



MISSOULA DOWNTOWN ASSOCIATION  
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## **10TH ANNUAL WINTER BREWFEST COMES TO CARAS PARK SATURDAY, FEB. 29, 2020**

The Missoula Downtown Association and TrailWest Bank will host the tenth annual Winter BrewFest on Saturday, February 29, 2020 from 2-6 pm. Held at Caras Park, it will feature beer, cider, wine, food, entertainment and more. The public is invited to sample a variety drinks while experiencing a unique winter-time event in the heart of Downtown.

In addition to showcasing over 40 microbrews from 33 different breweries, there will be a wine and mimosa bar, plus water and non-alcoholic drinks for non-drinkers and designated drivers.

This year's event will showcase Trevor Pressler as DJ for the third-straight year, as well as food from a couple of Missoula's best food trucks: Clove Cart Pizza and River City Eats. Attendees can stay warm throughout the event with burn barrels and propane heaters.

"Come February each year, Missoulians are looking for ways to get out of the house and experience a fun and unique event," said Winter BrewFest committee chair Ellen Buchanan. "Winter BrewFest continues to grow year after year. Folks really love the options we bring in alongside great music, local food vendors, and burn barrels to keep them warm."

Saturday's event also features free Carousel rides and s'mores from 2-4 pm, thanks to Farmer's State Bank. Before or after visiting the Carousel, families are encouraged to head to the Caras Park pavilion for drinks, dancing, and food.

While Winter BrewFest is free for all to enjoy, those looking to taste beers, wine, and mimosas will need to purchase an official event glass for \$20 per person, which includes five drink tokens. Additional tokens are two for \$3. Event organizers encourage attendees to drink responsibly and bring designated drivers – soda and water will be available for non-drinkers.

Additionally, the MDA will welcome Think Twice DUI Prevention to Winter BrewFest. Think Twice offers a grassroots effort designed to educate the public on DUI prevention, which includes equipping people with an understanding of their own do not drive threshold. Think Twice and its volunteers will educate the general public about the difference between intoxication and BAC.

When traveling to Winter BrewFest, remember parking is free Downtown on weekends. Zero-Fare Mountain Line bus BOLT! service runs until 8:45pm out of Downtown, and the University of Montana UDASH shuttle runs 15-minute service

late into the night. Check [mountainline.com](http://mountainline.com) or the Mountain Line mobile app for routes and times. Taxi service and Uber drivers are also available as well for safe transportation home.

**Official Winter BrewFest 2020 Beer List:**

Killarney Red Lager	Bayern Brewing	Missoula, MT
Sky Hyzer Hazy IPA	Big Sky Brewing	Missoula, MT
Raspberry Blonde	Big Sky Brewing	Missoula, MT
Red Dread Imperial Red Ale	Bitterroot Brewing	Hamilton, MT
Munich Dunkel	Blackfoot River Brewing	Helena, MT
Winter Haze IPA	Blacksmith Brewing	Stevensville, MT
Ravalli Red	Blacksmith Brewing	Stevensville, MT
Raspberry Vanilla Porter	Breckenridge Brewing	Breckenridge, CO
Terroir Local Fresh Hop Ale	Bozeman Brewing	Bozeman, MT
Mosaic SMASH IPA	Cabinet Mountain Brewing	Libby, MT
Coconut Porter	Carter's Brewing	Billings, MT
Drum Kick Java Stout	Conflux Brewing	Missoula, MT
Fluctuation Found Belgian Tripel	Conflux Brewing	Missoula, MT
Blueberry Mojo Kombucha	Dean's Zesty Booch	Bozeman, MT
Hand Rolled Hazy IPA	Draught Works	Missoula, MT
Centennial IPA	Flathead Lake Brewing	Big Fork, MT
Mexican Chocolate Porter	Great Burn Brewing	Missoula, MT
Tropical IPA	Great Burn Brewing	Missoula, MT
Mango Cart	Golden Road Brewing	Los Angeles, CA
MT Hazy NEIPA	Higher Ground Brewing	Hamilton, MT
Strange Haze IPA	Highlander Brewing Co.	Missoula, MT
Montañesa Lager	Highlander Brewing Co.	Missoula, MT
Freedom Fighter IPA	Imagine Nation	Missoula, MT
Bard Immortal Olde Ale	Imagine Nation	Missoula, MT
Mountain Man Scotch Ale	Jeremiah Johnson Brewing	Great Falls, MT
Strong Scotch Ale	Katabatic Brewing	Livingston, MT
Shady New England IPA	Kettlehouse Brewing	Missoula, MT
Flathead Cherry Cider	Last Chance Cider Mill	Billings, MT
Juicy Obsession IPA	Lewis & Clark Brewing	Helena, MT
Miner's Gold	Lewis & Clark Brewing	Helena, MT
Salmon Fly Honey Rye	Madison River Brewing	Belgrade, MT
Whilsner Wheat Pilsner	Meadowlark Brewing	Sidney, MT
Darby Pub Cider	Montana Cider Works	Darby, MT
Storm the Door Vanilla Porter	Muddy Creek Brewing	Butte, MT
Latte Milk Stout	Neptune Brewing	Livingston, MT
Vorfreude Vienna Lager	Philipsburg Brewing	Philipsburg, MT
Sip and Go Naked Apricot Ale	Tamarack Brewing	Lakeside, MT
Queen City Pale Ale	Ten Mile Creek Brewing	Helena, MT
Groovis Hazy IPA	Über Brew	Billings, MT
The Colonial	Western Cider Co.	Missoula, MT
Ranch Hand	Western Cider Co.	Missoula, MT

Winter BrewFest is sponsored by TrailWest Bank, the Trail 103.3, Gecko Designs and Farmer's State Bank. More information can be found online at [www.missouladowntown.com/winter-brewfest](http://www.missouladowntown.com/winter-brewfest), by contacting the Downtown Missoula Partnership staff via phone (406-543-4238), or email ([info@missouladowntown.com](mailto:info@missouladowntown.com)).

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