



## Fourth of July Celebrations 2009

The Anaheim Fire Department encourages residents to celebrate the Fourth of July holiday by attending one of the many spectacular public fireworks displays staged by trained professionals. The following is a list of community firework shows occurring throughout Orange County.

### North Orange County

**ANAHEIM:** Disneyland, 1313 S. Harbor Blvd., will have an all new nightly fireworks spectacular. For information call (714) 781-4000.

**ANAHEIM:** Angel Stadium will have a fireworks display after the game on Saturday, July 4<sup>th</sup>. The game starts at 6:05 p.m.

**ANAHEIM:** Peralta Canyon Park, 115 N. Pinney, will be the site of the Canyon Hills Community Council's 21<sup>st</sup> annual Fourth of July celebration. Food, game booths and entertainment will begin from 12:00 p.m. - 8:45 p.m. A parade starting at Canyon High School begins at 3:00 p.m. and ends at N. Pinney. The spectacular fireworks display begins at 9:00 p.m. Other events include a 5/10 K run, a pancake breakfast and the Yankee Doodle Dog Show at Canyon High School.

**BUENA PARK:** Knott's Berry Farm, 8039 Beach Blvd., will have a firework display. For more information call (714) 827-1776.

**CYPRESS, LOS ALAMITOS, ROSSMOOR, SEAL BEACH:** The Joint Forces Training Base Los Alamitos, 11200 Lexington Drive, will be the site of the 22<sup>nd</sup> Annual 4th of July Fireworks Spectacular hosted by the cities of Cypress, Los Alamitos and Seal Beach as well as the Rossmoor Community Services District and the Joint Forces Training Base. Enter at Gate 4 on Lexington Drive south of Katella. Gate opens at 2:00 p.m. There will be a family fun zone, military vehicle display, the Patriots' Picnic Food Court and JFTB Liberty Village Vendor Fair. The retirement of Brigadier General James P. Combs will be celebrated with a World War II Pacific Battle reenactment. Lawn chairs and blankets are recommended since there will be no bleachers this year. Fireworks begin at 9:00 p.m. Due to heightened security, all adults over the age of 16 will be asked to provide a picture I.D. All children under the age of 16 must be accompanied by an adult. Admission is free. Please **do not** bring motor homes, dogs, personal fireworks or **alcohol**. For information call (714) 229-6780 or (562) 430-1073.

## North Orange County

**FULLERTON:** Fullerton High School Stadium, 700 N. Lemon, located at the corner of Lemon and Berkeley, is the site of the 20th Annual Community Fireworks Show and Festival. Gates open at 5:00 p.m. Entertainment includes stilt walkers, balloon artists, face painters, unicyclist, bounce houses, petting zoo and more. A nominal fee may apply for activities. Games and food booths. No alcoholic beverages. Live classic and modern rock music performed by "Cloud 9." Fireworks set to music start at 9:00 p.m. Admission is free. Parking is free at the Plummer Parking Structure, the Wilshire Parking Structure, the North Justice Center and downtown. No glass containers, no smoking, no umbrellas and no pets. Service dogs allowed. For additional information contact the Fullerton Museum Center at (714) 738-6545.

**HUNTINGTON BEACH:** A parade and fireworks show are the highlights of Huntington Beach's 105<sup>th</sup> Annual Fourth of July Parade and Celebration which includes the Huntington Beach Centennial Celebration. The Pier Festival at Pier Plaza will run July 3<sup>rd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> from 10:00 a.m. to 9:00 p.m. and 10:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m. on Sunday, July 5<sup>th</sup>. Activities starting early on the 4<sup>th</sup> include the Kiwanis Pancake Breakfast at Lake Park and the Surf City 5K Run. The parade starts at 10:00 a.m. Included are live entertainment and family activities throughout the day. Fireworks will be shot from the end of the Huntington Beach Pier and will begin at dusk. VIP seats on the pier for the fireworks show are available at a cost of \$10 and are limited. For complete information, visit the website at [hb4thofjuly.org](http://hb4thofjuly.org).

**LA HABRA:** La Habra High School Stadium, 801 Highlander, is the site for the city's annual 4<sup>th</sup> of July Spectacular with games, food, music and activities. Gates open at 5:00 p.m. with the fireworks show starting at 9:30 p.m.. No alcohol, no smoking, no pets and no personal fireworks are allowed. Pre-sale ticket prices for adults (13 years and older) is \$5.00; under 12 years is \$3.00. Children under three are free. At the door, tickets prices are \$7.00 and \$4.00. Additional seating on the eastside of the softball field is available at pre-sale prices starting at \$3.00 for adults and \$1.00 for children. On the day of the event ticket prices are \$4.00 for adults and \$1.00 for children. Tickets may be purchased at the Community Services Department, 101 West La Habra Blvd. Call (562) 905-9708 for more information.

**PLACENTIA:** There will be no 2009 public fireworks show.

**WESTMINSTER:** There will be no public firework display in 2009.

**YORBA LINDA:** Veterans' Park, 4756 Valley View, will be the site for Fourth of July activities including food, music and games starting at 4:00 p.m. Bring your lawn chair or blanket to enjoy the fireworks display starting at 9:00 p.m. For more information call (714) 961-7181.

## Central Orange County

**COSTA MESA:** There will be a private show at Mesa Verde Country Club

**EMERALD BAY:** A private show will be shot off of a barge.

**IRVINE:** Irvine High School, 4321 Walnut, will be the site of the Irvine Police Association's 25th Annual Fireworks Celebration and Concert on the Green. Gates open at 3:00 p.m. Live bands, food vendors and children's game throughout the day along with door prizes. No dogs, bikes, roller blades or skateboards. Admission for adults (14 years and up) is \$12.00. Seniors (60+) and Children 13 and under are \$7.00. Family tickets may be purchased, which are good for 2 adults and up to 4 children for \$40.00. For tickets and additional information, visit the website at [ipaevents@irvinepa.org](mailto:ipaevents@irvinepa.org) or call (949) 724-0488.

