

El Dorado County Fair & Event Center



A 501 (c) (3) Nonprofit | 100 Placerville Drive, Placerville CA 95667 | Office: Monday - Friday | (530) 621-5860 | eldoradocountyfair.org

General Information

[Complete set of policies are available upon request.](#)

- Facility Rental Hours are 7:30 am - Midnight
- Hourly rates are Monday - Thursday only with a 2-hour minimum.
- Additional rental hours will be charged before 7:30 am and after Midnight at the hourly rate for each facility.
- Hourly rates do not include setup or teardown. **Set up and teardown** days are charged at 1/2 the daily rental fee. Hours are 7:30 am - 9:00 pm.
- **Signs:** Banners and signs are not allowed on our gates or fences without special permission. On site signage, material and location must be approved by Maintenance Department.
Want your flyer posted on our webpage? Please call the Fair office for details. For off-site signage call Cal Trans at (530) 654-4790 and/or the City of Placerville at (530) 621-2489.
- **Public Parking:** Parking fees may be charged at events which necessitates attendants for safety and optimal parking purposes.
- **Security:** Security is required at events involving liquor with a large public audience plus other events at management's discretion.
- **Each Interim Rental shall be considered one (1) event. Multiple events during the same rental period will require additional fees which are determined by the event.**

Cancellations

El Dorado County Fair & Event Center will retain 50% of the total facility user fee if cancellation of the License Agreement is made within 30 days of the event, and 25% of the total facility user fee or \$200, whichever is greater, if event is canceled more than 30 days before the event.

Insurance Requirements

All users of the El Dorado County Fair & Event Center must provide a certificate of insurance no less than \$1,000,000 combined single limits, bodily injury, and property damage, listing the State of California, the County of El Dorado, and the El Dorado County Fair Association, their agents, servants and employees as additionally insured. Public liability and property damage coverage no less than \$1,000,000 combined single limits, neither coverage to involve a deductible feature.

[Special event liability & liquor liability insurance may be purchased through our office.](#)

Concession Fees

20% of gross sales after taxes on sale of all food and beverage, including wine, hard liquor, and beer sold at any event.

[Health permits may be required. \(530\) 621-5300.](#)

Henningsen Arena Open Ride

Mon - Wed: 9:00 am - 9:00 pm | **Thurs - Sun:** 7:30 am - Dusk

No barrel racing or props allowed EXCEPT on Wednesdays.

Check the Fair website for closure dates. eldoradocountyfair.org

Please call for current "open times" prior to arriving.

- Monday through Friday 9:00 am – 4:00 pm 530-621-5860
- Evening Hours 530-919-5863
- Weekend Hours 530-919-5860 or 530-919-5873

For details and more information see Flyer or call the Fair Office.

Henningsen Arena Open Ride	Daily Pass	1 Month	3 Months	Jan - May / July - Dec	Annual Jan - Dec
Individual Riders	\$ 10.00	\$ 32.00	\$ 90.00	\$ 140.00	\$ 250.00
Family (two)	n/a	\$ 40.00	\$ 100.00	\$ 150.00	\$ 270.00
Family* (three +)	n/a	\$ 48.00	\$ 120.00	\$ 160.00	\$ 280.00

Join Friends of the Fair

"Friends of the Fair" sponsors fund capital improvement projects and help sustain the Jr. Livestock program. **All contributions are tax deductible.**

- Bronze **\$75.00** 1 four-day season passes to the Fair
- Silver **\$150.00** 3 four-day season passes to the Fair
- Gold **\$300.00** 4 four-day season passes to Fair
- Platinum **\$500.00** + 4 four-day season passes to Fair & exclusive invite to our Fair VIP/Media Preview Night
- Double Platinum **\$1,000.00** + 4 four-day season passes to Fair, exclusive invite to our Fair VIP/Media Preview Night plus premium on-grounds parking during Fair

Corporate Sponsorship Opportunities

Join local partners such as **Veerkamp Engineering** and **Windfall Media Group** and regional partners such as **First 5 California** and **Sleep Train Mattress Centers** to create a custom sponsorship package supporting our annual county fair. [Please contact Jody Gray in the Fair Office for details.](#)

Association Membership

Annual dues are \$30.00 per person or \$50.00 per family of two adults. Membership is January 1 - December 31. Dues cannot be prorated. Members must be an El Dorado County resident to join.

