulua

6:45 Lisa Canny

8:30 Rum Ragged

10:15 Finbar McCarthy

MILLER LITE STAGE

12:15 Áthas

2:00 Cashel Academy of Irish Dance

4:00 Paddy Homan & the Noble Call

6:00 Socks in the Frying Pan

8:00 Dervish

10:00 Scythian

THE SNUG STAGE SPONSORED BY TRADFEST

12:15 Jill Devlin and Jane Meehan - Limerick Partnership

2:00 Mike Hanrahan (fiddle icon)

3:45 Emma Langford (fiddle icon)

5:30 Clare Sands (fiddle icon)

7:15 Brídín (fiddle icon)

VILLAGE PUB

12:30 Enda Reilly

2:15 Kim Robertson

4:00 Diddley Idols

5:45 Joanna Hyde and Tadhg Ó Meachair

7:30 Evan & Tom Leahy

VIZZY HARD SELTZER STAGE

12:15 Curtis Crossroads

1:45 Green Sails

3:15 Rory Modlinski

4:45 Atlantic Wave

6:15 Dublin O’Shea

CEDAR CREST CHILDREN'S STAGE

12:15 Glencastle Irish Dancers

1:15 Freckle Contest

2:15 Acme Fiddle Company

3:15 Fox and Branch

4:15 Schauer Arts Center Irish Dancers

5:15 Wayne Francis, Puppeteer

6:15 Na Faolchúnna

CALLEN CELTIC KITCHEN

1:00 - 1:45 Chef Brian Moran

3:00 - 3:45 Chef Doug Leonhardt

5:00 - 5:45 Chef Mike Hanrahan

6:30 - 7:00 Johnny Harte, Five Farms Irish Cream Co-Founder

DANCE PAVILION

1:00 Ceol Cairde - Céilí

2:30 Set Lessons

3:15 Cream City Ceili Bands - Set

5:00 Céilí Lessons

5:45 Frogwater - Céilí

7:30 Chicago Reel - Set

9:30 Socks in the Frying Pan with Éamonn de Cógáin

HEDGE SCHOOL

12:30 - 1:00pm The Ballad of the Crimson Warrior - Film

1:00 - 1:50pm The Handover of Power and the British Withdrawal from Ireland, 1922 - John

Gibney, RIA

2:00 - 2:50pm The Shared Heritage of the Irish Language - Aodán Mac Séafraidh

3:00 - 3:50pm Minister Martin Heydon, TD

4:00 - 4:50pm Consul General of Ireland, Chicago - Sarah Keating

5:00 - 5:50pm An Introduction to the Poetry of Ireland - Ten Great Poems You Need to Know -

Dr. Niamh Hamill

6:00 - 6:50pm The Importance of Anti-Racism and Anti-Bias in Education as it Relates to the

Development of the Black & Irish Identity - Black and Irish, Leon Drop, Femi Bankole,

and Briana Fitzsimons

7:00 - 7:50pm Great Highland Bagpipes and Celtic Culture - Rob Bowen

8:00 - 8:30pm The Ballad of the Crimson Warrior - Film

THEATRE PAVILION

One-act plays presented by Milwaukee Irish Arts

12:30 Bring Your A Game

1:30 Casey At The Bat/Casey’s Revenge

2:00 Dead Men’s Bells

3:15 Thirst

4:15 Julia Elizabeth

5:30 Melody

6:30 Bring Your A Game

7:15 Casey At The Bat/Casey’s Revenge

8:00 Dead Men’s Bells

GAELTACHT

12:15 - 1:15 Dúthracht – Aodán “Jaff” Mac Séafraidh & Jacaí Mhic Shéafraidh

1:30 - 2:30 Danielle Enblom - Sean-Nós Dance & Workshop

2:45 - 3:45 Oireachtas Show - highlights from Ireland’s premier Irish cultural festival

4:00 - 4:30 Joe Ó Dónaill - Irish Language Lesson

4:45 - 5:45 Enda Reilly

6:00 - 7:00 Máire Ní Choilm – Sean-Nós Singing & Workshop

7:15 - 8:00 Ardán Oscailte – Singalong & Open Mic

JOHN BYRNE STAGE

12:30 Storytime with Mamo Keera

1:30 Storytime with Mamo Keera

2:30 Wayne Francis, Puppeteer

3:30 Joanie McGovern, Stories and Songs

4:30 Hugh Irwin, The Kilted Magician

IRISH MUSIC SESSIONS

Located along the Lagoon walkway on the back side of Water Street Brewery

12:00 - 2:00 Oconomowoc Session – Irish Music Session

2:00 - 4:00 Irish Fest Song Circle – Irish Music Session, Songs

4:00 - 6:00 Draft and Vessel – Irish Music Session

6:00 - 8:00 Paddy's Pub – Irish Music Session

8:00 - 9:00 Open Session – Irish Music Session

IRISH LANGUAGE WORKSHOP TENT

2:00 pm Intermediate Irish - Aodán Mac Séafraidh of Turas in East Belfast

3:00 pm The Book Cré na Cille and the Author Máirtín O Cadhain - Dr. Brian Ó Conchubhair,

