

Choctoberfest Returns to Downtown Hershey October 15

The public is invited to the 7th annual Choctoberfest event, Saturday, October 15, 2022 from 11 a.m. to 6 p.m. in ChocolateTown Square, at the corners of Chocolate and Cocoa Avenues. This free family festival is organized by the Downtown Hershey Association and features live bands, beer, bites and plenty of chocolate.

Food and drink will be available to purchase from three dozen vendors. Food vendors include Chocolate Avenue Grille, Smoked, Devon, Houlihan's and Soulfully Famous. Beverage vendors on tap include Troegs, Englewood Brewing, Hidden Still Spirits, Boneshire Brew Works and more. Guests will also be able to pair their favorite Hershey's candy with the beer available for purchase.

In addition, several specialty crafts will be on sale by area artisans. Children's activities, including skee ball, corn hole, and inflatable axe throwing, will also be available. Musical performers include The Bad Toupees, Blitz Dynette, and Corinna Joy Band.

Guests are also invited to participate in the Second Annual Chocolate Cake Baking Contest, judged by local culinary experts and the public. Prizes will be awarded for both categories of judging. Cakes must arrive at ChocolateTown Square Park no later than 10:30 a.m. on October 15th. Judging will begin promptly at 11:00 a.m. and winners will be announced at 3:00 p.m. The entry fee is \$10 and may be mailed to: DHA - Choctoberfest 2022 P.O Box 174 Hershey, PA 17033.

For more information and to volunteer to help with the event, please visit downtownhershey.com.

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