



2025

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**SANTA BARBARA
WINE + FOOD FESTIVAL®**

MISSION CREEK BEER FESTIVAL

SANTA BARBARA
MUSEUM
of
**NATURAL
HISTORY**

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SANTA BARBARA
Wine + Food
FESTIVAL®

Santa Barbara Museum of Natural History



Saturday, June 28, 2025

Join us in 2025 to sip and savor over 80 of the Central Coast's best wineries and culinary delights while enjoying a splendid summer afternoon in the Museum's oak woodland along Mission Creek.

Early Entry: \$175 / Early entry at 1:00 PM
to the Museum Backyard with catered hors d'oeuvres and entertainment.

General Admission: \$130 / Entry at 2:00 PM

Enjoy wineries and food purveyors across the Museum's beautiful outdoor spaces. Includes a commemorative wine glass.

One hundred percent of the net proceeds from the Santa Barbara Wine + Food Festival® supports the Museum's nature and science education programs.

All ticket holders must be at least 21 years old to enter. Children and infants will not be permitted. Valid photo ID with proof of age will be required to enter. No exceptions.



SPONSORSHIP LEVELS AND BENEFITS



On June 28, 2025, one thousand guests 21 years and older, along with 200 volunteers, vendors and members of the press, will mingle along the shaded banks of Mission Creek with chefs, bakers, and winemakers, sampling and celebrating the delicious food and wine at the iconic Santa Barbara Wine + Food Festival event now in its 37th year. One hundred percent of the net proceeds support the Museum's science education programs for adults and children. This year's event has nearly sold out.

DEMOGRAPHICS

- 70% of attendees are female
- 72% of attendees are over 45
- 81% of attendees reported annual income of over \$100,000, 20% of whom reported annual income over \$200,000
- 87% have a Bachelor or Graduate degree
- 72% live locally
- 94% of attendees are "very likely" to recommend the festival to friends and family.

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Presenting (Blue Whale) Sponsor \$25,000

- Name and/or logo listed in print and/or digital advertising
- Recognition on event signage and event collateral
- Recognition on Museum website
- 10 early entry tickets for Santa Barbara Wine + Food Festival
- 6 general admission tickets for Santa Barbara Wine + Food Festival
- 10 tickets to the Museum's Members' Party, July 11, 2025
- 3 Patron Circle level Memberships
- 50 Museum / Sea Center passes
- Opportunity to participate in a live butterfly release in the summer exhibit *Butterflies Alive!*
- Behind the scenes tour of the Museum's collections for up to eight people
- Complimentary wine/cheese reception for up to 50 guests at the Museum or Sea Center
- Product/Vehicle placement

Grizzly Bear \$10,000

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- 6 early entry tickets for Santa Barbara Wine + Food Festival
- 6 general admission tickets for Santa Barbara Wine + Food Festival
- 8 tickets to the Museum's Members' Party, July 11, 2025
- 2 Patron Circle level Memberships
- 30 Museum / Sea Center guest passes
- Behind the scenes tour for up to 10 guests with wine and cheese reception

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Grey Wolf \$5,000

- Name and/or logo listed in print and/or digital advertising
- Recognition on event signage and event collateral
- Recognition on Museum website
- 2 early entry tickets for Santa Barbara Wine + Food Festival
- 4 general admission tickets for Santa Barbara Wine + Food Festival
- 6 tickets to the Museum's Members' Party July 11, 2025
- 1 Patron's Circle level Membership
- 2 Explorer level Membership
- 20 Museum / Sea Center guest passes
- Private tour of the Sprague Butterfly Pavilion

Island Fox \$2,500

- Name and/or logo listed in print and/or digital advertising
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- Recognition on Museum website
- 4 general admission tickets for Santa Barbara Wine + Food Festival
- 4 tickets to the Museum's Members' Party July 11, 2025
- 1 Patron's Circle level Membership
- 10 Museum / Sea Center guest passes

Rattlesnake \$1,000

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- 2 tickets to the Museum's Members' Party July 11, 2025
- 1 Explorer Membership
- 5 Museum / Sea Center guest passes



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IF YOU SPONSOR THE
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**You can also sponsor the Mission
Creek Beer Festival for only
\$2,500 to receive similar benefits:**

- Name and/or logo in print and/or digital advertising
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- Complimentary Tickets

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To see the list of participating wineries and culinary delights, please visit our sbnature.org/winefestival



WHAT OUR **VENDORS** ARE SAYING ABOUT **SANTA BARBARA WINE + FOOD FESTIVAL**®

The first Santa Barbara wine tasting event is still the best! The al fresco food and wine event alongside the Mission Creek campus of the natural history museum has become the local winemakers' favorite tasting venue. Not to be missed!

