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2026 OC Fair tickets and carnival deals are on sale now with value-packed bundles

Presale offers lock in early discounts to get last year's prices

COSTA MESA (April 17, 2026) – The OC Fair returns July 17–Aug. 16, with new ticket options, family bundles and carnival experiences designed to make the summer tradition more flexible and affordable. Your Adventure Awaits!



Fairgoers can now purchase presale admission and carnival packages online and lock in 2025 pricing before increases take effect. Several new online-only offers will also be available through July 16, including a timed-entry value ticket, ride-and-game passes and family bundles including kids meals.

Tickets and bundles are available at ocfair.com where entertainment tickets are also on sale and include same-day Fair admission. Tickets for pre- and post-Fair shows include admission any Wednesday or Thursday July 17-Aug. 16.

Admission presale

- Weekday adult: \$13; weekend adult: \$15 (weekend adult goes up to \$18 after July 16)
- Kids (6–12): \$9
- Seniors (65+): \$9

Every Day Passport - come any day or every day

- \$60; available online now
- Exclusive deals including two-for-one concerts and more

New Smart Start - early entry discount

- \$11 adult; available through July 16 only
- 11 a.m.–1 p.m. Wednesdays and Thursdays

New Carnival Dream Pass

- \$46; available through July 16 only
- 10 rides or carnival games
- Must be purchased with an admission ticket

New Weekday Unlimited Family Bundle

- \$150; introductory offer ends May 31
- 4 admission tickets (including 2 kids tickets)
- 2 Unlimited Ride Wristbands
- 2 \$10 kids meals

New Family Dream Bundle

- \$155; introductory offer ends May 31
- 4 admission tickets (including 2 kids tickets)
- 2 Carnival Dream Passes (10 rides/games)
- 2 \$10 kids meals

New Kids Meals

- \$10 combos
- Special deals at four KP's locations

A summer tradition in Orange County

The annual OC Fair is California's top fair and one of the largest in the United States, featuring carnival rides, live entertainment, food, exhibits and community showcases at OC Fair & Event Center in Costa Mesa.

The theme, Your Adventure Awaits, invites fairgoers to embrace the American spirit of discovery as the OC Fair celebrates its 136th year and the America's 250th birthday.



OC Fair & Event Center in Costa Mesa, California, is home to the annual OC Fair. Year-round attractions include Centennial Farm, Heroes Hall and Pacific Amphitheatre. OC Fair & Event Center also hosts year-round events and festivals. For more information, visit ocfair.com.

Support of OC Fair & Event Center provides year-round educational opportunities and helps fund community give-back programs.

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