



May 2025

Dear Neighbor,

The LA County Fair puts the spotlight on all things creative in 2025 with its theme **Art Unleashed**. The Fair has been a celebration of art for more than a century: home arts, culinary arts, visual arts, performing arts, fine arts. The art of having fun. The art of making memories. Celebrate artistry and mastery in all their diverse forms with the Fair's immersive experience that promises to captivate all guests. We welcome the community to enjoy this year's Fair and hope you come out and join us. Here is a sampling of what is happening at the 2025 LA County Fair!

Attractions & Exhibits

Highlights of all the Fair fun!

- The Fair is partnering with several Los Angeles County art institutions to bring activations to Fair guests:
 - LA Opera will teach guests how to sing like an opera star.
 - The Getty Museum is bringing its Getty Pavilion which intersects well-being and art.
- For the third year, the Los Angeles County Museum of Art, through an award by Art Bridges, is curating an exhibit for the Millard Sheets Art Center. *Before You Now* focuses on the enduring theme of the artist's self-portrait. Among the self-portraits on display are ones of Andy Warhol, Diane Arbus and Man Ray.
- NextFest brings LA's best indie artists to the fairgrounds.
- The Performing Arts Showcase, featuring hand-selected school bands, orchestras and choirs from around Los Angeles County, comes to Expo Hall 4 Stage May 16 and 17.
- The beloved Flower and Garden Pavilion celebrates the Art of Flowers with BLOOM 2 ART, an experience where the whimsical interplay and kindred spirit between flowers, art & all peoples is imagined into existence and celebrated throughout the Pavilion through creative and imaginative settings.
- The Art of Competition revs up with Home Arts and Culinary Arts in their new home in Expo Hall 5.
- Demonstrating the Art of Motion, Ray Cammack Shows carnival is back for its 39th year with four new rides, including the Royal Wheel Ferris Wheel and Heidi the Rollercoaster, and in Expo Hall 9, Skate-R-Cade returns with a bigger rink.
- The Art of Flavor envelopes the entire fairgrounds with more than 150 food concessionaires offering mouth-watering delights, including new items the Meatball Corndog, Mike's Hot Honey Bacon-Wrapped Pork Belly and the Strawberry Chocolate Cup.



Concerts

12 nights of concerts, all shows start at 7:30 PM

May 2 – WAR
May 3 – Shaggy, Common Kings
May 4 – Los Angeles Azules
May 9 – The O’Jays, Tower of Power
May 10 – Mariachi Vargas, Alicia Villareal
May 11 – Chris Young
May 16 – Zapp, Midnight Star
May 17 – Dru Hill, Mýa
May 18 – Los Tucanes de Tijuana
May 23 – Cheap Trick
May 25– Chris Janson
May 26 – Los Huracanes del Norte

Ways to Save

Opening Day Deal: Fair opens at 5 PM opening day, celebrate with \$9.50 admission.

Food Drive Thursdays: May 8, 15 and 25. Bring 5 cans of food (per person) for free entry that day from 11 AM- 4PM. Donated food will be distributed to local food pantries.

Resident Discount Days: Pomona residents can redeem \$1 admission on Thursday, May 9. La Verne residents can redeem \$1 admission on Friday, May 10. Online only.

Learn more at <https://www.lacountyfair.com/discounts/>.

As a part of our commitment to be a good neighbor, we continue ongoing coordination with the Pomona and La Verne Police Departments. We look forward to hearing your feedback post-Fair. Should you have any immediate issues or concerns please utilize the Neighborhood Response System (NRS), created exclusively to support Fairplex neighbors, available to address issues and concerns of immediate need. You are encouraged to call/text (909) 263-3304 or email neighborhood@fairplex.com.

For a full listing of fair fun please visit <https://www.lacountyfair.com/>. General information inquiries call (909) 623-3111. You can also follow us on all social media platforms, Fairplex and @LACountyFair for the latest information.

Sincerely,
Fairplex Community Engagement