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## Steins up as German festivities take over the Brisbane Showgrounds

Brisbane's biggest Bavarian celebration, Oktoberfest in the Gardens, will turn the Brisbane Showgrounds into a slice of Munich tomorrow.

More than 8,000 people are expected to don their dirndls and lederhosen for the ultimate German-inspired party, featuring traditional food and beer, live oompah bands, a Berghain-inspired Rave Cave and plenty of dancing inside Festival Hall.

Oktoberfest in the Gardens will also feature rides and games, roving performers and classic competitions such as stein holding and bratwurst eating.

Brisbane Showgrounds General Manager of Venue Sales and Marketing Jago Coyle said the popular event brought a true taste of Bavaria to Brisbane each year.

"Now in its third year at the Showgrounds, Oktoberfest in the Gardens transforms our Sideshow Alley into a vibrant celebration of German culture, food and entertainment," Mr Coyle said.

"It's fantastic to see thousands of people come together to enjoy the unique atmosphere this event creates - it's a real highlight of our spring events calendar."

Oktoberfest in the Gardens is part of a national tour, which attracts more than 65,000 people across Australia each year.

The event runs from 1pm to 9pm tomorrow (Saturday 11 October), with tickets still 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="https://www.brisbaneshowgrounds.com.au">www.brisbaneshowgrounds.com.au</a>

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