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THE WATER STREET BREWERY HOURS OF OPERATION

OPEN FOR LUNCH AT 11AM TUESDAY-SUNDAY

TUESDAY	11AM-10PM
WEDNESDAY	11AM-10PM
THURSDAY	11AM-10PM
FRIDAY	11AM-11PM
SATURDAY	11AM-11PM
SUNDAY	11AM-10PM

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WATER STREET BREWERY HISTORY

Since 1987, Water Street Brewery has produced more than 102,558 half-barrels, which is approximately 1,560,261 gallons beer. Over the past 38 years, 100 different styles of beer have been brewed at Downtown, Lake Country, Grafton and Oak Creek locations. Since 1988, 24 medals have been won at both the Great American Beer Festival in Denver, the North American Brewers Association in Idaho Falls and the Best of Craft Beer Awards.

WATER STREET BREWERY BEER MEMORABILIA

The Water Street Brewery Beer Memorabilia collection consists of one-of-a-kind beer and brewing artifacts, many of which are featured in "The World of Beer Memorabilia" book. This extensive collection is on display at all of our Water Street Brewery locations, as well as The Brewery, located in Milwaukee on Water Street. Included are:

- 50,000 cans- 6,000 arranged and featured in 25 impressive wood framed displays
- 1,400 beer tap knobs and handles
- 2,300 coasters
- 825 bottle and can openers
- 35 original Wisconsin Brewery lithographs
- 350 server trays
- 75 exterior corner signs
- 475 large and miniature bottles
- 125 neon signs
- and many chalk figures, pictures, signs and wooden crates

HISTORY OF CANNING

FIRST BEER CAN 1933

The first beer can was developed in 1933 by American Can, for Gottfried Krueger's Brewing Company.

-KRUEGER FINEST BEER CAN-



CONE TOP CANS 1965

This design allowed brewers to use their bottle and packaging lines to fill cans and seal them with bottle caps.

-SCHLITZ CONE TOP CAN-



FIXED-TAB BEER CAN 1975

The first fixed-tab can was produced in 1975 and is still used today by almost every brewery in country.

-PABST FIXED-TAB CAN-



WATER STREET BREWERY 2024

Our beers are brewed and canned in house at Delafield, Oak Creek and Grafton



SIX PACKS AVAILABLE AT EACH LOCATION