Notre Dame University

4:00pm Welcome Reception for the new Fullbright teacher at UWM Center for Celtic Studies

—Cailín Fox

CURRACH RACES

Watch along the lagoon!

12:00PM - 5:00PM Milwaukee Currach hosts the North American Currach Association regatta

SATURDAY HIGHLIGHTS

* 1:15pm Children’s Freckle Contest at the Cedar Crest Children’s Stage
* 7:45pm Scottish Rock Show with We Banjo 3, Skerryvore & Friends at the CiderBoys Stage
* Cool off with a Jameson Old Fashioned Slushy at the Jameson Cool Zone (ages 21+)
* Download our App to find out when we’re tappin’ exclusive Lakefront Firkin Beers (ages 21+)!

**SUNDAY, Aug, 21**

The Scattering

Schedule subject to change. Please download the app for the most up-to-date information.

Hours: 11 AM to 9 PM

AER LINGUS STAGE

11:15 Beglan Academy of Irish Dance

12:45 House of Hamill

2:15 Rory Makem and Donal Clancy

4:00 The Elders

5:45 The Drowsy Lads

7:30 Raffle Drawing

7:45 Volunteer of the Year

8:00 The Scattering

CELTIC ROOTS STAGE SPONSORED BY CATHOLIC FINANCIAL LIFE

11:15 Adam Agee & Jon Sousa

1:00 Danny Diamond & Dáithí Sproule

2:45 Aoife Scott

4:30 Song Circle with Aoife Scott

6:15 Shane Hennessy

CIDERBOYS STAGE

11:15 Radiation

12:45 Kinsella Academy of Irish Dance

2:30 Skerryvore

4:15 Red Hot Chilli Pipers

6:00 Enter the Haggis

COORS LIGHT / PARKVIEW SENIOR-LIVING COMMUNITY STAGE

11:30 McNamara McCarthy School of Irish Dance

1:15 Boxing Banjo

3:00 Eileen Ivers

4:45 JigJam

6:30 We Banjo 3

LAKEFRONT BREWERY STAGE

11:15 Cat and Hare

12:45 The Boils

2:30 Tulua

4:15 Rum Ragged

6:00 Lisa Canny

MILLER LITE STAGE

11:15 Trinity Academy of Irish Dance

1:00 Dervish

2:45 Socks in the Frying Pan

4:30 Dervish

6:15 Scythian

THE SNUG STAGE SPONSORED BY TRADFEST

11:15 Clare Sands (fiddle icon)

1:00 Emma Langford (fiddle icon)

2:45 Brídín (fiddle icon)

4:30 Jill Devlin and Jane Meehan - Limerick Partnership

6:15 Mike Hanrahan (fiddle icon)

VILLAGE PUB

11:15 Diddley Idols

1:00 Hearthfire

2:45 Ian Gould

4:30 Joanna Hyde and Tadhg Ó Meachair

6:15 Pay the Devil

VIZZY HARD SELTZER STAGE

11:15 3 Pints Gone

12:45 Lilies of the Midwest

2:15 Tis

3:45 The O’Bradys

5:15 Blackthorn Folly

CEDAR CREST CHILDREN'S STAGE

11:15 Wayne Francis, Puppeteer

12:15 Janelle Lake, Harpist

1:15 Red Hair Contest

2:15 Fox and Branch

3:15 Kinsella Academy of Irish Dance

4:15 Na Faolchúnna

5:30 Milwaukee Irish Fest School of Music

CALLEN CELTIC KITCHEN

1:00 - 1:45 Chef Mike Hanrahan

3:00 - 3:45 Chef Joe Parajecki

DANCE PAVILION

12:00 Ceol Cairde - Céilí

1:45 Set Lessons

2:30 Áthas - Set

4:30 Chicago Reel with Éamonn de Cógáin

HEDGE SCHOOL

11:00 - 11:30am The Ballad of the Crimson Warrior - Film

11:30 - 12:20pm The Enduring Wisdom of Ulysses for 2022 - Dr. Leah Flack

12:30 - 1:20pm The Occupation of the Irish Consulate, New York, 1922 - John Gibney, RIA

