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CHERRY BLOSSOM IS BACK!

And it's better than ever.



Pictured clockwise from top left: Joan Jett and the Blackhearts, Anderson East, Howie Day, and Drivin N Cryin. See full music lineup on Page 3. Visit www.BrookCherryFest.org and @BrookCherryFest on Facebook, Twitter and Instagram for updates.

After a two-year hiatus due to COVID-19, the **Brookhaven Cherry** Blossom Festival returns to Blackburn Park on March 26 and 27 with another stellar music lineup. Joan Jett and the Blackhearts lead the Saturday concert, while Anderson East headlines on Sunday. The roster also includes Atlanta's own Drivin N Cryin, Howie Day, and more. Returning festival attractions include the Splash Artist Market, Kidz Zone, Pet World, Classic Car Show, the 5K, and food trucks. Read more about it on the following pages.

Letter from the Mayor

Welcome to our first newsletter of 2022. I am so excited with the City's announcement that the Brookhaven Cherry Blossom Festival is back in Blackburn Park this year. Who's ready to rock? Our partnership with Live Nation has once again hit another home run with a blazing lineup that includes Joan Jett and the Blackhearts, Anderson East, Howie Day, Georgia's own Drivin N Cryin, and more. Our festival favorites are making a comeback too - the Splash Artist Market, Kidz Zone, Pet World, Classic Car Show, and of course, food trucks will be there for you to enjoy. Come on out - it's gonna be one heck of a party.

This year is bringing so many other great things for the City too. We'll open our new Public Safety Building along the Peachtree Creek Greenway. We'll wrap up our Park Bond projects with a grand remake of Lynwood Park and a Lake House for Murphey Candler.

You can always catch up on our latest news by visiting the City's Facebook, Instagram and Twitter pages and by signing up for The Brookhaven Blast weekly email at www.BrookhavenGA.gov/Communications.

Don't hesitate to contact me at John.Ernst@ BrookhavenGA.gov or at 404-637-0710 with any questions or concerns. Thank you for all you do to make Brookhaven better!

Yours truly,



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Brookhaven City Council Meetings

The Brookhaven City Council generally meets the second and fourth Tuesday of each month at 4 and 7 p.m. at 4362 Peachtree Road or virtually on Zoom. Visit www.BrookhavenGA.gov/Calendar for schedule changes.

To access meetings and videos, go to the Meetings & Agendas tab near the bottom of the homepage.

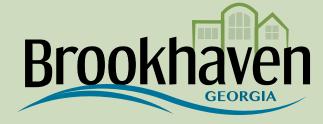
Brookhaven Vision and Mission

Vision

Brookhaven will be nationally recognized as a beautiful community where multiple generations can live in safety, flourish in business and succeed in a historic, sustainable environment with exceptional education and transportation options.

Mission

In support of the Brookhaven vision, the City government shall: encourage and maintain a beautiful community, meet public safety needs, develop an environment for business success, promote sustainable projects and activities, identify and preserve historic and neighborhood resources, facilitate educational opportunities, and improve transportation conditions, connectivity, and options while listening to and communicating with the public.



Cherry Blossom Festival returns March 26-27

Brookhaven's signature event back at Blackburn Park with music, art, food & more

Cherry Blossom Festival Music Lineup

SATURDAY, MARCH 26

Joan Jett and the Blackhearts

Howie Day





Kaylin Amaro

SUNDAY, MARCH 27

Anderson East

Drivin N Cryin





For lineup changes and detailed schedule to be announced, visit www.BrookCherryFest.org/festival/page/brookhaven-cherry-blossom-festival-concert or scan the QR code.

The 6th annual Brookhaven Cherry Blossom Festival is back in Blackburn Park this Spring along with headliners Joan Jett and the Blackhearts and Anderson East.

Brookhaven's signature event returns March 26 and 27 to kick off the metro area's festival season following a two-year hiatus due to the COVID-19 pandemic. In 2019, an estimated 40,000 fans crowded into the park over the two-day event (pictured below).

The music lineup includes up-and-comers and fan favorites. Also taking the stage with rock icons Joan Jett and the Blackhearts and the Grammy-nominated Anderson East are Atlanta faves Drivin N Cryin, Howie Day, Dumpstaphunk, Morgan Wade, Mike Kinnebrew, Brendan Abernathy and Kaylin Amaro.

"What better way to kick off the 2022 festival season," said Brookhaven Mayor John Ernst. "We continue to be grateful for our partnership with Live Nation in bringing these A+ acts to Brookhaven."

Past performers have included Smash Mouth, the Wallflowers, Five for Fighting, the Spin Doctors and the Romantics. A special Cherry Blossom Festival Summer Block Party was held last year to celebrate the City's resilience during the pandemic. The Revivalists, Collective Soul, Better Than Ezra, and Rick Springfield were among the performers bringing capacity crowds to the MARTA station parking lot.

For the third year, the City of Brookhaven is partnering with Splash Festivals, which will operate the Artist Market with nearly 100 booths.

The festival will also bring back favorites such as the Classic Car Show (Saturday only), Pet World, Kidz Zone and food trucks. The Cherry Blossom Festival 5k race will be held the weekend before the festival on Saturday, March 19.

"This year will be another great lineup," said District 1 Councilmember Linley Jones. "We invite the community to come out and listen to some great music while enjoying the art vendors, food and other fun activities under the cherry blossoms in Blackburn Park."

The festival is open to the public from 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. each day at Blackburn Park, 3493 Ashford Dunwoody Road, Brookhaven, Ga., 30319, and admission is free. For more information about the Brookhaven Cherry Blossom Festival, visit www.BrookCherryFest. org, and follow us on Facebook, Twitter and Instagram at @BrookCherryFest.

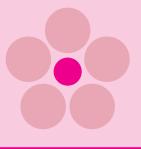


A Music & Arts Extravaganza

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Returning this year:

Artist Market
Pet World
Kidz Zone
Classic Car Show
Festival 5K



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SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

SATURDAY

10:00 A.M. START
Pet World Lure Chasing
Splash Artist Market
Classic Car Show
Kidz Zone

MARCH 27

MARCH

26

SUNDAY

10:00 A.M. START
Pet World Lure Chasing
Splash Artist Market
Kidz Zone