

Solano County Fair – August 2-6, 2017
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Discounted Pre-sale Tickets Available Online Now Through August 1 for the 2017 Solano County Fair

Headline concerts to include Gospel Rocks Solano!, Lenny Williams, The Original Lakeside, Metalachi and Journey Revisited

Solano County, CA – The annual Solano County Fair is just over two months away, but it’s not too soon to get your tickets and take advantage of special pre-sale discounts. Dubbed “This Fair’s For Ewe!”, the Solano County Fair runs from August 2-6 and is five days full of family fun, non-stop music, acres of entertainment and FREE headline concerts included with admission every night.

Discounted pre-sale tickets are available online at SCFair.com and on the Fair’s Facebook page now through midnight on August 1. Pre-sale tickets can also be purchased at the Fairgrounds’ office during regular business hours through August 1. By purchasing tickets in advance, fairgoers save \$5.00 per carnival unlimited ride wristband and \$2.25 per adult, child, senior and military veteran admission tickets off of the regular on-site prices during the Fair. Children age 5 and under are always FREE. New for 2017, parking tickets may also be purchased in advance for a \$2.25 savings per vehicle.

	<u>On-Site</u>	<u>Pre-Sale</u>
General Admission	\$10.00	\$7.75
Child (age 6-12)	\$6.00	\$3.75
Senior (age 60+)	\$6.00	\$3.75
Military Veteran	\$8.00	\$5.75
Carnival Wristband	\$28.00	\$23.00
Parking	\$12.00	\$9.75

Also new for 2017, pre-sale ticket packages can be purchased for an even greater savings. A two adult admissions plus one parking package is available for \$20 in advance (\$32 on-site), and a



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family pack with two adult admissions, two child admissions and one parking is available for \$25 in advance (\$44 on-site).

In addition to discounted pre-sale tickets, the Fair is offering three special admission days.

- Wednesday, August 2: Seniors Day – seniors age 60+ receive free admission
- Thursday, August 3: Kids Day – kids 12 and under receive free admission
- Friday, August 4: Military & First Responders Appreciation Day – military, law enforcement and firefighters and their families receive free admission

Not only does the Solano County Fair offer some of the best fair admission prices in the area, it also includes free headline concerts every night making it one of the best entertainment values of the summer. Here is this year's concert line-up scheduled for the Galaxy Stage.

On Wednesday, August 2 the Fair will once again hold a “festival within a festival” repeating last year's popular Gospel Rocks Solano! event. The evening will feature minister and recording artist, Vicki Yohe, as well as Geoffrey Golden, the Season 7 winner of the “BET Sunday Best” singing competition. They will be joined by multiple musical and inspirational artists for more than three hours of entertainment beginning at 5:30 p.m.

Thursday, August 3 brings ultimate soul crooner and Oakland native, Lenny Williams, to the Galaxy Stage. Gaining fame as the lead singer of *Tower of Power*, Williams' style has transcended into the new millennium, influencing many of today's most popular R&B and Hip Hop artists. His rich, passionate vocal style will woo the crowd with old favorites and new sounds beginning at 8:00 p.m.

One of the greatest funk bands of all time, The Original Lakeside, will bring their unique and high energy sound to the Fair on Friday, August 4. The Original Lakeside was the first band to successfully use a theme for each of its album covers, creating notoriety in the music industry and leaving their fan base always wondering what they were going to come out with next. Best



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known for their hit “Fantastic Voyage”, the band has been performing for over forty years and promises the ultimate funk band concert when they take the stage at 8:00 p.m.

Saturday, August 5 brings two headline shows to the Galaxy Stage: Metalachi at 5:00 p.m. and Journey Revisited at 8:00 p.m. Self-described as “the world’s first and only heavy metal mariachi band”, Metalachi is a show unlike any other. Combining high-spirited humor and outrageous costumes with truly skilled musical tributes, the band will entertain fairgoers like only a rock band can. Continuing the night’s classic rock theme, Journey Revisited is back at the Fair after their highly popular show in 2015. The extraordinary talents of Jeff Salado, Val Popovic, Kevin Jachetta, Michael "Gonzo" Gonzales and David Hawkes come together to “relive the glory days of Journey” through their band, Journey Revisited, for a tribute performance that's sure to delight nostalgic music lovers.

The closing night Fiesta Concert acts are still be announced for a 7 p.m. show time on Sunday, August 6. A separate ticket is not required for any of the concerts and seating is available on a first come, first served basis.

The Solano County Fair runs from August 2-6, 2017 at the Solano County Fairgrounds in Vallejo. 2017 Fair hours are 3 p.m. to 11 p.m. Wednesday through Friday, and noon to 11 p.m. Saturday and Sunday.

All of the following sources are available to get the latest updates and announcements about the annual Solano County Fair as well as year-round Fairgrounds activities:

- visit the Fair’s web site, SCFair.com;
- follow the Fair on Facebook by clicking the link on the Fair’s home page; or
- sign up to receive email blasts and newsletters by registering your email in the box at the top of the Fair’s home page.

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