



DOWNTOWN EMPLOYEE APPRECIATION WEEK

AUGUST 14 - 18, 2023
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The perks of working downtown, and we know there are plenty, are about to get even better! Downtown Employee Appreciation Week is back to reward downtown Milwaukee's dedicated workforce with a week of incentives. The fun-filled week features daily giveaways, office challenge games, employee discounts and much, much more.

SO, ROUND UP YOUR CO-WORKERS FOR DOWNTOWN EMPLOYEE APPRECIATION WEEK.

OPENING CEREMONY

MONDAY, AUGUST 14

11:45 AM - 1:00 PM | Red Arrow Park

Kick off Downtown Employee Appreciation Week with a ribbon-cutting ceremony, Irish Fest mascots and Irish dancers, live music, and chances to win loads of prizes. We'll even sweeten the deal by starting free lunch for the first 1,000 employees all week long.

DAILY LUNCH LOCATIONS AND ACTIVITIES:

MONDAY, AUGUST 14

11:45 AM - 1:00 PM | Red Arrow Park

TUESDAY, AUGUST 15

11:45 AM - 1:00 PM | Cathedral Square Park

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 16

11:45 AM - 1:00 PM | Schlitz Park

THURSDAY, AUGUST 17

11:45 AM - 1:00 PM | Zeidler Union Square

FRIDAY, AUGUST 18

11:45 AM – 1:00 PM | Pere Marquette Park

OFFICE CHALLENGE GAMES

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Take a midday break! Office Challenge Games will travel to our daily lunch locations. Prizes are at stake for top competitors.

CORPORATE LADDER:

Our version of ladderball, employees will score points by tossing balls at the "corporate ladder."

LINKEDIN ONE:

This hole-in-one putting exercise will test employees' skills on the green.

AXE-CELLING AT WORK:

Employees will take aim as they throw axes at a target.

MILWAUKEE BUCKS BASKETBALL SHOOTOUT

Join the Milwaukee Bucks Entertainment Network in one of the week's most popular challenges. Sink as many baskets as you can in the allotted time and win cool Bucks prizes. Look for the crew at our daily lunch locations.

WEEKLONG WELLNESS

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Throughout the week, employees will have an opportunity to enter to win wellness prizes, including gift cards to spas, salons and fitness centers. Just visit the Milwaukee Downtown info booth to enter.

THE MORNING JOLT

MONDAY, AUGUST 14

8:00 AM - 9:30 AM | Colectivo at US Bank WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 16

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Pilcrow Coffee at Schlitz Park

FRIDAY, AUGUST 18

8:00 AM - 9:30 AM

Fiddleheads Coffee at BMO Tower

Jump-start your morning with a free cup of joe. Downtown cafes will pour complimentary coffee for the first 150 employees.

I WORK DOWNTOWN HAPPY HOUR

MONDAY, AUGUST 14

4:00 PM - 7:00 PM

PufferFish - Hotel Metro

Bring your work besties to Hotel Metro's rooftop and enjoy one complimentary welcome cocktail, sponsored by Bacardi. DJ RONCO will be spinning hits too. Complimentary drinks available while supplies last.

MOMENT OF MOVEMENT

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TUESDAY, AUGUST 15

7:30 AM - 8:30 AM | Cathedral Square Park

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Milwaukee County Historical Society

Take a moment for movement with daily wellness sessions offered by various fitness instructors. View the daily schedule for class details. Advance registration is required for all classes. Register at iworkdowntownmke.com.

WORLD'S LARGEST COFFEE BREAK

TUESDAY, AUGUST 15

9:00 AM - 10:30 AM | Catalano Square Need some perking up? Local coffee shops are brewing the ultimate boost - free java for our downtown workforce. While there, enjoy treats to nosh on and music to groove to!

KAYAK MILWAUKEE'S RIVERWAYS

TUESDAY, AUGUST 15

4:00 PM - 7:00 PM

Jerry's Dock Launch - 318 S. Water Street

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Paddle Milwaukee's riverways with Milwaukee Kayak Company! MKC is offering discounted rentals for downtown employees and one guest. All single kayak rentals are \$25 each. Kayaks launch at 4pm, 4:30pm, and 5pm. Pre-registration required. Visit milwaukeekayak.com to book.

