

## TASTE OF POLONIA

Festival of Music & Food

SINCE 1980 LABOR DAY WEEKEND



# America's Largest Polish Festival

Founded in 1980, the Taste of Polonia Festival is the oldest and the largest Polish festival in the USA!

The festival attracts a broad cross section of Chicago's Polish community as well as patrons from across state lines.

40,000 Festival patrons comprise of approximately:

40% Polish Decent

45% Non Polish

15% Festival & Food Lovers

Taste of Polonia presents a terrific opportunity for exposure to one of Chicago's largest ethnic markets as well as the Northwest side neighborhoods of Chicago. Held every year for four days over Labor Day weekend, this event has become a favorite tradition for Polish-Americans in Chicago and neighboring states.





4 Stages featuring a variety of music and entertainment with something for every taste and age.

TRIBUTE STAGE

The best and most popular tribute and rock bands.

WORLD MUSIC STAGE

By day: Polka bands have everyone dancing
By night: Local entertainers, popular bands from Poland
KIDS STAGE

Special kids programing and entertainment Games and activities for the youngest of our visitors.

# MONSTOP AUSIC BIN

#### THEATER STAGE

The theater displays Polish folk dancing, symphony performances and theatrical groups. A special Mass with a full choir is hosted on Sunday.

Casino/Inflatables/Arcade games/Mascots/Arts and Crafts/Face painting/ Balloons/Movie Screenings/ Art Exhibits and much much more...



5216 W. Lawrence Avenue, Chicago Illinois 60630







# Same Great Location

A neighborhood Labor Day Festival for nearly 40 years!

Easy Expressway Access

Quick access from all northwest suburbs, downtown and the south side.

**Public Transportation** 

Jefferson Park Terminal & Metra Rail are one block away.

**FREE Shuttle Buses** 

Take the free shuttle bus for a 5-minute ride.

Buses run all day, non-stop!

**UBER or LYFT** 

Easy and convenient way to visit the Festival.

# The Food

The best of Polish cooking awaits...
Polish sausage, cabbage rolls, pierogi, potato
pancakes, pork cutlets, fish, kabobs
blintzes, desserts, and much more!



# The Beer

The festival always features a number of specialty Polish beers. The INSIDE FULL BAR boasts a variety of additional (not only Polish) delights!

### Print

# Online Media

# Advertising

& PR





# Posters & Flyers

Posters (Polish / English) — 10,000 Flyers (Polish / English) - 250,000

Circulated to citywide retail locations, Polish stores/delis, universities and neighborhood hot spots.

## **Broadcast News**























#### PAST AND PRESENT SPONSORS:

Jewel-Osco PNC Bank Pepsi Home Depot Verizon AT&T
Xfinity/Comcast Best Buy LOT Polish Airlines Krakus Miller Light
Coors Light Country Financial Tyskie Pepsi Pace Bus
Okocim Goose Island Aetna Polish & Slavic Federal Credit Union
AMITA Health Euro Liquor NorthShore Arrow Trans Corp Zubr
T-Mobile Illinois National Guard and more



The Taste of Polonia Festival is a celebration of Polish culture, heritage, music and old-world cuisine attracting large crowds every Labor Day weekend. The first festival was held in 1980 and has now become one of the largest Polish festivals in the United States. The four-day event features concerts by local and international bands. 4 stages are scheduled with over 30 performances to satisfy any age or genre preference. Additional attractions such as: a casino, Kids Zone (inflatables and climbing wall), arcade games, clowns, face painting and late evening dancing hosted by popular bands.

