

News Release

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Last Week of Summer Fun at the Alameda County Fair

Final Weekend Festivities Include Junior Livestock Auction, Fiesta at the Fair and a Performance from Blue Oyster Cult

Pleasanton, Calif. -- Anyone who hasn't yet indulged in a corndog and funnel cake better head over to the Alameda County Fair before it closes on Sunday, July 10.

This week is the last chance for attendees to enjoy delicious food, rides, games, animals, horse racing and good old-fashioned family fun before the Fair ends its 19-day run.

Blue Oyster Cult will light up the stage of the Lucky Amphitheater on July 7, and throughout the weekend there will be thrilling performances from Great White, ConFunkShun, the AC/DC tribute band Bonfire and the Latin sensation Banda Machos.

The popular Fiesta at the Fair will take place on Sunday July 10 and will feature a celebration of Latin culture, with food and all day music and entertainment.

The annual Junior Livestock Auction will take place prior to fair opening on July 10 at 9:00am at the Amador Pavilion, and the plant sale will take place in the Gardens at 6pm.

Horse racing will take place Friday through Sunday, July 10 at the Stella Artois Grandstand with the first post time at 1:45 pm. On Saturday, July 9, the Fair will host the Everett Nevin Stakes with a guaranteed purse of \$75,000.

All the favorite Fair features such as Fair food, carnival rides and games, animals, exhibits, pig races will continue throughout the weekend.

For more details, including schedules, discount days, and concert and ticket info, visit the Fair's website at www.alamedacountyfair.com. Follow the Fair's official [Facebook](#), [Instagram](#) and [Twitter](#) for additional information, previews, updates, contests, and giveaways.

2022 Alameda County Fair Information

Dates: June 17-July 10 (Open Wednesday – Sunday)

Hours: 11am-11pm daily

Carnival Hours: Wed-Thurs 12pm to closing, Fri-Sun 11am to closing

Horse Racing: Every Friday through Sunday

Movies on the Concert Lawn: Nightly at 6pm ([see website for full schedule](#))

Concerts: 8pm Nightly

- Wednesday, July 6: Great White
- Thursday, July 7: Blue Oyster Cult
- Friday, July 8: ConFunkShun
- Saturday, July 9: Bonfire (AC/DC Tribute)
- Sunday, July 10: Banda Machos

Regular Gate Admission

- General (13-61) -- \$18
- Seniors (62+) -- \$15
- Kids (6-12) -- \$15
- Children under 6 -- FREE
- General Parking -- \$15
- Unlimited Carnival + Sky Ride wristbands -- Wed-Thurs \$37, Fri-Sun & July 4, \$42 – valid any one day of Fair – may only be purchased onsite at a Butler Kiosk

Promotions and Special Days:

- Dollar Ride Day: Wednesday, July 6 -- \$1 rides until 5pm
- \$2 Fair Food Bites (Thursday Until 5pm): Select fun-sized Fair treats just \$2 each
- Children 5 and under: free Fair admission all day, every day
- Military Appreciation: Every Day -- One FREE general Fair admission with valid Military ID, all day, every day

The Alameda County Fair is operated by the non-profit Fair Association without any tax funding from the government. It is ranked one of the Top 50 North American Fairs and the 7th largest Fair in California. The Fairgrounds is home to the Oldest One-Mile Race Track in America.