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PRESS RELEASE

TICKETS NOW AVAILABLE FOR THE CORONADO SPEED FESTIVAL

Buy Your Tickets In Advance and Save

SAN DIEGO, July 20, 2009 – Avoid the long lines and save some cash by purchasing tickets for the 12th annual Coronado Speed Festival in advance. Customers can save up to \$10 by purchasing their general admission tickets by visiting the Fleet Week San Diego website at <http://www.fleetweeksandiego.org/coronadospeedfestival/>.

Ticket prices are as follows:

- **One-Day Ticket:** This just gets you in for Saturday *or* Sunday. (Children 12 and under are free with adult paid admission.) \$25 in advance/\$35 at the gate.
- **Two-Day Pass:** You get in for the **WHOLE WEEKEND**. This is a much better value! \$35 in advance/\$45 at the gate.
- **VIP Package:** Includes admission to special VIP seating area, VIP parking (one parking pass per 4 tickets) and enjoy delicious food and hosted beverages. Programs and earplugs also included. It's The Ultimate Race Experience! \$150 one day/\$250 two day.
- **Car Show Entry:** Enter your car in the Annual Car Show. Includes car show entry, a goody bag and special T-Shirt. Purchase general admission tickets separately. The car show entry is \$15 for the weekend. See judging classes on the car show page.
- **Overnight RV Parking:** (Tickets not available through ClicknPrint. See Overnight RV Parking Section on the Coronado Speed Festival website.) Experience the races in the comfort of your own RV. Stay overnight on the Naval Base. This includes Two-Day Pass for driver and one passenger. \$150/Spaces are available on a first come first serve basis. No Exceptions.

About The Coronado Speed Festival & Fleet Week San Diego

The Coronado Speed Festival is Fleet Week San Diego's marquee event. The event features fast-paced, thrilling auto racing and exhibitions for car enthusiasts of all ages at one of the most distinctive race track locations - Naval Air Station North Island, the birthplace of Naval Aviation. Nowhere else can you see a variety of cars racing on a live runway used by the U.S. Navy.

This is the only Navy Open House on the West Coast. Naval Base Coronado is home to over 20,000 active duty military and over 4,000 civilian employees. The general public only gets a glimpse of the daily activities happening at the base. This is San Diego's opportunity to interact with the young men and women who defend our freedom. Climb aboard and tour an active Navy ship berthed at NASNI, visit command displays, watch F-18 flyovers and see military vehicles in action.

At the Coronado Speed Festival you will see top race cars from today & tomorrow including historic stock cars, as well as the restored classics from years past. Also planned are military flyovers, drifting exhibitions, car club corral, car show, Navy ship tours and more.

Don't miss out on this annual celebration of speed. The Coronado Speed Festival offers something for everyone to enjoy so race on down to Naval Air Station, North Island on **September 26-27** for the premiere racing event of the season. This event is free for active duty military and their dependants. For more information please go to www.fleetweeksandiego.org/coronadospeedfestival.

The Coronado Speed Festival is produced by San Diego Fleet Week Foundation and hosted by the Naval Base Coronado and the Morale, Welfare and Recreation Program (MWR) which benefits military personnel and their families. They in turn provide positive support for the active duty military community and their families through Quality of Life Programs including single Sailor Recreation Centers, Fitness and Aquatic Facilities and the Base Theatre Free Movies.

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