

CANTON NEWS UPDATE



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Canton's 17th Annual Brews, Brats, and Bands Returns to Preservation Park

(Canton, MI – August 18, 2026) Back for its 17th year, Canton's Brews, Brats, and Bands will take place at Preservation Park on Saturday, September 12, 2026, from 6 - 9 p.m. This event offers craft beer enthusiasts and attendees aged 21 and over a variety of enjoyable drinks, delicious brats, live music, and more!

Preparations are well underway for this special event, which will be hosted by Canton Parks, Recreation & Community Services and the Arts Warehouse at Cherry Hill, in Preservation Park, located at 500 N. Ridge Road in Canton, MI. Sponsors of this annual event include Schoolcraft College, and UBS.

"This popular fall event provides access to over 75 specialty beers, ciders, seltzers and now mocktails in one location, which is appealing to both newcomers and seasoned beer aficionados alike," said Kevin Ryan, Arts Warehouse at Cherry Hill Community Program Director. "Any event involving drinking craft beers, eating brats, and listening to music with friends and family is bound to be a good time. Plus, proceeds from this year's event will benefit the Arts Warehouse at Cherry Hill, which is a 501(c)(3) non-profit organization that is based in Canton, MI that serves as a nexus for the arts, culture, music, and community engagement, as well as the Canton Cares Fund, which supports the Canton community by providing financial assistance to disaster relief, therapeutic recreation, youth and senior programs."

Admission includes eight tasting tokens, each good for beer, cider, mocktail, or seltzer tasting samples, plus one grilled brat of your choice (vegetarian option available), a bag of chips, a snack from the pretzel necklace-making station, water, chili cook-off tastings, and a commemorative mug! The tasty brats will be provided by Gameday Social Bar. Additionally, musical entertainment will be provided throughout the evening by the Persuasion Band.

Tickets are \$45 plus a per-ticket service charge and can only be purchased online at Beerfests.com by searching Canton, MI. Designated driver tickets are just \$15, plus a per-ticket service charge. Advance ticket sales are encouraged to guarantee your spot. Only credit cards and debit cards will be accepted at all points of purchase, including limited day-of ticket sales at the door (if still available). Additional beer tasting tickets are available for purchase; receive 4 additional tickets for just \$5. Since limited chairs and tables will be provided, attendees are encouraged to bring their own folding chairs

For more information on Brews, Brats, and Bands, visit www.cantonfun.org. Remember, please drink responsibly and always assign a designated driver.

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