I WORK DOWNTOWN TRIVIA COMPETITION

Presented by VISIT Milwaukee

TUESDAY, AUGUST 15

5:00 PM - 7:00 PM

3rd Street Market Hall

Flex your company's intellectual muscle during the I Work Downtown Trivia Competition led by QuizMaster. Up to 10 teams with

QuizMaster. Up to 10 teams with four members each can partake. Advance registration is required. Registration is free. Sign up your team at iworkdowntownmke.com.

MILWAUKEE NIGHT MARKET

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 16

5:00 PM - 9:00 PM | Wisconsin Avenue & Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. Drive

Bring your work besties to Westown for the Milwaukee Night Market, where a diverse lineup of over 100+ vendors, including artists, restaurateurs, farmers, crafters, and makers, unfolds. Downtown employees will receive a free drink voucher when they visit the Milwaukee Downtown info tent.

BARRE & BARISTAS

THURSDAY, AUGUST 17

7:30 AM - 9:00 AM

330 Kilbourn - 330 E. Kilbourn Avenue

Enjoy a free barre lesson from 7:30am to 8:30am from Barre Code and complimentary espresso and burnt lemonade from 7:30am to 9am, compliments of Discourse Coffee. Advance registration is required for the barre class. Register at iworkdowntownmke.com.

PNC PRESENTS TUNES@NOON: JOE WRAY

THURSDAY, AUGUST 17

12:00 PM - 1:00 PM

Courtyard of 411 East Wisconsin Center

Take a midday break and enjoy a free concert in the courtyard of 411 East Wisconsin Center. Tunes@Noon will occur every Thursday thru August 31, 2023.

SCHLITZ PARK BEER GIVEAWAY

THURSDAY, AUGUST 17

5:00 PM - 8:00 PM | Schlitz Park

Enjoy a summer evening on the Milwaukee Riverwalk at The Tap Yard – Schlitz Park! First 50 employees to arrive will receive a free beer, sponsored by Schlitz Park.

CLOSING CEREMONY

FRIDAY, AUGUST 18

11:45 AM - 1:00PM | Pere Marquette Park

Say farewell to Downtown Employee Appreciation Week with games, live music, standing ovations and free lunch for 1,000.

SUMMER SPINZ

FRIDAY, AUGUST 18

5:00 PM - 9:00 PM | Red Arrow Park

The "Slice of Ice" skating rink has been reimagined as a community roller rink for the summer. Join us for our last Summer Spinz of the season. Skaters can bring their own wheels or they can rent a pair on site – free while supplies last. Meanwhile people who don't want to skate are welcome to show up and enjoy the hopping music tracks being spun by DJ Bam.



STAMP IT!

DOWNTOWN PASSPORT

Get your Downtown Employee Appreciation Week passport stamped at three or more activities and be eligible for fabulous downtown prizes. Print out your passport at iworkdowntownmke.com or pick one up from a Public Service Ambassador at the Milwaukee Downtown info table. Passports must be turned in by 12:30 p.m. on Friday, Aug. 18 to be eligible to win.

BOOTH GOODIES

Enjoy goodies and games at lunchtime booths, including Brothers Big Sisters, Educators Credit Union. Historic Milwaukee. Hupy and Abraham, Milwaukee Repertory Theater, Gruber Law Offices and others.

POP-UP GIVEAWAYS

Follow us on social media to learn about surprise giveaways and promotions throughout the week

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MON | AUG 14

8:00 AM - 9:30 AM

777 E. Wisconsin Avenue

Appreciation Week with

a complimentary coffee

from Colectivo, inside the

US Bank building! The first

11:45 AM - 1:00 PM

complimentary coffee.

DAILY DOWNTOWN

OPENING CEREMONY

Credit Union

Soul Patrol

Red Arrow Park

150 employees will receive a

EMPLOYEE CELEBRATION:

· Ribbon-cutting ceremony

and Paddy, plus Irish dancers

· Irish Fest mascots, Molly

· Office Challenge Games

presented by Educators

· Bucks Basketball Shootout

» Ian's Pizza: 1,000 slices of pizza

Musician: Rob Knapp &

» Davians: 1,000 cookies

Lunch Giveaways:

4:00 PM - 7:00 PM

I WORK DOWNTOWN

PufferFish - Hotel Metro

HAPPY HOUR

THE MORNING JOLT WITH

Kick off Downtown Employee

COLECTIVO AT US BANK

TUE | AUG 15

7:30 AM - 8:30 AM

MOMENT OF MOVEMENT WITH EMBODY YOGA

presented by Madison Medical Affiliates Cathedral Square Park

Free yoga class with Embody Yoga. Pre-registration required at iworkdowntownmke.com.

