

NORTHERN CALIFORNIA Renaissance Faire

A Play Faire Production

WEEKENDS

SEPT 18th thru OCT 24th, 2021

At Casa De Fruta, Pacheco Pass, HWY 152, Hollister

JOUSTING
Comedy . Music
Artisans & Crafts
FOOD . DRINK
Games & Rides

Kids 12 & Under FREE Every Weekend!

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Welcome to Willingtown

Willingtown is a small village in the countryside of western England inhabited by hard working farmers, crafters and merchants. The little village is well known for hosting one of the finest Market faires in all of England each year to celebrate the harvest. The small town is buzzing with excitement as they prepare to welcome Her Royal Majesty, Queen Elizabeth as she is scheduled to make an appearance at today's festivities. Entertainers from throughout Europe fill the streets and stages with traditional music, dance and comedy. Hearty food and drink, unique handcrafted wares and romantic revelry await those who come to play.



Something Cold to Drink?

Visit any of our fyne Ale Stands:

Bell & Compass (*just past the Main Stage*)

Find your way to this pub run by Mercenaries and full of fyne ale.

Château d'If (*next to the Joust*)

Ales, ciders, meads and specialty drinks - so good, it's a crime.

The Drunken Monk (*inside the Front Gate*)

Your prayers will be answered and your thirst quenched by the large selection of fyne drinks.

The Magik Toad Stool (*in the Enchanted Garden*)

A magical collection of mixed drinks, ciders and meads.

The Rusty Cutlass (*at the end of the Food Court*)

Pirates abound at this village hotspot - knaves and saucy wenches will serve you.

HEARTY DRINKS

Draft beers and select microbrews available at each stand, including a fyne variety of ciders, ales, and meads for your liking!

WINES

Hand picked selection of white & red.

FOUNTAIN SODAS, BOTTLED DRINKS & WATER

Pepsi, Diet Pepsi, Mountain Dew
Sierra Mist, Mug Root Beer
Tropicana Pink Lemonade
Lipton Unsweetened Tea
Arrowhead Water



Something Tasty to Eat?

There are many choices of traditional Renaissance-style food to choose from as well as more modern fare. For hungry travelers, the Food Court is a short walk from the front gate.

ANNIECAKES, 241

Cupcakes: Chocolate Chocolate, Vanilla Vanilla, Red Velvet Cream Cheese, Chocolate Oreo, Lemon Cream Cheese Frosting. Brownies, Milk, Bottled Water.

BANGERS, BRATS, TRI-TIP & PULLED PORK, F-7

Bangers & Brats with Sautéed Onions & Peppers. Tri-Tip Sandwiches, Tri-Tip Chili, Pulled Pork Sandwiches.

CINNAMON BUNS F11

Cinnamon Buns with Choice of Toppings: Cream Cheese Glaze, Classic Glaze or Chocolate Syrup. Bread Pudding, Milk.

GELATO, 130

Double Chocolate, Triple Espresso, Lemon Sorbetto, Chocolate Chip, Tahitian Vanilla.

ICE CREAM, F-9

Chocolate, Vanilla, Strawberry, Mint Chip and Cookies & Cream.

JAZLAS COFFEE HOUSE, 332

Coffee, Cold Brew, Chai, Iced Tea, Hibiscus Cooler, Lemonade, Hot Chocolate & Tea.

THE ROYAL NUTS, 234

Sweet & Savoury Fresh Roasted Almonds.

SWEET TREATS, F-9

Chocolate Dipped Strawberries, Frozen Chocolate Dipped Bananas.

ROAST CHICKEN & ARTICHOKE, F-13

Chicken Thighs, Roasted Quail Artichokes, Chicken Wings, Bacon Wrapped Jalapenos, Fried Artichokes, Cauliflower & Zucchini, Scotch Eggs, Biscuits & Gravy, Cheese & Peach Fritters.

TASTE OF SPAIN, F-15

Freshly Made Tacos and Burritos with Asada, El Pastor or Chicken. Asada Nachos and Fries, Cilantro Lime Rice and Beans. Vegetarian options available.

TOAD IN A HOLE, F-17

Steak and Chicken Sandwiches, Toad in a Hole, Baked Potato, Chocolate Covered Frozen Cheesecake.

TRATTORIA DI STROMBOLI, F-17

Pizza: Meat and Vegetarian.

TURKEY LEGS, F-5

Turkey Legs, Smoked Corn on the Cob.