**IRVINE:** Verizon Wireless Amphitheater, 8808 Irvine Center Drive, will present the Pacific Symphony Orchestra in concert. Michael Cavanaugh will perform the music of Billy Joel. There will also be patriotic tunes and the traditional salute to the United States Armed Forces with a fireworks finale. Tickets may be ordered from the Pacific Symphony at (714) 755-5799 or online at [pacificsymphony.org](http://pacificsymphony.org).

**IRVINE:** Woodbridge Village Association will have 4th of July activities and a private firework show.

**LAGUNA BEACH:** A public show sponsored by the city will be shot from Monument Point at Heisler Park on Cliff Drive with the best viewing from Main Beach. Bring a blanket and a picnic. The show will start after dusk

**LAGUNA BEACH:** Three Arch Bay will have a private show shot from a barge

**LAGUNA BEACH:** Irvine Cove will sponsor a private fireworks display.

**NEWPORT BEACH:** Big Canyon Country Club will have a private show after dusk.

**NEWPORT BEACH:** Newport Dunes Waterfront Resort, 1131 Back Bay Drive, presents the 51st Annual Fireworks Extravaganza! There will be family fun and games throughout the day with music, food, raffle, carnival games, contests, and tournaments. The day ends with a spectacular fireworks finale at 9:00 p.m. The park opens at 7:00 a.m. For more information call (949) 729-3863 or visit [newportdunes.com](http://newportdunes.com).

**CITY OF ORANGE:** Fred Kelly Stadium at El Modena High School, 3920 Spring Street, will be the site of the city's 4<sup>th</sup> annual **July** celebration on **Friday, July 3**, from 4:00 p.m. - 9:00 p.m. The Orange Community Master Chorale of Santiago Canyon College will perform. The evening will end with a fireworks display. For information call (714) 744-7278 or log on to [cityoforange.org](http://cityoforange.org).

**SANTA ANA HEIGHTS:** Santa Ana Country Club will host a private show.

**TUSTIN:** Tustin High School Football Stadium, 1171 El Camino Real, will be the site of the fourth of July celebration. Event starts at 6:30 p.m. and features music by the Sam Morrison band. Fireworks start at 9:00 p.m. Admission is free. For information call (714) 573-3326.

## South Orange County

**ALISO VIEJO:** The Grand Park will be the site of the city's July Fourth celebration. Includes live entertainment, bounce houses, face painting, arts and crafts. Food and beverages will be available for purchase. There will be a low level fireworks display at dusk. For pre-recorded event information, call (949) 243-7411 or go to [avca.net](http://avca.net).

**DANA POINT:** Fireworks begin at 9:00 p.m. and are shot from a barge outside of the harbor. The fireworks are synchronized to music being simulcast on Radio Station 88.5 KSBR. Tickets are currently on sale for those who would like to watch the fireworks from the sport fishing boat, Sum Fun. The boat boards at 7:30 p.m. and cruises until 10:00 p.m. Only 65 tickets are available at \$25 for adults (18-54) and \$10 seniors (55+) and youths. Children 3 and under are free but must be registered for a ticket. The parking lots in the harbor and at Doheny State Beach fill up early. Parking, with a free shuttle to the harbor, will be provided at Dana Hills High School, 33333 Street of the Golden Lantern, from 10:00 a.m. to 11:00 p.m. No cars will be allowed into the harbor area after 7:30 p.m. For cruise tickets or more information, please call (949) 248-3530.

**DANA POINT:** St. Regis Monarch Beach Resort, One Monarch Beach Resort, invites families to a mouthwatering Independence Celebration from 6:30-10:00 p.m. at the Club 19 Lawn, where they can enjoy dancing to the live music of the Don Duncan Band. Kids will have fun with face painting, balloon twisting and other activities followed by a fireworks show being shot from the golf course for everyone to enjoy. Tickets are \$85.00 for adults and \$35.00 for children (5 – 11 years.) Please call (949) 234-3900 to be put on the guest list.

**LADERA RANCH:** Founders' Park will be the site of a fireworks display for the community of Ladera Ranch.

**LAGUNA HILLS:** The Community Center and Sports Complex, 25555 Alicia Parkway, will be the site for this year's Annual Fourth of July Celebration. Gates open at 4:00 p.m. Carnival rides and games, live music, group activities and patriotic crafts will be a part of the celebration. Food and drinks will be available for purchasing. Seating is not provided. Bring your blankets and lawn chairs and pick out your spot early for the fireworks display which starts at 9:10 p.m. Admission is free. Call (949) 707-2680 for additional information.

**LAGUNA NIGUEL:** Laguna Niguel Regional Park will be the site for the fireworks display in Laguna Niguel. The YMCA will hold their 30<sup>th</sup> Annual Run in the Park, a 5K/10K run, walk and children's races. Call the YMCA at (949) 495-9622 for more information. A pancake breakfast sponsored by the Chamber of Commerce begins at 7:30 a.m. - 11:00 a.m. in conjunction with the run. Free swim from noon to 5:00 p.m. at the community pool. A concert will take place at the Crown Valley Park Amphitheater from 6:00 p.m. - 8:00 p.m. At 8:15 p.m. join the ¾ mile community walk to the regional park to view the fireworks at 9:00 p.m. Bring a flashlight! For additional information, call (949) 425-5100.

**LAKE FOREST:** The Sun and Sail Club will have a private low-level show shot off of a barge on the lake.