9:00 AM - 10:30 AM

WORLD'S LARGEST **COFFEE BREAK** Catalano Square

11:45 AM - 1:00 PM

DAILY DOWNTOWN **EMPLOYEE CELEBRATION** Cathedral Square Park

- · Office Challenge Games presented by Educators Credit Union
- · Bucks Basketball Shootout
- · Musician: Donna Woodall Group
- · Lunch Giveaways:
- » Cousins Subs: 1.000 mini subs and bags of chips
- » 600 EAST Café: 500 mini Blueberry lemonades and 500 mini Orange Dreamsicle Cremosas
- » KEI: 1.000 oranges
- » MPD Ice Cream Truck

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presented by Madison Medical Affiliates Milwaukee County Historical Society

Free yoga class with Tribal Yoga. Pre-registration required at iworkdowntownmke.com.

8:00 AM - 9:30 AM

THE MORNING JOLT WITH **PILCROW COFFEE** Schlitz Park

Our mid-week Morning Jolt features complimentary coffee from Pilcrow Coffee! The first 150 employees will receive a complimentary cold brew.

11:45 AM - 1:00 PM

DAILY DOWNTOWN EMPLOYEE CELEBRATION Schlitz Park

- Office Challenge Games presented by Educators Credit Union
- · Bucks Basketball Shootout
- Musician: Jon Hintz
- · Lunch Giveaways:
- » Modern Maintenance: 1,000 brats
- » JP Cullen: 1,000 bags of chips
- » Corner Bakery Café: 1,000 cookies

5:00 PM - 9:00 PM

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DAILY DOWNTOWN EMPLOYEE CELEBRATION Zeidler Union Square

- Office Challenge Games presented by Educators Credit Union
- · Bucks Basketball Shootout
- · Musician: Frogwater
- · Lunch Giveaways:
- » Cubanitas: 1.000 mini Cubano sandwiches
- » DoubleTree by Hilton: 1,000 chocolate chip cookies

12:00 PM - 1:00 PM

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BMO TOWER

790 N. Water Street

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FIDDLEHEADS COFFEE AT

Kick-start your weekend with

a complimentary coffee from

Fiddleheads Coffee! The first

150 employees will receive a

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EMPLOYEE CELEBRATION

· Office Challenge Games

presented by Educators

· Bucks Basketball Shootout

» Bev's Hospitality Catering:

» Milwaukee County Historical

with Purple Door Ice Cream

Society: ice cream social

Join us for our last Summer Spinz!

· Musician: Cache MKE

· Lunch Giveaways:

1,000 hot dogs

5:00 PM - 9:00 PM

SUMMER SPINZ

Red Arrow Park

complimentary coffee.

DAILY DOWNTOWN

Pere Marquette Park

Credit Union

275 W. Wisconsin Avenue 2. 330 Kilbourn 330 E. Kilbourn Avenue

1. 3rd Street Market Hall

- 3. 411 East Wisconsin Center 411 E. Wisconsin Avenue
- 4. Catalano Square 147 N. Broadway
- 5. Cathedral Square Park 520 F Wells Street
- 6. Colectivo at US Bank 777 F. Wisconsin Avenue 7. Fiddleheads Coffee at BMO Tower
- 790 N Water Street 8. Milwaukee County Historical
- Society 910 N. Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. Drive
- 9. Milwaukee Kayak Company -Jerry's Dock 318 S. Water Street

10. Milwaukee Night Market Wisconsin Avenue & Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. Drive

MAP OF ACTIVITIES

- 11. Pere Marquette Park 900 N. Plankinton Avenue
- 12. Pilcrow Coffee at Schlitz Park 2nd and Cherry Streets
- 13. PufferFish Hotel Metro 411 E. Mason Street
- 14. Red Arrow Park 920 N. Water Street
- 15. Schlitz Park: Brewhouse Square 1543 N. 2nd Street
- 16. The Tap Yard Schlitz Park 1555 N. Rivercenter Drive
- 17. Zeidler Union Square 301 W. Michigan Street



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