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COLUMBUS TACO FEST® RETURNING IN MAY TO ORIGINAL LOCATION AT GENOA PARK FOR TWO DAYS OF TACOS + TEQUILA + MUSIC

COLUMBUS, OH –January 31, 2022 - Columbus’ premier taco festival will be back this spring for its fourth annual event, returning to its founding location at Genoa Park on the downtown riverfront for the first time since 2019. Come enjoy some of the best tacos and live music the city has to offer at the 2022 Columbus Taco Fest®, which will take place **May 14-15**.

Entry to the festival is free. A portion of the proceeds from the festival will once again benefit the **Ohio Restaurant Employee Relief Fund**, an emergency fund for Columbus’ personnel in the food service industry who have been affected by the COVID-19 pandemic. Visit www.ohiorestaurantsrelief.org for more information.

Highlights of this year’s festival include The Puppy Dress-Up Contest, which will benefit **RESCUEDohio**, a volunteer-run, non-profit organization whose mission is to find homes for unwanted or abandoned dogs. Dress your furry friends in their very best to help dogs currently in foster homes find their forever families. To learn more and view dogs available for adoption, visit www.rescuedohio.org.

“We are beyond excited for the return of the 2022 Columbus Taco Fest® to its founding location at Genoa Park,” said Event Organizers Hugo Albornoz and Sydney Kondas. “This location is the perfect spot for tacos lovers to come and spend the weekend enjoying some of the most beautiful views in the city. We are also very proud to be partnering with local organizations that are helping to make a positive impact on the lives of individuals throughout our community.”

A list of participating taco trucks, live music lineup, and more information will be available soon at www.columbustacofest.com. Taco lovers can follow

@columbustacofest and #ColumbusTacoFest on Instagram and Facebook for all the latest Columbus Taco Fest® updates.

Columbus Taco Fest® 2022

Saturday, May 14, noon to 10 p.m.

Sunday, May 15, noon to 8 p.m.

Genoa Park
303 W. Broad St.
Columbus, OH 43215

About the Columbus Taco Fest®

The Columbus Taco Fest® is the perfect getaway for tacos, tequila, and Mexican beer aficionados while enjoying live entertainment with beautiful city views. The festival was founded in 2018 and since its conception, it has grown enormously, becoming one of the most exciting food festivals in Columbus. Festival Mission The festival’s mission is to position the Columbus Taco Fest® as a regionally and nationally recognized festival destination, by providing a unique mix of Mexican cuisine and quality entertainment through a viable event that attracts visitors and stimulates local economic growth. Working closely with and being able to benefit non-profit organizations is a driving factor within the festival’s overarching goals.

About the Taco Squad

Founded in 2021, the Taco Squad is a group of taco-loving entrepreneurs who create top-notch, taco-related events while supporting the local community with the motto “Tacos with a Purpose.” To learn more, visit www.thetacosquad.com.

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