

Festival of Children Foundation
presents

Festival of Children 2024



Schedule of Events

Thank you for being a friend!

Every weekend in September at the 23rd annual Festival of Children,[®] learn how to get involved with more than 70 children's charities while you enjoy performances and activities.

This September we celebrate National Child Awareness Month (NCAM) for the 17th year.

NCAM is an effort led by Festival of Children Foundation to focus the attention of our nation on the most critical issues facing children today.

All exciting events taking place at the Festival in September are free to the public. For our full schedule of events, visit:

festivalofchildren.org

Directions to South Coast Plaza:
San Diego Fwy (405) at Bristol Street.
For more information call (714) 438-3286.

JOIN US ALL SEPTEMBER FOR
A MONTH OF FUN ACTIVITIES.



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SEPTEMBER 1ST - 30TH

Crate & Barrel/Macy's Home Store Wings

Plaza Hours Construction Exhibit—Come and check out amazing sculptures built with cans! (benefiting Orange County Food Bank)

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 7TH

Carousel Court

12:00–4 pm Face Painting hosted by OCSA
12:00–4 pm Arts & Crafts hosted by NCL
1:00–3 pm Wellness Village Resource Center
12:00 pm Opening Ceremonies featuring The Hi-Tops
12:30 pm Sage Hill School Arts Showcase
1:15 pm Bob Baker Marionette Theater
2:00 pm Arts and Learning Conservatory
3:00 pm Anaheim Ballet
4:00 pm Bob Baker Marionettes

Jewel Court

1:30 pm Yo Gabba GabbaLand!

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 8TH

Carousel Court

12:00–4 pm Arts & Crafts hosted by NCL
1:00–3 pm Wellness Village Resource Center
12:00 pm Mater Dei Performing Arts Showcase
1:00 pm FOCUS Dance Center
2:00 pm The Joy of Dance
3:00 pm Ballet Etudes
4:00 pm Island Inspirations

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NATIONAL CHILD AWARENESS MONTH

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Nurture one child.

That's all it takes to make a difference.

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SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 14TH

Carousel Court

12:00–4 pm Arts & Crafts hosted by Chuck Jones Center for Creativity
Wellness Village Resource Center
1:00–3 pm Broadway on Tour
12:00 pm KidSingers
1:00 pm Festival Ballet Theatre
2:00 pm Viorhythm
3:00 pm FreshStart Music Studio
4:00 pm

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 15TH

Carousel Court

12:00–4 pm Arts & Crafts hosted by DotDotPlay
Wellness Village Resource Center
1:00–3 pm Bob White Kenpo Karate Studio
12:00 pm BGCHV Clubhouse Academy
1:00 pm Huston Performing Arts
2:00 pm MYARTS Showcase
3:00 pm The Music Room
4:00 pm

Jewel Court

1:30 pm Orange County Aerial Arts—the performing troupe of the Ruby Karen Project
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Children are the future of philanthropy.
It's our responsibility to teach them the
importance of sharing and giving back.

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SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 21ST

Carousel Court

12:00–4 pm Arts & Crafts hosted by NCL
1:00–3 pm Wellness Village Resource Center
12:00 pm Danza Artes de México
1:00 pm Hālau Hula Lani Ola
2:00 pm Premier Ballet School of OC
3:00 pm Sarah GrandPre Studio Singers
4:00 pm Thistle Irish Dance

Jewel Court

1:30 pm The All-American Boys Chorus
3:30 pm The All-American Boys Chorus

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 22ND

Carousel Court

12:00–4 pm Arts & Crafts hosted by NCL
1:00–3 pm Wellness Village Resource Center
12:00 pm Claudia de la Cruz Flamenco Institute
1:00 pm On the Edge Dance Studio
2:00 pm V&T Dance
2:40 pm Orange County Song and Dance
3:15 pm OCSA Bel Canto Singers
4:00 pm Prehistoric Pets Animal Show

Jewel Court

12:30 pm Avanti Aerial
2:30 pm Freedom Aerial

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**Actions speak louder than words.
Find a children's cause that's important
to you and get involved.**