Every Labor Day Weekend (August / September)



# GREAT ENTERTAINMENT

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#### Promotional Opportunities May Include:

Naming rights / Sampling opportunities / Signage opportunities / Product displays / Media exposure / Custom packages

Additional 10% charge for sponsorships signed less than 30 days prior to the event/no media sponsorships accepted less than 30 days prior to the event/50% of sponsorship amount due at time of commitment /prices subject to change

#### Sponsorship Signage:

OUTDOOR BUILDING: 5'x15' / 4'x16'8" Wall Banners OUTDOOR FENCE: 4'x 8' Fence Banners

KIDS OUTDOOR STAGE: Backdrop Banner/Top/Bottom Stage Banner INDOOR THEATRE STAGE: Stage Banner/Jumbotron

OUTDOOR STAGES: Backdrop Banner/Wing Banner/Top-Bottom Stage Banner

#### Presenting Sponsorship - Festival Naming Rights... \$30,000

Premiere placement of company logo in all festival materials, Including print ads, billboards, flyers, posters and entertainment schedule

- Prominent recognition in all Polish and general PR campaigns
- Premiere location of booth/promotional items displayed at the festival
- Exclusive incorporation of company name as presenting sponsor of Taste of Polonia
- Category exclusivity
- Signage on outside stages \*
- 4'x8' banner placed on the festival grounds\*
- Signage on Lawrence Avenue Fence \*
- Signage on Copernicus Foundation Building \*
- Social Media recognition
- Jumbotron Advertising permanent banner displayed on the screen
- Jumbotron Advertising ad displayed up to 600 times a day on 2 LED screens \*
- Jumbotron Advertising video message runs every intermission on 2 LED screens \*
- Corporate marketing materials distributed at Taste of Polonia
- 500 complimentary admission tickets to Taste of Polonia Festival



#### Stage Sponsorship - Naming Sponsorship Tribute Stage / World Music Stage... \$20,000

- Naming Rights to the Taste of Polonia Stage
- Prominent placement of company logo in all print advertising
- Prominent placement of company logo in all festival materials, including billboards, train stations, posters and flyers
- Signage on Lawrence Avenue Fence \*
- 4'x8' banner placed on the festival grounds\*
- Signage on Copernicus Foundation Building \*
- Social Media recognition
- Signage on the sponsored stage \*
- 4'x8' banner placed on the festival grounds\*
- Jumbotron Advertising ad displayed up to 600 times a day on 2 LED screens \*
- Jumbotron Advertising video message runs every intermission on 2 LED screens \*
- 10'x10' Booth on main walkway, high-traffic area
- Corporate Marketing materials displayed at Taste of Polonia
- 200 complimentary admission tickets to Taste of Polonia

#### Stage Sponsorship - Naming Sponsorship Kids Stage / Theater Stage... \$15,000

- Naming Rights to the Taste of Polonia Stage
- Prominent placement of company logo in all print advertising
- Prominent placement of company logo in all festival materials, including billboards, train stations, posters and flyers
- Signage on Lawrence Avenue Fence \*
- Signage on Copernicus Foundation Building \*
- 4'x8' banner placed on the festival grounds\*
- Social Media recognition
- Signage on sponsored stage \*
- Jumbotron Advertising ad displayed up to 600 times a day on 2 LED screens \*
- Jumbotron Advertising video message runs every intermission on 2 LED screens \*
- 10'x10' Booth on main walkway, high-traffic area
- Corporate Marketing materials displayed at Taste of Polonia
- 150 complimentary admission tickets to Taste of Polonia



#### Festival Sponsorship — Platinum Level... \$10,000

- Company logo in all print advertising
- Prominent placement of company logo in all festival materials, including billboards, train stations, posters and flyers
- Signage on Lawrence Avenue Fence (4'x8')\*
- Signage on Copernicus Foundation Main Building wall \*
- 4'x8' banner placed on the festival grounds\*
- Social Media recognition
- 10'x10' Corporate Tent
- Corporate Marketing materials displayed at Taste of Polonia
- 50 complimentary admission tickets to Taste of Polonia
- Jumbotron Advertising ad displayed up to 600 times a day on 2 screens \*
- Jumbotron Advertising video message runs every intermission on 2 LED screens \*

#### Festival Sponsorship — Diamond Level... \$5,000

- Signage on Lawrence Avenue Fence (4'x8') \*
- 10'x10' Corporate Tent
- Wall Banner (5'x15') on west Building wall\*
- Prominent placement of company logo in all festival materials, including billboards, flyers and posters
- Jumbotron Advertising ad displayed up to 600 times a day on 2 screens \*
- Jumbotron Advertising video message runs every intermission on 2 LED screens \*
- 30 complimentary admission tickets to the festival

