



## **PRESS RELEASE–FOR IMMEDIATE PUBLICATION**

VALPARAISO EVENTS KICKS OFF THEIR YEAR OF EVENTS WITH  
THE CHOCOLATE WALK - May 6, 2023

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Valparaiso Events will start their fun-filled year of events with the community favorite, Chocolate Walk, on Saturday, May 6th from 12:00 to 5:00 p.m. Tickets go on sale to the public **Wednesday, March 22nd at noon** but don't wait to purchase yours – these go quickly!

During this “sweet” springtime event, ticket holders will visit participating downtown shops and restaurants as stops along their walk around town to collect delectable treats and take advantage of specials the participating retailers and restaurants will be featuring during Chocolate Walk only. This year, there will be two start times offered to attendees – 12:00 p.m. and 1:00 p.m., both start times will receive the fully allotted time (until 5:00 p.m.) to visit all stops on the route. Ticket holders will receive a lanyard with an official Chocolate Walk card that each stop will mark upon visiting. Once all stops have been visited and marked by representative at each stop on the ticket holder's card, they can return their card to the Valparaiso Events tent on the Courthouse Lawn after completing the route to be entered into a raffle. Raffle entries will be drawn to win a goody basket full of items and offerings from downtown establishments. While this is a family-friendly event and it is encouraged to bring the whole family downtown to enjoy the event, only attendees that have purchased a ticket will receive the chocolate treats offered from each stop along the route.

The 2022 Chocolate Walk was a great success with over 400 attendees who enjoyed the springtime weather and collected chocolate treats from 30 downtown establishments on their stroll around downtown Valparaiso. The Chocolate Walk is an absolute can't-miss event and is the perfect way to celebrate the start of springtime in Valpo!

Tickets: \$28.00, available on Wednesday, March 22nd at 12:00 p.m. via link posted on Valparaiso Events social media platforms and [www.valparaisoevents.com](http://www.valparaisoevents.com)!



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