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SEPTEMBER 1ST - 30TH

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SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 28TH

Carousel Court

12:00–4 pm Arts & Crafts hosted by NCL
1:00–3 pm Wellness Village Resource Center
12:00 pm St John the Baptist Clover Choir
1:00 pm HBP Dance Extreme
2:00 pm OCSA Las Estrellas Ballet Folklorico
3:00 pm Godfrey the Magician
4:00 pm OCCTAC Student Showcase

Jewel Court

1:30 pm Reverb Tap Company
3:30 pm Reverb Tap Company

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 29TH

Carousel Court

12:00–4 pm Arts & Crafts hosted by NCL
12:00–4 pm Face Painting hosted by OCSA
1:00–3 pm Wellness Village Resource Center
12:00 pm Grandeza Mexicana Folk Ballet Company
1:00 pm OCSA MONTAGE!
2:00 pm Center Stage Studio
3:00 pm Pacific Theatre Ballet
4:00 pm Closing Ceremonies featuring The Hi-Tops

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Many hands make light work. So join forces with those who share your goals and dreams.



Festival of Children Participants

Arts & Learning Conservatory
Assistance League of Newport-Mesa
Assistance League of Santa Ana - Assisteens
Beyond Blindness
Boys & Girls Clubs of Huntington Valley
Braille Institute
Child Creativity Lab
Childhelp Orange County Chapter
CHOC
Chuck Jones Center for Creativity
Colette's Children's Home
Community Action Partnership Orange County / OC Food Bank
Court Appointed Special Advocates (CASA) of Orange County
Easterseals Southern California
Extraordinary Lives Foundation
Families Forward
Family Support Network
Festival Ballet Theatre
Festival of Children Foundation
First Tee Orange County
FOCUS Building Youth Charitable Foundation
Forever Kids
Foster Care Auxiliary of Orange County
Friendly Center
GiGi's Playhouse
Human Options
Illumination Foundation
Make-A-Wish OCIE Chapter
Miracles for Kids
MOMS
Orange County Arts and Disability
Orange County Children's Therapeutic Arts Center (OCCTAC)



Festival of Children Participants (Cont'd)

Orange County Council, BSA
Orange County Head Start, Inc.
Orange County School of the Arts
Otra Mas
Pacific Chorale
Pacific Symphony
Pathway School
Pediatric Cancer Research Foundation
Philharmonic Society of Orange County
Project Hope Alliance
Radiant Health Centers
Ronald McDonald House Orange County
Second Harvest Food Bank of Orange County
Seegerstrom Center for the Arts
South Coast Repertory
Special Olympics - Southern California
The All-American Boys Chorus
The Autism Community in Action (TACA)
The Premier Ballet School of Orange County
The Raise Foundation
The Wooden Floor
Thomas House Family Shelter
Tilly's Life Center



About Festival of Children Foundation

Founded by businesswoman and children's advocate, Sandy Segerstrom Daniels, Festival of Children Foundation is a 501(c)(3) non-profit organization.

We bring together and coordinate the efforts of charities, organizations and individuals who actively work to improve the lives of children. We give a voice, we give guidance, and we give support to our more than 480 member charities across the United States.

100% of our administrative costs are covered by designated funding, allowing donations to go further in direct support of programs and services that benefit children and our member charities. We believe that by working together, dreams are possible.

To learn more, please visit:
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National Child Awareness Month

National Child Awareness Month (NCAM) began as a local effort led by Festival of Children Foundation (FOCF) and its founder Sandy Segerstrom Daniels to refocus the nation's attention on improving the lives of all children in America and shining a light on the charities that serve them. On July 31st, 2024 the United States Senate passed S.Res.792 by Unanimous Consent designating September 2024 as National Child Awareness Month for the 17th consecutive year.

NCAM By The Stats

Festival of Children Foundation actively works with charities and the public to directly impact the lives of children during NCAM. Through various campaigns, we have been able to achieve so much together.

**1.8 people impacted
by NCAM Service Projects**

**\$451,500 distributed to fund
community based children's programs**

**157,890 hours donated
by volunteers during NCAM**

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