#### Festival Sponsorship — Gold Level... \$3,000

- Signage on Lawrence Avenue Fence \*
- Jumbotron Advertising ad displayed up to 600 times a day on 2 screens\*
- Jumbotron Advertising video message runs every intermission on 2 LED screens\*
- 10'x10' Corporate Tent
- 10 complimentary admission tickets to the festival

#### Festival Sponsorship — Silver Level... \$2,000

- Signage on Lawrence Avenue Fence \*
- Jumbotron Advertising ad displayed up to 600 times a day on 2 screens\*
- Jumbotron Advertising video message runs every intermission on 2 LED screens\*



#### Festival Sponsorship — Bronze Level... \$1,000

- Signage on Lawrence Avenue Fence \*
- Jumbotron Advertising ad displayed up to 600 times a day on 2 screens\*

#### Festival Sponsorship — Jumbotron Advertising... \$500

Jumbotron Advertising – ad displayed up to 600 times a day on 2 screens\*

\* Sponsor provides artwork, banners provided by TOP

#### Sponsorship payment schedule

50% of the sponsorship amount is due at the time of commitment. Remaining balance is due prior to August 10th

#### **Jumbotron Advertising**

We are excited to offer this option to festival advertisers and sponsors. Jumbotrons are proving themselves as a valuable advertising option for businesses, events, and candidates. We will erect TWO Jumbotrons on the festival grounds next to our most popular stages: the Tribute Stage & the World Music Stage. Jumbotrons are superior crowd interaction tools. Prior festivals have proved this tool to be most notable.

#### 2 Jumbotrons

- 9' high x 17' wide & HD Placed next to the most popular stages
- Elevated 17' Each Jumbotron sold separately

#### Event Day Advertising

Our Advertising provides unmatched impressions. More impressions = More Exposure. Your Ad Runs 20 Times EVERY Hour/ 600 Ad Plays Each Day/ Each Ad Appears for 6 Seconds

#### Video Message

We will run your 30-60 second video creation at each intermission. Your message will have everyone's undivided attention.

# THEATRE STAGE



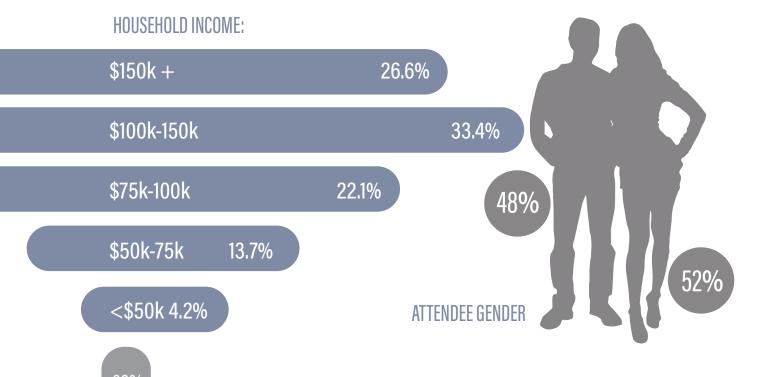


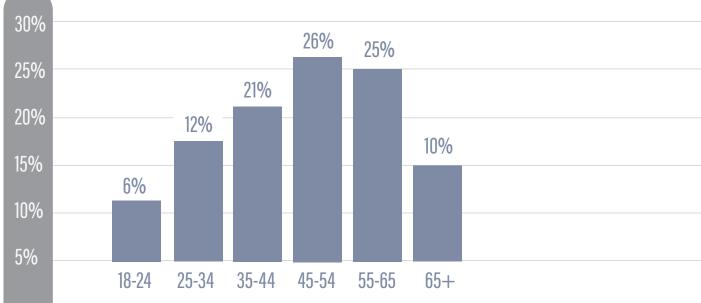
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	ATTENDANCE SUMMARY:	2019	2018	
	Total attendance:	40,101	33,538	
	Polish descent:	16,040	13,416	
	Not Polish:	23,938	20,122	
	Out of state:	123	96	





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