

SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA FAIR

October 10-18, 2009

Lake Perris Fairgrounds

46th District Agricultural Association

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The Story of the 46th District Agricultural Association

The history of the Southern California Fair dates back to 1913 when the first Riverside County Fair was held at Chemawa Park. Over the next few years the fair changed locations and names, and in 1918 the Riverside County Fair Board was abolished and the new Southern California Fair Association was created that included Board of Directors from all over the county. This lasted until 1926 when the Southern California Fair ceased due to financial reasons.

In 1927, State Legislature formed the 46th District Agricultural Association (46th DAA). During this year, the Southern California Fair was reintroduced to the public sponsored by the 46th DAA. The Festival was a flourishing event with more than 100,000 exhibits, a large agricultural show and livestock show. Other popular features at the Southern California Fair included frog jumping, aeronautical exhibits, horse and auto racing, auto shows, parades, chariot races and an air show. The air show at the Southern California Fair was the most dramatic event showcased by Roman C. Warren, Cowboy aviator, from Riverside, who had flown under the arch of the Rubidoux Bridge and recreated his feat by flying under an exact replica built just for the Fair. In 1927 and 1928 Warren flew under that replica 13 times at 125 mph and thrilled thousands of visitors at the Fair.

Then in 1931, the Board of Directors signed an agreement that would combine the Los Angeles County Fair with the Southern California Fair. Because of this, from 1931 to 1946 there was no official county fair in Riverside County. However the 46th DAA sponsored one of the largest Turkey Shows in the country, in Hemet, California from 1936 through 1942.

In 1946, the 46th DAA sponsored the Farmers Fair & Festival. The annual event was held in Hemet until 1987, when it moved to the current location, at the Lake Perris Fairgrounds.

Arnold Schwarzenegger	Governor
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Mission Statement

The Mission of the Southern California Fair
is to provide agricultural activities, entertainment,
education, recreation, and service opportunities for all people

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Vince Agnifili CEO/Secretary - Manager

Exhibit Staff

Sherrie Kadella Exhibits Representative I

Department Superintendents

Betty Jo Dunham Exhibit Office

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Tom Parker Agricultural Mechanics

Denisse Goedhart Collections & Hobbies

Diana Goedhart Crafts

Perris Friends of the Library /Helen Bedford Fine Arts

Charlene Woolf Floriculture

Bob Spradlin Gems & Minerals

Pat Ketchum 4-H Home Economics

P.E.O.MF/Midgie Parker Home Arts

Kim Myers Horticulture

Sandy Coats Junior Department

Bob Spradlin Models

Quinn Hawley Photography

Sherry Perkins Table Settings

Marie Spradlin Scouts & School Displays

P.E.O.MF/Midgie Parker Senior Citizens

Perris Friends of the Library/Helen Bedford Senior Fine Arts

Kelly Secord Livestock Supervisor

Allen Messick Small Animals

Kittie Hayden Rabbits & Cavies

LOCAL RULES

Notice: Special attention should be given to filling out entry forms. Social Security numbers must be on all Horticulture and Livestock entry forms. Whenever signatures or affidavits are required, be sure they are supplied. Check division and class number carefully in the entry book before listing on entry form; wrong division or class number can lead to disqualification. Whenever in doubt do not hesitate to check with fair management to be sure that entry is correct.

1. Entry forms may be obtained at the 46th District Agricultural Association, 18700 Lake Perris Blvd, Perris, CA. 92571. (951) 657-4221 or make copies of the entry forms in book.
2. LATE ENTRIES WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED, Entry forms must be in fair-office by time and date specified.
3. ALL ENTRIES CLOSE: Sept. 11, 2010 4:00 p.m.
4. The management reserves the right to refuse additional entries when facilities are filled.
5. ENTRY FEE MUST ACCOMPANY ENTRY FORM. Make checks payable to Southern California Fair and mail to 18700 Lake Perris Blvd, Perris, CA 92571. Entry fees will be forfeited on entries made and not exhibited. A penalty of \$50.00 per exhibitor must be paid before exhibit is accepted if a check in payment of entry fee is refused by the bank. Overpayments will not be refunded.
6. All signatures and information necessary must be on entry form and all fees (including penalties) must be paid before judging of class has started to be eligible for premium awards. It is the responsibility of exhibitor' to correct all deficiencies in entries as required by the rules printed in the guide book.
7. Articles sent by mail, freight, or express mail must be prepaid. If exhibitor desires article returned by mail, return postage must accompany exhibit.

8. All materials used in decorating stalls, pens, racks, exhibits, or booths must be made from non-flammable material or treated and maintained in a flame-retardant condition.
9. No animal, product, article or equipment necessary for an exhibit may be removed from fairgrounds before specified release time. Release slips must be obtained from Superintendent when articles are removed.
10. The management will take reasonable precaution to insure the safety of exhibits entered, however, the owners themselves must take the risk of exhibiting and should any exhibit or portion thereof be injured, destroyed, lost or stolen, the management, while giving assistance toward the recovery of same, will not be liable or make any payment for the value thereof.
11. Dogs with the exceptions of Seeing Eye or hearing dogs will not be allowed on the fairgrounds.
12. Exhibitors shall park cars, trucks, trailers, etc. only in areas as designated by the fair management.
13. All 4-H & FFA exhibitors staying in camp area MUST be under adult supervision at all times.
14. Attendants at exhibits must be neatly attired and will be required to conduct themselves in a quiet and orderly manner.
15. Exhibitors failing to comply with rules and regulations will not be paid premiums awarded to their exhibit. Judges books only will be used as evidence for payment of premiums. Ribbons or tags are not accepted.
16. State Rules and Health rules have been revised, and said rules apply to all entries in the fair. Please Read State Rules carefully. Available at Fair Office or on line at www.cdfa.ca.gov/fe .
17. No motorized, bicycles or golf carts allowed on grounds except handicapped and fair staff.