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**Annual Outdoor Concert Returns to  
RAM's Charles A. Wustum Museum of Fine Arts**

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An annual collaboration between Mahogany Gallery and the Racine Art Museum (RAM)—two contemporary art spaces in Racine, Wisconsin—returns to the verdant gardens at RAM's Charles A. Wustum Museum of Fine Arts (Wustum), 2519 Northwestern Avenue, on Thursday, July 25. **Groov'n in the Garden 2024** is an unforgettable celebration of local music that promises soulful melodies, infectious beats, and a vibrant atmosphere.

The grounds at Wustum open at 5:00 pm with a local DJ spinning lively beats in the background as concertgoers set up their seating—attendees must bring their own lawn chairs or picnic blankets. Kicking off the musical extravaganza at 6:00 pm, the VersaTile Band will take the stage to unleash an infusion of rhythm and blues, neo-soul, and a dose of funk throughout two sets.

Food and beverages will be available to purchase throughout the evening, but attendees are welcome to bring their own food if they prefer. Delectable southern comfort bites from Ed's Taste of Soul, a food vendor in Racine, will be served from their food truck. Chicago-based Moor's Brewing Company will offer a selection of finely crafted brews that "pay homage to the rich untold history of [the brewers'] African ancestry and the 'Original Craftsmen' that made it happen." Additionally, Tito's Handmade Vodka will provide liquor and mixers for two specialty cocktails—one inspired by Wustum's landscape and another inspired by the music.

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Charles A. Wustum Museum of Fine Arts,” said Scott Terry, Mahogany Gallery Founder and Executive Director. “*Groov’n in the Garden* promises to be a sensory extravaganza, uniting music, art, and delicious cuisine. Join us on July 25 for an unforgettable experience that will leave you with cherished memories.”

Tickets for this concert are available online for \$35 on the Mahogany Gallery website, [mahoganygallery.com](http://mahoganygallery.com). A limited number of tickets will be available at Wustum on the day of the event.

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About Mahogany Gallery:

Mahogany Gallery is dedicated to exhibiting and promoting the work of talented artists across various mediums. The gallery is committed to fostering the local arts community by creating engaging experiences that connect artists with audiences.

About Racine Art Museum:

RAM is home to the largest contemporary craft collection in North America and has a reputation for its award-winning architecture and nationally recognized exhibition program. The museum plays a vital role in arts education through its Wustum campus, where it offers community outreach programs and studio art classes taught by renowned artists working in craft media.