

AUSTIN PARKS FOUNDATION PRESENTS

AUSTIN CITY LIMITS
MUSIC FESTIVAL
OCTOBER 2-4 + 9-11 2015 ZILKER PARK

Dear Neighbor,

We couldn't be more excited to be back in Zilker Park for the 14th annual Austin City Limits Music Festival. First off, we want to send our biggest thanks to you for all of your feedback, support, and spirit over the years. After all, you're our next-door neighbor, therefore your voice and presence matter most to us.

There's no place like Zilker Park. It's truly the best place in the world to celebrate a city and its musical heritage, along with the people, causes, and businesses that make our Austin community one-of-a-kind. As we prepare for the next two-weekend run, we want to extend our thanks in advance for your patience, and offer any information that will help keep things easy for you.

Attached is information around any major logistical details in the coming weeks. Please read over it for info about road closures and event times, as well as the positive impacts we see year after year.

Communication is key for us, 24/7. Our planning involves tight collaboration with the City of Austin, the Austin Parks and Recreation Department and the City's First Responders to ensure the most convenient approach is taken for our neighbors with the lowest impact to the street grid and circulation patterns for area residents and businesses. Rest assured, your sidewalks, streets and parkways will return to you as soon as possible.

As always, safety is our number one priority. Security, police, and other personnel are in place to keep the Festival an enjoyable celebration in your neighborhood for years to come.

Austin is our home, so your voice matters. If you would like to learn more about the event, visit our website at aclfestival.com. You can also find answers to some of our frequently asked questions at aclfestival.com/festival/#faq-festival. If we can be of any assistance to you, answer any questions or provide information not available on our website, please do not hesitate to contact us at info@aclfestival.com

Kind Regards,



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ACL Music Festival will take place over two consecutive weekends: Friday, October 2nd at 11am to Sunday, October 4th at 10pm and Friday, October 9th at 11am to Sunday, October 11th at 10pm. The overall footprint of the event has not changed. Please see the map on the following page for closures. Preparatory closures are beginning the Friday before and will remain in place until the Monday after the festival.

Barton Springs Pool is open **AT ALL TIMES** during normal hours. During festival days parking is protected at the south gate lot off Robert E. Lee for pool swimmers. In addition, Auditorium Shores will be open at all times for general and off-leash use.

Zilker Park, and all Austin parks, are non-smoking venues. Festival patrons will be directed to smoke outside the festival gates on the street. All passholders will be allowed to exit and re-enter the Festival grounds during the event. If you choose to smoke outside of the Festival, be mindful and responsibly discard cigarettes.

SCHEDULED CLOSURES

This year Barton Springs Road will be closed on festival show days to all vehicle traffic starting at Sterzing Street. Cars will be able to make a u-turn on Barton Springs Road OR turn right onto Sterzing Street and be directed to South Lamar Blvd. This closure will reduce the amount of vehicles allowed into the neighborhoods and will create a safe crossing for pedestrians at Robert E Lee and Barton Springs Road.

ZILKER PARK GREAT LAWN

Sept. 21 – Oct. 24, **closed to the public**
Oct. 16, **festival load out ends**
Oct. 19 – 23, **park maintenance**

STRATFORD DRIVE

at Nature Center Dr & Barton Springs Rd
Sept. 23 & 24, **7:00am – 10:00pm daily**
Oct. 2 **12:01am – Oct. 5 3:00am**
Oct. 9 **12:01am – Oct. 12 3:00am**
Oct. 13 & 14, **7:00am – 10pm daily**

BARTON SPRINGS ROAD

at Sterzing St & Rollingwood Dr
Oct. 2 **12:01am – Oct. 5 3:00am**
Oct. 9 **12:01am – Oct. 12 3:00am**

ROADS REOPEN OCT. 5-8

During this time, a portion of the areas in and surrounding Zilker Park will be accessible to the public including Barton Springs, Rugby Field and the Botanical Gardens and Austin Nature and Science Center.

PARKING

Due to the increase in restricted parking areas, appropriate signage will be installed earlier, as well as allowing for time for corrections prior to the event commencing.

These signs are valid upon installation. Please adhere to the signage. The restricted parking area signage will stay UP between weekends. They remain valid during this time period.

NEIGHBORHOOD INFO

▶ **Neighborhood Call-In Line — 512-806-7906** ◀

Noise Complaints — Call the neighborhood call-in line, or 311.

Festival Questions — info@aclfestival.com



FUN FESTIVAL FACTS

- ▶ In 2014, **\$4.8 million** was donated to the Austin Parks Foundation bringing the eight-year total to **\$14.8 million**.
- ▶ The Nature Conservancy gained **15,000 supporters** at ACL Festival in 2014 alone.
- ▶ In 2014, **1019** fans registered to “get on the list” for Love Hope Strength’s international bone marrow registry, bringing the total to **2840** with **53** potentially life-saving matches.
- ▶ **67%** of ACL’s waste by volume was diverted from the landfill with the help of staff, crowd service ambassadors and about **5,000** participants who kept the park clean by participating in the Rock & Recycle Program.
- ▶ The equivalent of **603,194** bottles were filled at the CamelBak Filling Stations, bringing the five-year total to **1,817,686** containers diverted from the landfill since 2010.
- ▶ Since 2007, ACL Festival has calculated and offset **12,987,443 pounds** of carbon dioxide created by production emissions.
- ▶ Over **\$4,000** were raised in the Art Market and Festival Merch areas for the Positive Impact on Climate and Community (PICC) to support Waller Creek Conservancy.
- ▶ In 2014, **\$243,000** was raised to support Austin-based non-profit organizations.