Services/Amenities Available with Additional Fee and Facility Rental

Service/Amenity	Price	Details
Bars	\$33.00	8 x 2 feet • 2 Available
Bleachers <i>Outside</i>	\$100.00 per set	9 sets total • each set seats 90
Bleachers <i>Inside</i>	\$140.00 per set	9 sets total Each set seats 90
Chairs	\$1.00 per chair	Inside or outdoor
Dumpster	\$420.00	
Forklift	\$85.00 per hour	With operator, 2 hour minimum
Marquee	\$75.00 per week	Single Sided - 4 Lines
Marquee	\$150.00 per week	<i>Electronic: Located at Fair Lane Gate - 4 Lines</i>
PA System	\$55.00 per day	Portable or stationary.
Pens	\$15.00 - Small \$30.00 - Large \$20.00 - Horse	Small 5 x 5 Feet Large 10 x 10 Feet Horse 12 x 12 Feet
Pipe and Drape	\$15.00 per section	Setup & teardown
Portable Radios	\$10.00 each	
Propane BBQ	\$85.00	Includes propane.
Stage - Large	\$420.00 - Nonprofit \$735.00 - private party	On-site usage only - rental fee includes one hour setup/tear down.
Stages <i>Inside only</i>	\$35.00 - \$60.00	\$35.00 - per 1 ft high section \$60.00 - per 3 ft high section
Tables	\$8.00 each	Picnic Tables
Tables <i>Round or Long</i>	\$8.00 each	\$2.25 per table to substitute 60" round tables in place of long tables
Ticket Booths <i>Stationary Blue Gate</i>	\$120.00 per event	Walk away cleanup \$65.00 per man-hour 2 hour minimum.
Tractor/Forklift	\$85.00 per hour	With operator, 2 hour minimum

RV Camping

- \$35.00 per unit per night.
- Power and water hookups available. *No sewer hookups.* Dump station upon request. **See RV Camping Flyer for additional information.**