—Richard Sanford, Alma Rosa Winery

Of all the wine events we do around the world, The Santa Barbara Museum of Natural History's Wine + Food Festival is our favorite and it's in our backyard. It's the one event we have never missed. Beautiful location and a wonderful community of people who appreciate great wine.

-Isabelle Clendenen

Hands down the best food and wine event in our area. With the top chefs and winemakers from our area gathered on the remarkable grounds of the museum, it is the ideal festival to meet and interact with the minds behind these remarkable restaurants and wineries.

—Alejandro Medina, Bibi Ji

We look forward to participating in the Santa Barbara Wine + Food Festival® every single year. Between the amazing vendors and the beautiful setting at the museum of natural history, you can't ask for a more perfect event. I cannot think of a better way to celebrate and showcase Santa Barbara's finest wines and foods with our community.

—Peter Cham, Finch and Fork Restaurant

There is no better venue for an event like this. Always organized with plenty of volunteers. Great food, great wine, great view! What a day.

—Les Clark, The Berry Man, Inc.



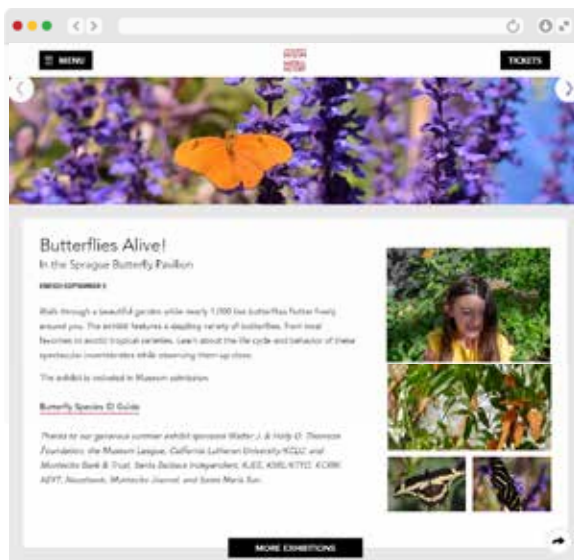
MARKETING CHANNELS

Marketing campaigns for major events and exhibitions use a wide range of earned (PR), owned (our own channels), and paid media through advertisements in local and regional print and digital outlets, television, and radio outlets.

We also leverage website visitors, e-mail contacts, and social media accounts. The Museum's website receives over 234,000 unique visitors annually, and e-blasts are distributed to 36,000+ active subscribers weekly. The Museum and Sea Center have 20,000+ followers on Facebook, 9,800+ on Instagram, and 6,400+ on TikTok.



SAMPLES OF PRINT & WEB ADVERTISING



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WHY BECOME A SPONSOR

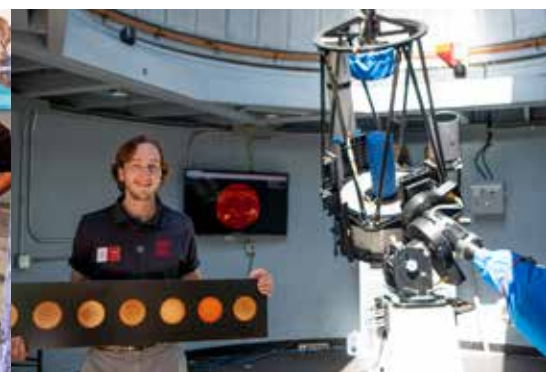


WHEN YOU ALIGN **YOUR BRAND** WITH **US**, YOU PUBLICLY DEMONSTRATE YOUR COMMITMENT TO **SCIENCE, EDUCATION, AND THE ENVIRONMENT.**

You secure valuable benefits for your company and its employees, and you invest in a trusted community institution.

Whether you're looking for marketing exposure, business development, or ways to give back, the Museum has a multitude of opportunities with benefits tailored to fit your needs.

Your support assists the Museum in its mission to inspire a passion for the natural world. Through engaging exhibits, innovative educational programs, and important scientific research, we touch the lives of hundreds of thousands of people each year.



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