

Los Alamos

Chair Faire

(benefits Olga Reed School)

On the sidewalks of Bell Street

Buy. Sell. Stroll. Eat. Music. Play.



Play Musical Chairs! Prizes!

- Enter **ALL CHAIRS!** (exhibit/ sell on the sidewalk) Antiques, art chairs, garden chairs, garage sale treasures, doll house chairs, upholstered chairs, chairs that rock, **ALL CHAIRS!**
- Enter **Art Chair SCULPTURES!** (auctioned in Sculpture Yard) with the “Off The Griddle String Band”
- Enter C Gallery fine art or folk art **OF Chairs**

Sat. July 30. 10am – 4pm

Entry \$10 connie@thecgallery.com 344.3807 www.thecgallery.com

The Fine Print

WHY: Merchants of Los Alamos are creating the Chair Faire for people to come and see how much fun we can have with chairs. On the sidewalks of Bell Street, people can enter chairs for exhibit, sale, and judging. Categories are: Most Pristine Antique Chair, Best Art Chair, Cutest Child's Chair, Chair with Most Potential, Highest Quality Hand Crafted Chair. Gift certificate prizes for each of the 5 categories from various Los Alamos merchants.

Sculptors can enter chair sculptures for display and auction. Chair Sculptures will be live-auctioned in the Sculpture Yard, (next door to The C Gallery), a place to listen to music and relax with lunch (not sold there.)

ACTIVITIES: At the Bell St. and Centennial Park, next door to The Gentleman Farmer - "Musical Chairs" with live fiddlers. Prizes, too! There will be no vendors. We hope you'll enjoy the great places to eat and drink in Los Alamos, many of whom will have promotional offers. Stroll the exhibit, come see the Sculpture Yard, listen to the "Off The Griddle String Band," munch on a good sandwich. Garden concert at the historic Union Hotel at 4pm.

TO ENTER: 3 ways to enter the Los Alamos Chair Faire.

1. **Put chairs on the sidewalks:** 2 chairs/\$10 or 6/\$20. All proceeds from sales go to owner. Be your own clerk or salesperson. Bring a cash box.
2. **Create a Chair Sculpture for the SCULPTURE YARD:** Sculptures will be auctioned. Artist may set minimum bid. Proceeds are divided. 60% to artist; 10% to Olga Reed Elementary School; 30% to representing gallery.
3. **Put gallery art in The C Gallery:** paintings, drawings, photos OF chairs for a one-day exhibit. Sales split: 75% to artist.

ENTRY FEE: \$10 for any of the 3 options.

Entry fee money is for the Olga Reed School here in Los Alamos. After expenses, we hope to have a nice check for them. (They will be painting a chair or bench to raffle off to add to their fund-raiser.)

Nuts and Bolts: To Register: **The C Gallery**, PO Box 907, Los Alamos, CA.93440 or call Connie @ 805-344-3807. Bring your chairs, art, or sculptures to The C Gallery at 9am on Saturday, July 30 to get your chair tags and display balloons. No tags, no displaying. Line up chairs on sidewalk, back legs on curb, side by side, next to existing displayed chairs...so it's not patchy looking. Bring your own version of a cash box if you are on the sidewalk. Sculpture Yard is auction.

QUESTIONS: The C Gallery, **805-344-3807** or connie@thecgallery.com

Entry Form: <http://www.thecgallery.com/chairfaireentry.html>