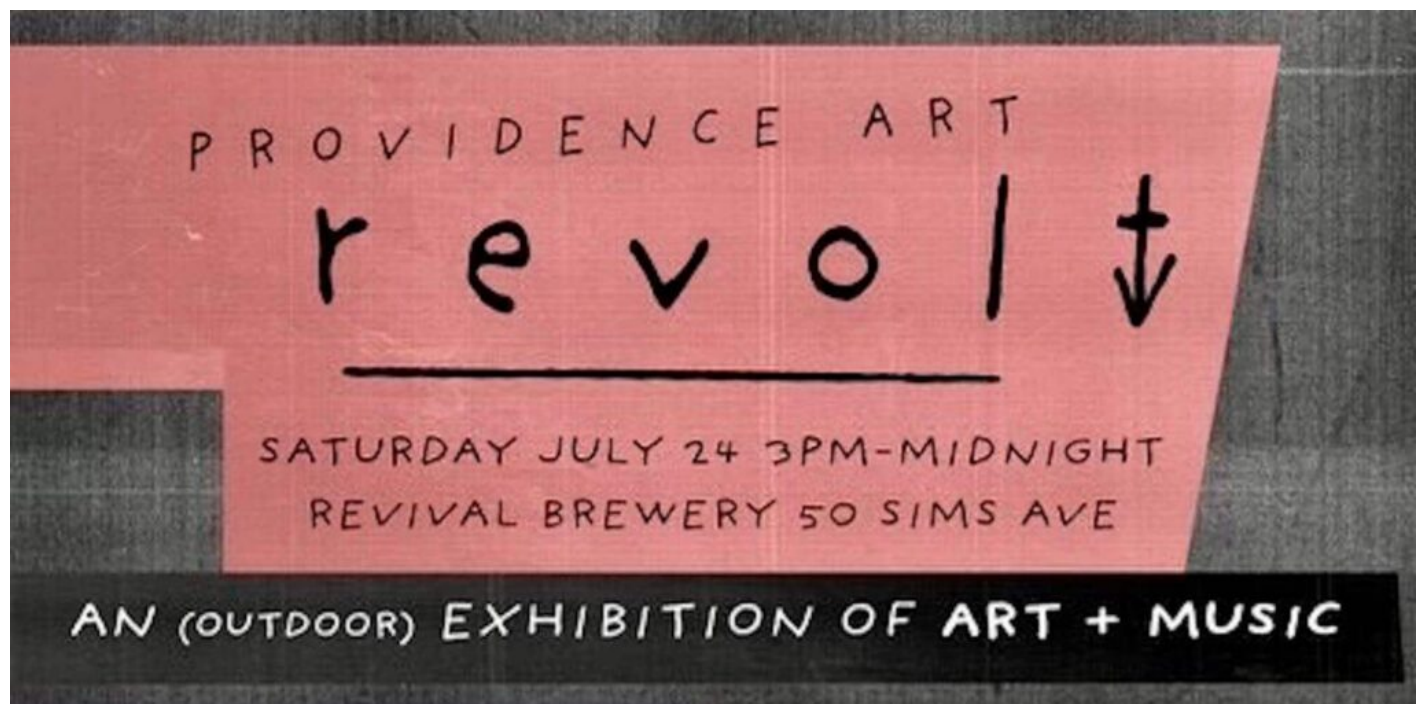


# Providence Art Revolt: A summer celebration of art, music and community



On July 24, from 3pm until midnight, Providence Art Revolt will take over Revival Brewing in PVD.

The idea for Art Revolt came from the three co-hosts of the local podcast Providence Leftist Radio. It's a political podcast that never hosts politicians. Rather it hosts local mutual aid organizations in hopes of helping them connect to like-minded listeners. The Providence Leftist Radio hosts wondered if they could bring this type of connection into the art world.

"We wanted to host an event where people could get together and appreciate the art that's coming out of our community," said Art Revolt organizer and Providence Leftist Radio co-host Alex Herbert. "People buy art for their walls all the time, but my question is: If you really want to support your community, why not display a piece from a local artist?"

Art Revolt will allow people to do just that. Ten local artists will have their work displayed and available for purchase at the event. In addition to the artists displaying their work, there will be vendor tables and food trucks, and bands will play all afternoon into the night. "The point of Art Revolt is to celebrate art from the community, and the vendors, musicians, even the food is a type of local art," said Herbert.

Will this become an annual event? "We'll see how Saturday goes," said Herbert. "The enthusiasm has been really cool. The vendors, musicians, sponsors and artists are really excited. And as long as the community-funded and community-oriented aspect of it remains, I don't see why we couldn't do this year after year."

*Art Revolt takes starts at 3pm at Revival Brewery, 50 Sims Ave, PVD. Gallery artists include Derek Raymond, Vickie Smalls, Still Hear, Dsfcult Dopesicksf, Doodle in Your Head, Marius Marjolin, Hell*

*Dweller, Gostgod, Anobelist and Wormo. Performing musicians include Dirty Mushrooms (in their first ever performance!), Baby Baby, Burr, Darklands, Bocek, DJ For All Masters, John Prince, Von the General and Satin Suede. For more info, go to [fb.com/plrpod](https://fb.com/plrpod) or [@plrpod](https://twitter.com/plrpod).*