

celebrating the **state**

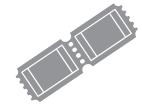
NC STATE FAIR CELEBRATES ITS AGRICULTURAL ROOTS WITH A BANG

The annual North Carolina State Fair celebrates the best of the state's agriculture, agribusiness, arts, crafts and culture. Attendance peaked in 2010 with 1.09 million people. The fair is a must for "creative" foods like fried Oreo cookies and the Krispy Kreme doughnut burger. The fair also features rides, live music, agriculture and livestock showrooms, as well as a nightly fireworks show.

Several student groups have booths at the fair.

The Animal Science Club hosts a milking booth and sells Howling Cow milk. The Bees and Beekeeping classes educate the public on the importance of bees and honey. The Poultry Science group has a booth where people can pet baby chicks and learn about food safety.

Raleigh CAT buses run between campus and the fair to allow for easy access. Adult tickets cost \$8 and are available both for pre-sale online and at the door.



Place an NC State Fair memory here.

My favorite thing about the State Fair was