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City marketing

"bands in town" celebrates anniversary

20th Bocholt pub night on 30 April



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Bocholt. Bocholt city centre will once again become a big stage for live music on Thursday, 30 April 2026: the popular pub night "bands in town" celebrates its 20th anniversary. From 8 p.m., numerous bands will provide a varied programme and a special atmosphere in the city centre in various restaurants. The event has been an integral part of Bocholt's event calendar for many years and regularly attracts numerous visitors from all over the region. City marketing and the participating restaurateurs have once again put together a varied music programme for the anniversary edition. Visitors can switch between different locations and experience a variety of bands and musical styles. From rock and pop to funk, soul and blues to party and cover music, there is something for every taste. The audience can therefore expect a wide variety of music and short distances between the individual venues.

Bands and venues

The musical programme offers a broad mix of different styles. At **Streetlife**, **Stevie X** creates a great atmosphere with an energetic rock'n'roll show. In the **Tapa Vino Bar**, **Rumba Gitana** brings southern flair to Bocholt with flamenco, Latin and gypsy sounds.

Django Flint will be on stage in the **Diebels Fasskeller**, presenting handmade music from over 50 years of rock and pop history. At **Herzblut**, the band **Six Pack** will heat things up with well-known classics and party hits. The **Threedom Duo** impresses in **Rollis** with acoustic interpretations and a lot of fun playing. In **Studio B**, two acts, **Street Beat** and **Guilty Pleasures**, will come together to create an exuberant atmosphere with well-known hits and guaranteed sing-alongs. At **Björn's Kostbar**, **Mama Mucke** will bring the lifestyle of the 90s and 2000s to the stage. At **Adana01**, **Falten/Rock** and **Barking Hounds** will be playing powerful rock with bluesy influences. **Two4You** provide the best entertainment in the **Freudenhaus** am Europaplatz with an energetic sound. At **Dat Bokeltse Hus**, **Double Tuff** presents a varied programme ranging from soulful songs to danceable hits. The **Plug & Play Duo** can be experienced in the **St.-Georg-Stuben** with their musical sensitivity and strong stage presence. **Lizi & the Friendz** perform at **Spencer's Bistro** in the Kinodrom, combining international pop and soul influences with a special musical style.

Advance booking and admission

Advance tickets are available online and cost 15 euros. Tickets can be purchased via the website: www.bocholt.de/bandsintown ↗

To ensure accessibility, some tickets are also available in advance at the Tourist-Info Bocholt (Nordstr.14). On the day of the event, digital tickets will be exchanged for admission wristbands - from 6.00 pm at two main ticket offices on Ravardistraße and from 7.00 pm at Spencer's Bistro (Kinodrom), Freudenhaus, Dat Bokeltse Hus and St.-Georg-Stuben. For last-minute bookings, wristbands are available at the box office at a price of 20 euros while stocks last.

One wristband - all locations

With the admission wristband, visitors have access to all participating catering establishments and can move freely between concerts. This creates a special festival atmosphere in the centre of the city. The event runs until around 1.00 am.

Thanks to the supporters

Special thanks go to the participating caterers and supporters of the event: Volksbank Bocholt eG, Getränke Westhoff, the Bitburger Group, McDonald's Bocholt and Kinodrom Bocholt. Without their commitment, the organisation of the Bocholt Pub Night would not be possible.

Participating restaurants and bands



StreetlifeStevieX (Rock'n'Roll)
TapaVino BarRumba Gitana (Latin, Flamenco, Rumba)
Diebels Fasskeller Django Flint (rock and pop, past and present)
LifebloodSix Pack (rock classics)
RollisThreedom Duo (rock and pop covers)
Studio BStreet Beat & Guilty Pleasures (rock and pop covers)
Björn's Kostbar Mama Mucke (Acoustic Rock and Pop)
Adana01Falten/Rock & Barking Hounds (Rock and Blues)
Freudenhaus Two4You (Rock and Pop Cover)
Dat Bokeltse Hus Double Tuff (Hits of the last decades)
St.-Georg-Stuben Plug & Play Duo (rock, pop, soul and oldies)
Spencer's Bistro Lizzy & the Friendz (pop, soul and disco)