TEA WITH THE QUEEN, 232

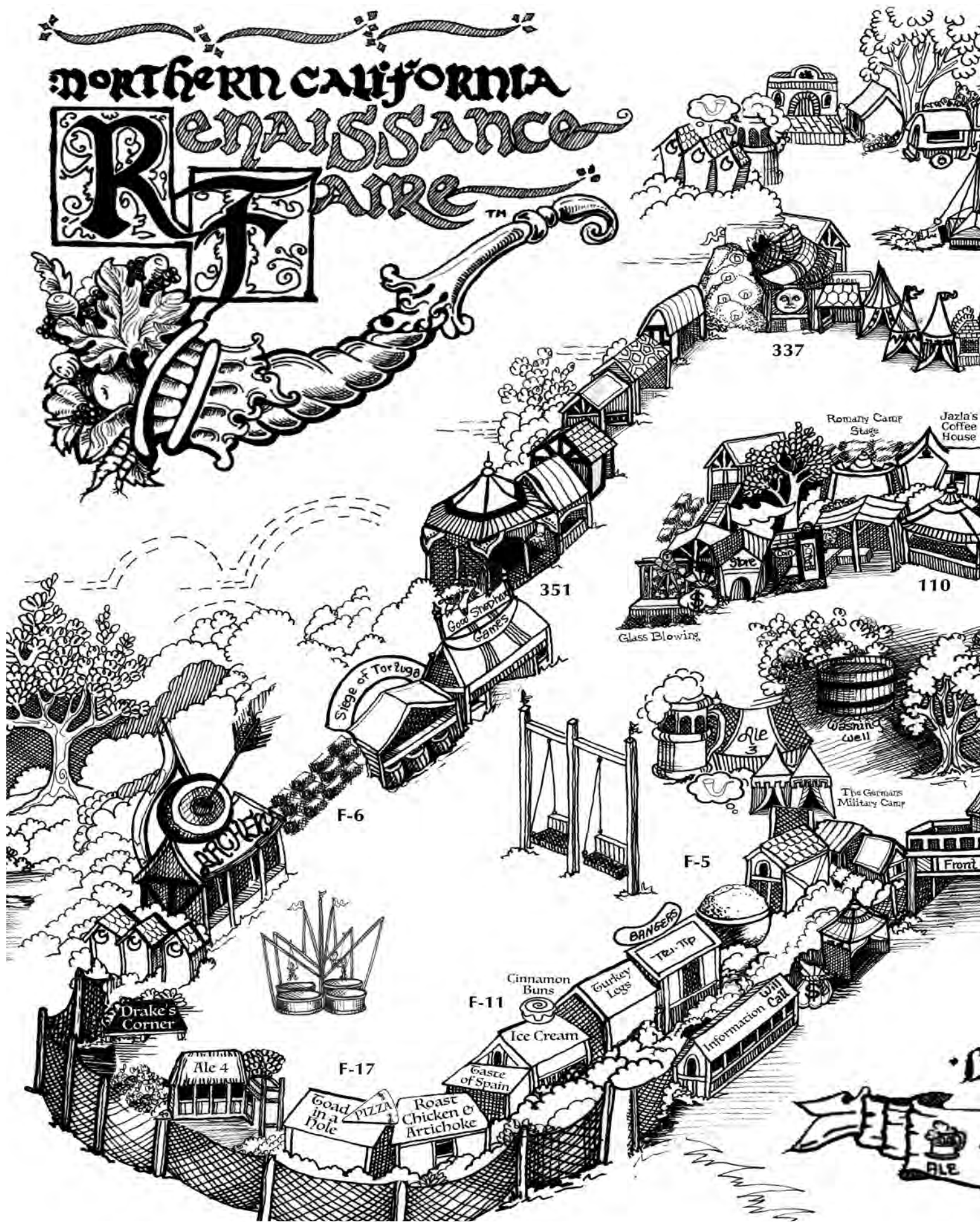
Hosted by the Guild of St. Cuthbert, daily at 4:00 pm. Enjoy a delightful tea with Her Majesty, Queen Elizabeth. Prix fixe menu including scones, tea sandwiches, dessert, and tea.

\$31 per adult, \$15.50 per child.

Reservations strongly suggested.



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THE JOUST

The **World Tournament of Champions** presents jousting and armed combat in all its glory. Enjoy the Queen's Tournament of Games at 1:00 and watch the knights compete for the title of Champion at 4:00 in a full combat joust.

THE ROYAL EQUINE SHOW

The Royal Equine Guild presents their rare collection of exquisite Gypsy Vanner horses and other magnificent breeds from across the land to Her Majesty the Queen. Just prior to each joust, at 12:30 and 3:30.

NEW! COMMEDIA PER TUTTI PRESENTS VENEZIA -THE MUSICAL!

When it is announced that there will be a wooing contest for the hand of Il Conte's daughter Maria, several of the men in Venezia decide they must win at all costs. Competition seems easy until a handsome mystery man appears the day before. To what lengths will they go to ensure their victory? Will Maria be doomed to her fate or discover her destiny? Come see all the action, adventure, and, of course, romance here within the town of Venezia! The Musical! On the Main Royal Garden Stage.