Building/Area	Daily Rental Fee	Mon - Thurs: Hourly	Dimensions	Tables	Chairs	Kitchen	Assembly*	Dinner*	Walk Away Cleanup
American Legion Oak	\$125.00	\$16.00	4,000 Sq Ft	Picnic	0	No			\$65.00 per man-hour 2 hour min
Apple Tree	\$190.00	\$25.00	2,700 Sq Ft	Picnic	0	No			\$65.00 per man-hour 2 hour min
Avenue Blacktop	\$125.00	\$16.00							\$65.00 per man-hour 2 hour min
Back Lawn	\$245.00	\$32.00	94,500 Sq Ft	Picnic	0	No			\$65.00 per man-hour 2 hour min
Beer Tree Lawn	\$135.00	\$17.00	8,500 Sq Ft	Picnic	0	No			\$65.00 per man-hour 2 hour min
Board Room **	\$220.00	\$28.00		5, 6-foot	25	Prep	55	25	\$65.00 per man-hour 2 hour min
Board Room Lawn **	\$130.00	\$16.50	4,000 Sq Ft	0	0	No			\$65.00 per man-hour 2 hour min
Chuckwagon Kitchen	\$195.00	N/A		0	0	Yes			\$65.00 per man-hour 2 hour min
Concession Stands	\$115.00 + Concession Fees	N/A		0	0	Yes	Stands 11 - 15		\$65.00 per man-hour 2 hour min
Concession Blacktop	\$125.00	\$16.00		0	0	No			\$65.00 per man-hour 2 hour min
Corker Building	\$360.00	\$45.00	40 X 40 Feet	20, 6-foot	125	Prep	200	100	\$330.00
Fairgrounds: Lower	\$4,400 + Parking, RV & Concession Fees	N/A		Picnic	0	Yes			\$5,000.00
Fairgrounds: Concert Rate	\$2,200 + Parking, RV & Concession Fees	N/A		Picnic	0	No			\$5,000.00
Floriculture Building **	\$200.00	\$25.00	48 x 40 Feet	10, 6-foot	60	No			\$65.00 per man-hour 2 hour min
Grandstand **	\$1,945.00	N/A		1,896	0	No	1,896		\$65.00 per man-hour 2 hour min
Henningsen Arena <i>equestrian use only</i> **	\$365.00	\$46.00	130 x 210 Feet	0	2 Bleachers				\$65.00 per man-hour 2 hour min
Log Cabin	\$100.00	N/A		0	0	No			\$65.00 per man-hour 2 hour min
Main Lawn	\$310.00	\$40.00	65,000 Sq Ft	Picnic	0	No			\$65.00 per man-hour 2 hour min
Main Lawn, Apple Tree & Beer Tree	\$600.00	\$75.00	76,200 Sq Ft	Picnic	0	No			\$65.00 per man-hour 2 hour min
Mark D. Forni Building <i>WITH KITCHEN</i>	\$1,375.00	\$345.00	96 x 160 Feet	75	600	Yes	2,165	1,010	\$880.00 + \$65.00 per man-hour 2 hour min
Mark D Forni Building <i>NO KITCHEN</i>	\$1,210.00	\$305.00	96 x 160 Feet	75	600	No	2,165	1,010	\$880.00
Mark D. Forni Building <i>KITCHEN ONLY</i>	\$195.00	N/A		0	0	Yes			\$65.00 per man-hour 2 hour min
Marshall Reception Hall <i>WITH KITCHEN</i>	\$750.00	\$95.00	40 x 100 Feet	30, 8-foot	200	Yes	600	286	\$440.00 + \$65.00 per man-hour 2 hour min
Marshall Reception Hall <i>NO KITCHEN</i>	\$650.00	\$80.00	40 x 100 Feet	30, 8-foot	200	No	600	286	\$440.00
Marshall Reception Hall <i>KITCHEN ONLY</i>	\$195.00	N/A		0	0	Yes			\$65.00 per man-hour 2 hour min
Marshall Parking Lot	\$125.00	N/A		0	0	No			\$65.00 per man-hour 2 hour min
Milton Pavilion <i>equestrian use only</i> **	\$175.00	\$25.00	60 x 100 Feet	0	0	No			\$65.00 per man-hour 2 hour min
Organ Room	\$310.00	\$40.00	40 x 80 Feet	20, 8-foot	150	No	498	232	\$220.00
Organ Room Lawn	\$70.00	N/A		0	0	No			\$65.00 per man-hour 2 hour min
Pavilion D + Pen Fees **	\$190.00	\$25.00	84 x 175 Feet	0	0	No			Pen Cleanup Fees - See flyer
Plaza	\$190.00	\$25.00	26,000 Sq Ft	0	0	No			\$65.00 per man-hour 2 hour min
Tiki Shack	\$115.00 + Deposit	N/A		0	0	Prep			\$65.00 per man-hour 2 hour min
Tiki Stage	\$100.00	N/A		Picnic	0	No			\$65.00 per man-hour 2 hour min
Vicini Pavilions**	\$230.00 + Deposit	\$30.00	A: 75 x 80 B: 75 x 100	0	0	No			\$65.00 per man-hour 2 hour min
Wine Garden	\$125.00	\$16.00		Picnic	0	No			\$65.00 per man-hour 2 hour min

* Capacity is without equipment and may change depending upon setup.

** Not included in Lower Fairgrounds Rental