

Bocholt Wine Festival, 24-26 July 2026

The event is expanding to mark its anniversary

A firm fixture in the diaries of many Bocholt residents and wine lovers is the Bocholt Wine Festival, which **takes place** this year from **24 to 26 July**. For the 30th time, winegrowers from the Palatinate are coming to Bocholt to transform St. Georg's Square into a wine village over these three days. St Georg's Square has always been very well attended in recent years - almost too well. That is why the wine festival is being expanded for this anniversary. There will be an additional wine stall and another food stall. The event area will extend towards the Ravardi district, thereby spreading out the crowds across the whole square. "Provided the weather plays along, the wine festival is a real crowd-puller. So it's a win-win for everyone if the square and the range of activities on offer are expanded. We had to take action here for safety reasons alone", says Ludger Dieckhues from Bocholt City Marketing.

New this year are two winegrowing families from the Palatinate: Weinhaus Lammering is replacing Weingut Hörner, which is retiring after many years at the Bocholt Wine Festival. Weingut Ludwig Eberley is setting up another wine stall this year, bringing the total to eight. The wine festival's culinary offering is being expanded to include Tapavino from Ravardistraße, meaning the snack bar and the tarte flambée stall will be joined by a tapas stall. There will also be a second toilet trailer.

New at the Bocholt Wine Festival:



Programme:

Friday, 24 July from 5 pm

5 pm - Official opening by Mayor Christian Mangel, Wine Queen Mona I and Ludger Dieckhues from Bocholt City Marketing. The Sporker Musikanten will be providing the entertainment this evening.

Saturday, 25 July from 12 noon

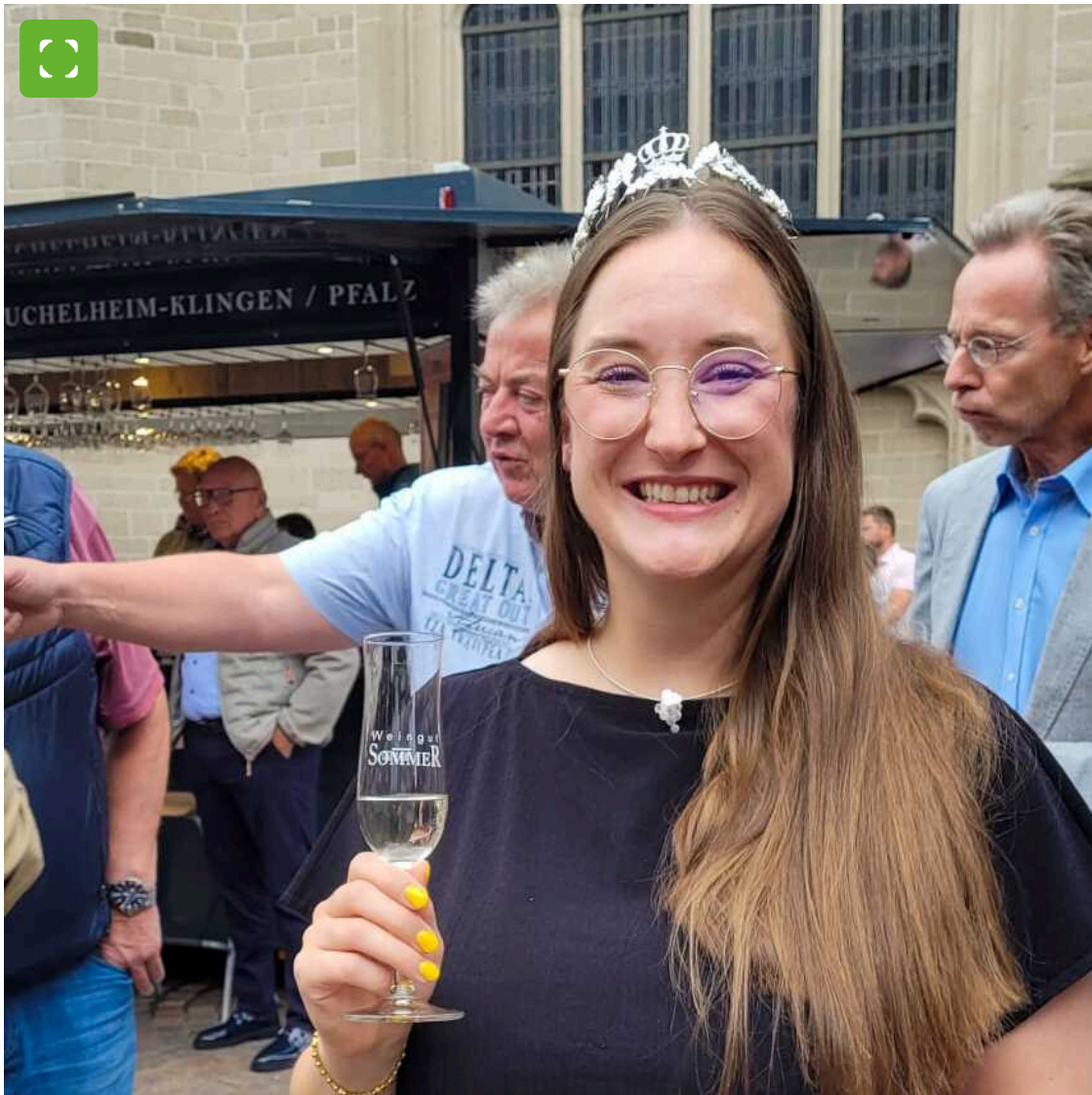
McKing Music will be getting the party started from 5.00 pm.

Sunday, 26 July from 12 noon

The duo 'Boogie & more' will provide background music from 2.30 pm.

6 pm - Coronation of the Wine King or Queen

Election of the Bocholt Wine King or Queen*



One of the highlights of the Bocholt Wine Festival is the coronation of the Wine King or Queen.

Entry forms will be available at all wine stalls throughout the festival until late in the evening on Saturday 25 July inclusive.

The prize is certainly something for wine lovers: a weekend in the Palatinate, a case of wine donated by the Palatinate winegrowers, and a gift from Hermeier Jewellers.

The new Bocholt Wine King or Queen for 2026 will be crowned on Sunday, 26 July at 6.00 pm on St. Georg Square by Ludger Dieckhues, Managing Director of Stadtmarketing, and the reigning Wine Queen, Mona I.

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