

Path to SoberPlatz: Recovery Meets SteelStacks Live

Friday, June 5, 2026 – 7:00 pm to 11:00 pm

Join us for a high-energy kickoff as we build momentum toward Musikfest! While our alcohol-free SoberPlatz hangout runs July 30 – August 9, we are bringing the spirit of connection to SteelStacks early. On Friday, June 5, Sync Recovery Community and ArtsQuest present two live public concerts celebrating the power of live music and lived experience.

The night features “raw and explosive” alt-rock from KOSER at the Levitt Pavilion, followed by a soulful set from JL DUO on the Community Stage. Between the music, we’ll be revealing the full lineup of engaging activities planned for SoberPlatz. Come see where recovery meets community in the heart of Bethlehem’s music scene!

KOSER 7:30 – 9:00 pm

Levitt Pavilion SteelStacks – Bring your lawn chair and arrive early to grab your spot.



Philadelphia-based KOSER delivers alternative rock that hits hard—gritty guitars, soulful vocals, and unexpected humor woven into an electrifying live show. Described by WMMR as “raw, explosive, and emotionally unfiltered,” the band is known for creating a deep, immediate connection with audiences.

Fronted by Kara “Koser” (The Voice, Songbird), the band has performed at Musikfest and will return in 2026. Kara is openly in recovery for over seven years, bringing authenticity and lived experience to every performance.

Artist Info: kosermusic.com

Event Info: syncrecovery/path-to-soberplatz/koser

JL DUO 9:00 – 11:00 pm

Highmark Blue Shield Community Stage at Air Products Town Square – Stay for a more intimate but equally powerful set.



Featuring the soulful vocals of Jackie Miller and veteran guitarist Les Reisz, this duo brings a restorative, eclectic energy to the stage. A dedicated Sync Recovery volunteer in long-term recovery, Jackie blends heartfelt originals and jazz standards with bossa nova and modern pop. From the Beatles and Aretha Franklin to Billie Eilish and Coldplay, their harmonized set is both soulful and entertaining. Catch them at SteelStacks before Jackie’s Musikfest 2026 debut!

Artist Info: youtube.com/@jackiemiller

Event Info: syncrecovery/path-to-soberplatz/jl-duo

Know Before You Go

Sync Recovery Community is proud to partner with ArtsQuest for these live public concerts at Levitt Pavilion SteelStacks and the Highmark Blue Shield Community Stage on the Air Products Town Square.

As these take place on the SteelStacks campus, please be aware that the venues are not alcohol-free and alcohol is available for purchase. Join us for a night where recovery meets community!

- Free and open to the public
- No registration required
- Lawn chairs encouraged for Levitt Pavilion SteelStacks

SteelStacks Info:

artsquest.org/where-we-are/steelstacks/

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Sync Recovery's **VOLUNTEER SPOTLIGHT** Val Liggett



How has Sync affected your recovery?

Sync gives me the opportunity to connect with people who prioritize recovery and support one another through service and community. Being surrounded by others in recovery helps me stay sober, grow, and feel less alone. Through shared experiences and meaningful events, Sync gives me the support I need not just to stay sober, but to truly thrive..

Why do you think being a part of this community is essential?

Sync brings together people from all walks of recovery, creating a strong sense of belonging and community beyond any one program. Through inclusive events, service opportunities, and shared experiences, Sync helps people in recovery — along with their friends and families — grow, connect, and feel supported..

What does Sync offer that is unique in the field of recovery?

Sync provides a unique opportunity to be part of a community of people from all walks of recovery, not just from one particular “program,” and this gives me a sense of belonging within a greater, more encompassing recovery community. Sync provides the opportunity to participate in events that help me to stretch and grow, look inward, and have fun in an atmosphere of inclusivity, understanding and belonging. Sync provides the opportunity to be in service not just to others in recovery, but to friends and family as well, who also have the need to be

around people who have similar life experiences and struggles. It's not just about the people in recovery, but about the greater community that provides the essential support that we need.

What motivated you to get involved with Sync?

Giving back and being in service is essential to my recovery. Sync has helped me so much that I want to help others experience the same support and connection. I've found that being involved with Sync — both at events and behind the scenes — has been a rewarding way to stay connected to the recovery community and support others in their journey..

What aspects of Sync's activities do you find most rewarding or enjoyable?

Sync activities give me the opportunity to try new things, grow in my recovery, and connect with others in recovery. What I find most rewarding is the supportive atmosphere, where there's no pressure to be perfect — just encouragement to learn, grow, and challenge myself at my own pace. These experiences help me better understand myself, build self-compassion, and take pride in what I'm able to accomplish..

Seamless Event Registration is Here! 🎉

You asked—and we listened!

Starting in June, Sync Recovery is introducing a faster, easier way to register for events. Create your profile once, and your information will be saved for future sign-ups.

[Create Your Profile](#)

After that, it's quick and simple—just enter your name, answer a few questions, and approve the waiver.

Less time registering means more time connecting.
We can't wait for you to try it!