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ROCKTOBERFEST

CHATTANOOGA, TN -- Rock City celebrates its German heritage with Rocktoberfest! Rock City's third annual Rocktoberfest brings German music, food and fun to Lookout Mountain every Saturday and Sunday in October from 11:00 a.m. till 5:00 p.m. Enjoy German music from regional bands - Laurentz und die Katven, The Wurstbrats and The Gootmon Sauerkraut Band in the new Rock City Pavilion. In 1932, Garnet Carter and his wife Frieda Utermoelen (of German descent) opened their private garden estate, Rock City Gardens, to the public.

Stroll along the Buddenstrasse (Avenue of the Booths) where German merchandise will be sold out of decorated carts. Along the way, be sure to pick up a bratwurst, knackwurst or German sausage with sauerkraut. Attend a Beer 101 class in the pavilion, or simply enjoy some specialty beer on tap in the Beer Garden from Big River Grille and Brewing Works.

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“Local performers and actors will also add to Rocktoberfest, dressed in traditional German peasant attire, interacting with guests and leading the chicken dance at the Rock City Polka Stage, “said Kim Jackson, Rock City’s director of special events.

From alp horn playing, to yodeling and even a singing saw, all the gusto and fun of a Bavarian beer hall is just a short drive away. Rocktoberfest is sure to become another tradition on Lookout Mountain. The performances are no extra charge with regular Rock City admission. Log onto www.seerockcity.com for more information.

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