1:30 - 2:20pm The Shared Heritage of the Irish Language - Aodán Mac Séafraidh

2:30 - 3:20pm The Catholic Church in Ireland, Past, Present and Future: Some Reflections -

Archbishop Jude Thaddeus Okolo

3:30 - 4:20pm From an English Pope to an Irish Rebellion; The Story of the Oireachta -

Ray MacMánais

4:30 - 5:20pm The Importance of Anti-Racism and Anti-Bias in Education as it Relates to the

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and Briana Fitzsimons

5:30 - 6:20pm Poetry Hour

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2:00 - 4:00 Fig & Pheasant – Irish Music Session

4:00 - 6:00 County Clare – Irish Music Session

6:00 - 8:00 Open Session – Irish Music Session

IRISH LANGUAGE WORKSHOP TENT

2:00 pm Intermediate Irish – Rónán Ó Dochartaigh – Oideas Gael in Glencolmcille, Donegal

3:00 pm The Book Bone and Marrow: An Anthology of Irish Poetry – The Effect of the Irish

language on Irish Poetry by the Author Dr. Brian Ó Conchubhair, Notre Dame University

CURRACH RACES

Watch along the lagoon!

1:00PM - 1:30PM Battle of the Badges

1:30PM - 2:00PM Summerfest Security vs Irish Fest Security

2:30PM - 3:00PM Battle of the Branches

SUNDAY HIGHLIGHTS

* The Liturgy for Peace and Justice with Celebrant Archbishop Thaddeus Jude Okolo
* Service begins at 9:30 a.m. View the front of the brochure for admission information
* 1:15pm Children’s Red Hair Contest at the Cedar Crest Children’s Stage
* 8:00pm The Scattering at the Aer Lingus Stage

**EXPERIENCE IT ALL AT MILWAUKEE IRISH FEST**

There is something for everyone and every age!

**CULTURAL VILLAGE**

Immerse yourself in Irish culture beyond the music:

* Discussions from field experts on modern and historical
* Ireland at the Hedge School
* Live theater
* History exhibits
* Literary corner
* Genealogy area
* Gaeltacht and Irish Language Workshop

**SHOPPING, FOOD & DRINK**

Explore one of the largest gatherings of Irish vendors in the world

* Irish crafts
* Jewelry
* Apparel
* Home décor
* Jameson Irish Whiskey
* Official Milwaukee Irish Fest souvenirs
* Five Farms Irish Cream
* Authentic Celtic food
* Craft Beer, Wine and Meade

**FAMILY FUN**

Experience fun for the whole family

* Pop-Up parades
* Crafts
* Family passport
* Leprechaun village
* Children’s entertainment

**IRISH DESTINATIONS/TRAVEL TO IRELAND**

See it here, experience it there!

* Music & cultural tour of Ireland trip
* Book your trip with on-site travel experts

**SPORTS**

Watch athletes compete in Celtic Sports

* Currach races

**VIP EXPERIENCES**

**FÁILTE CLUB**

With the Fáilte Club, you get access to an incredible elevated view from an upper deck overlooking the Miller Lite Stage. VIP wristbands include two beverages, a private bar, private restrooms, complimentary snacks, and come-and-go access. Walk-ups may be available.

Visit the VIP entrance at the south end of the Miller Lite Upper Deck to find out more. Thursday $25, Friday $35, Saturday $45, Sunday $30 or purchase a 3-day pass (good Fri-Sun) $89

**HERO HUT**

The Hero Hut offers a free covered rest area with complimentary snacks, non-alcoholic beverages and veteran’s resource information to active and retired military veterans of all branches, first responders and up to three accompanying family members.

Location: Northeast side of the U.S. Cellular Stage

* Friday: 4 - 8 pm
* Saturday: 12 pm - 8 pm
* Sunday: 11 am - 7 pm

**JAMESON WHISKEY AREAS**

* Jameson (Main Bar)
* Jameson Express - 3 Locations!
* Jameson Cool Zone
* The Cottage: Premium Whiskey, Wine, Chocolate and Cheese Sponsored by Tralee Irish Imports

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Tralee Irish Imports

Ward's House of Prime

Water Street Brewery

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O'Neil, Cannon, Hollman, DeJong & Laing, S.C.

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