





16 October 2024

## Bavarian celebrations back at the Brisbane Showgrounds

Australia's largest and longest running Oktoberfest celebration returns to the Brisbane Showgrounds this Saturday for the second year.

More than 8,000 people are expected to attend Oktoberfest in the Gardens, which will feature live bands, DJs, a huge Beer Hall, silent disco, rave party, thrill rides, dodgeball, a stein holding competition and more.

There will also be plenty of authentic German food and beverages including pork hocks, pretzels, schnapps, bratwurst and imported beer.

Attendees are encouraged to dust off their Dirndl and Lederhosen for the occasion, with prizes to be won for those crowned Miss and Mr Oktoberfest.

Brisbane Showgrounds General Manager of Venue Sales and Marketing Jago Coyle said Oktoberfest in the Gardens had been running for more than a decade, introducing Brisbane to its tour list last year.

"The popular event will be held in seven cities across Australia this month and we are thrilled to once again be chosen as the Brisbane venue," Mr Coyle said.

"We're looking forward to seeing the vibrant Oktoberfest atmosphere take over more than two hectares of space in our Sideshow Alley area."

Oktoberfest in the Gardens takes place from 1-9pm on Saturday with tickets available online.

The Brisbane Showgrounds precinct is located 1.5km from Brisbane's CBD and is Queensland's largest indoor/outdoor events site. Visit <a href="www.brisbaneshowgrounds.com.au">www.brisbaneshowgrounds.com.au</a>

Don't forget to follow us on social media @brisbaneshowgrounds











## MEDIA ENQUIRIES:

Veronica Carew General Manager Communications Ph: 07 3253 3930/ 0408 323 631

Email: vcarew@rna.org.au

Nicole Clifton Media & Communications Advisor 0417 451 775

Email: nclifton@rna.org.au