THE QUEEN'S ROYAL RECEPTION

The village dignitaries have been planning for Her Majesty's arrival to celebrate the annual Harvest Faire. The Queen's courtiers are busy competing for her favor when dignitaries from Spain arrive with another agenda. The Queen's procession lands at 2:00 on the Main Royal Garden Stage.

CYDESHOW CY: SWORD SWALLOWER

A man of skill, a man of danger, and some would say... a complete lunatic. Cy is a master of the blade. Witness him swallow a whole armory of swords of different shapes and sizes ranging from the smallsword to the curved scimitar. No two shows are the same. With variety, audience participation and comedy. Cy will leave you thrilled and entertained. Three times daily on The Romany Camp Stage.

DIRTY LAUNDRY

Wet dirty women and good clean fun is what this show is all about. These hilarious wenches will teach the unsuspecting a thing or two about cleaning up their acts and how to dish dirt with the best of them. Three times daily on the Amethyst Arbor Stage.

BROON

With a wit drier than the Sahara, Broon will leave you giggling throughout the day. Broon doesn't eat fire to impress the crowds, he just likes the taste of the kerosene. Four times daily on the Romany Camp Stage and 5:00pm on the Amethyst Arbor Stage.

THE WILLY NILLY SHOW

Part variety, part danger, all hilarious. Willy Nilly, a frolicsome fool, delivers laughs for the whole family as he risks his safety for your amusement. From his whip tricks to his One Man Shakespeare to his fruit-flinging finales, don't miss this hilarious show that made the Queen say, "We ARE amused." Three times daily on the Amethyst Arbor Stage.

THE SEA DOGS

What do you do with a drunken sailor? These legendary masters of maritime music answer that age old question in song. Twice daily on The Main Royal Garden Stage and also on The Coughing Sheep Stage.

THE NAUGHTY MINSTRELS

Join your favorite Poets and Minstrels as they share lyrical tales of romance, adventure and gold! Their bawdy music and wit-filled comedy is guaranteed to have you laughing and singing along. On the Coughing Sheep Stage.

BARLEY BANE

What do you get when three Irish outlaws and a Spanish gigolo walk into a bar? Barley Bane! Join these notorious ne'er do wells as they sing about ale and adventures. On the Romany Camp Stage and the Coughing Sheep Stage.

SHELLY THE FIDDLER

Shelly, the village fiddler, loves to teach aspiring musicians as well as play. Enjoy her vibrant sets on the Coughing Sheep and Storybook Stages and around the village.

A FAIRY'S TALE

Bring the wee ones to sit with Willingtown's own Fairy Godmother as she spins tales of magic and wonder. Especially for children, but big kids are welcome too.

GUILDS AND VILLAGERS

The Royal Court of Gloriana, The Yeomen of the Queen's Guard, St Cuthbert's Parades and Pageants Guild, The Merchant Guild of Saint Luke, The Washerwomen of Saint Hunna, The Peasants of Saint Helena, Saint Martin's German Mercenaries, The Fools of the Court of Misrule, The Mongers of Saint Swithin, The Puritans Guild of Saint Electus, The Town Criers of Saint Blaise, The Constables of Saint Bernard, The Gentlemen Adventurers, Danse Macabre, The Playfaire Regents and The Witch of Willingtown Woods.

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Featured Artisan: Stuart Abelman

Daily Glassblowing Demonstration at the Glass Blowers Stage

Stuart uses his own formulas and the finest silica sand to ensure the purest quality glass possible. Each piece is made entirely of hot molten glass and is worked and completed at the furnace. All the colors and design patterns are formed from the hot glass. No paint is used. Many of the beautiful colors are made with gold, silver and other precious metals.

Stuart has journeyed through so many new frontiers in the American hand blown art glass studio movement including extensive commission work for the movie and entertainment industry and was once heard to say, "I have been working with hot glass for over thirty-five years and I am certain it runs through my veins."

Check the schedule at the Glass Blowers Stage for times or stop by the Abelman Art Glass booth for more information.

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Theme Weekends

Opening Weekend

September 18th & 19th

Pirate Invasion!

September 25th & 26th

Heroes & Villains

October 2nd & 3rd

Oktoberfest!

October 9th & 10th

Carnevale & Masquerade

October 16th & 17th

Halloween Fantasy!

October 23rd & 24th

Trick or Treat candy provided by:



Renaissance Institute

Past-Times Workshop Garden

Love the Faire? Really get involved! Take a workshop with a non-profit organization dedicated to Renaissance arts. We offer early morning, In-Depth Workshops, and shorter Dabbler Workshops all afternoon for adults, families, and children. Learn from artists, craft specialists, teachers, and volunteers. Schedules posted in the Faire—from chainmaille to archery to blackwork embroidery to making peasant dolls, and more in-between!

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