

What the DUCK?! Grandpa Joe's Candy Shop caps a two-weeklong surprise with TEN 14-foot rooftop ducks in downtown Canonsburg

CANONSBURG, Pa. - Oct. 9, 2025 – For the last two weeks in the dark of the night, thousands of rubber ducks have been appearing on Pike Street in Downtown Canonsburg. Today, the mystery of the “serial-ducker” is revealed as Grandpa Joe's Candy Shop culminates the community wide surprise with a whopping TEN massive 14-foot-tall ducks on rooftops throughout Canonsburg, including its own Grandpa Joe's Candy Shop storefront at 4 W. Pike Street.

Over the past two weeks, Grandpa Joe's quietly placed 2,000 small ducks around Canonsburg on Sept. 29, followed by 2,000 medium ducks on Oct. 2 and 600 large ducks on Oct. 6. Today's grand finale brings giant rooftop ducks to Grandpa Joe's - along with additional inflatable ducks placed on or at other downtown businesses - turning Canonsburg into a can't-miss photo stop and inviting residents and visitors alike to join in the fun.

“We love a good surprise - and we love Canonsburg,” said Christopher J. Beers, owner of Grandpa Joe's Candy Shop. “The ducks are our fun, lighthearted way to spark smiles, bring people downtown, and remind everyone that shopping and spending time in the heart of Canonsburg is the place to be.”

Visitors are encouraged to stop by, take photos with the rooftop duck (and its friends around town), and support local shops and restaurants. Share photos on social media and tag @grandpajoes to join the conversation.

[Link to additional assets, drone footage, media coverage, and social media posts.](#)

About Grandpa Joe's Candy Shop:

Grandpa Joe's Candy Shop, founded by Christopher J. Beers, opened its first location in Pittsburgh, PA, in May 2012, and now has 19 locations across Pennsylvania, Ohio, Florida, West Virginia, and Minnesota. The company also offers national distribution of candy and soda to over 17,000 independent retailers.

Best known for its vast selection of candy, soda, unique gifts and international treats, Grandpa Joe's Candy Shop has received worldwide attention for some of its original products, including Pickle Cotton Candy, and Ketchup Soda; and its guerrilla marketing tactics including the 2020 Monolith appearance in Pittsburgh.

For more information, visit Grandpa Joe's online at www.GrandpaJoes.com or follow on social media:

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