



EVENT FACT SHEET

Bean Bash: Celebrating the Reopening of Chicago's Cloud Gate

Event Details:

- **Event:** Bean Bash
- **Sponsors:** [Choose Chicago](#) and [Millennium Park](#)
- **Location:** Millennium Park – 201 E. Randolph St. Chicago, IL 60601.
- **Date:** Thursday, August 1, 2024
- **Time:** 11:00 AM to 7:00 PM
- **Purpose:** A celebratory unveiling of the improved Cloud Gate featuring speakers, food trucks, local vendors, and live music at the nearby Jay Pritzker Pavilion.
- **Expected attendance:** approximately 5,000 attendees throughout the day.

Program:

- **Revealing of Cloud Gate:** At noon, witness the official unveiling and reopening of Cloud Gate after nearly a year of closure.
- **Live Music:** Enjoy performances by new artists every half hour.
- **Food Trucks:** Dozens of cuisine options are available throughout the day.

Prominent Guests:

- Anish Kapoor – Sculptor responsible for creating Cloud Gate.
- Brandon Johnson – Mayor of Chicago

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