

BOHEMIAN NIGHTS®

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MEDIA ADVISORY: ACTIVITIES FOR FAMILIES AND CHILDREN AT BOHEMIAN NIGHTS AT NEWWESTFEST

What: [Bohemian Nights at NewWestFest](#) is a free, three-day music festival held each August in historic downtown Fort Collins. Attendees can enjoy more than 80 Colorado bands in the lineup, three national headliners, and more than 25 performances on the Kids' World Stage. The annual festival is produced in collaboration with the [Downtown Fort Collins Business Association](#).

There are two main sections of the festival specifically for kids. The first is Kids' Music Adventure, the free, interactive kids' portion of Bohemian Nights at NewWestFest. In the Library Park courtyard, kids can interact with real instruments, see live musical performances, make their own instruments and participate in a number of other music workshops.

Performers this year include [Mr Kneel: Hip-Hop for Families!](#), [Grace Kuch](#), and [Doctor Noize](#), as well as Little Kids Rock bands Tavelli Tiger Stripes and CLPE's Band of Pirates.

Workshops this year include an Instrument Petting Zoo, a Build-Your-Own-Instrument workshop, and a Sing Your Heart Out workshop with [Boys & Girls Clubs](#), as well as workshops run by [Foundation Music School](#), [Little Kids Rock](#), the [Little Shop of Physics](#), [CSU Music Therapy RAMboree](#), and the [Fort Collins Museum of Discovery](#).

The second festival area specifically for kids is Kids' World, produced by the Downtown Fort Collins Business Association. This area (located at the SW corner of Library Park) includes a carnival, mechanical rides, games and more. Don't miss out on the fun at the Kids' World Stage (located at the intersection of Olive and Mathews St.); watch interactive acts ranging from kids puppeteers to various dance groups. To learn more, visit [downtownfortcollins.com](#).

When: Kids' Music Adventure is open from 11 a.m. to 5 p.m. on Saturday, Aug. 13 and Sunday, Aug. 14.

Kids' Music Adventure performances start on the hour and last for 20 minutes each, with the first performance of the day starting at noon, and the final performance of the day starting at 4 p.m.

The Kids' Music Adventure music lineup is as follows:

Saturday, August 13

Noon-12:20 p.m.	Doctor Noize (<i>Family Rock</i>)
1-1:20 p.m.	The Tavelli Tiger Stripes: Little Kids Rock (<i>Little Kids Rock</i>)
2-2:20 p.m.	Grace Kuch (<i>Family Blues</i>)

3-3:20 p.m. FCHS Hooves of the Apocalypse: Little Kids Rock (*Little Kids Rock*)
4-4:20 p.m. [Music for Kids with Eric West](#) (*Family Folk*)

Sunday, August 14

Noon-12:20 p.m. [Mr Kneel: Hip-Hop for Families!](#) (*Family Hip-Hop*)
1-1:20 p.m. CLPE's Band of Pirates: Little Kids Rock (*Little Kids Rock*)
2-2:20 p.m. [Emma Marie](#) (*Family Rock*)
3-3:20 p.m. [Downey Sisters](#) (*Family Pop*)
4-4:20 p.m. [Mr Kneel: Hip-Hop for Families!](#) (*Family Hip-Hop*)

Visit downtownfortcollins.com for a full Kids' World schedule and festival times.

Where: Bohemian Nights at NewWestFest takes place in downtown Fort Collins.

Kids' Music Adventure is located in the Library Park courtyard in the southwest corner of Library Park.

Kids' World is located in the southeast corner of Library Park.

Details: Bohemian Nights at NewWestFest and the Downtown Fort Collins Business Association are still looking for volunteers to help with Kids' Music Adventure, Kids' World, and with other festival areas.

Interested in volunteering at Kids' Music Adventure or helping with the music program? All Kids' Music Adventure volunteers will be background checked, for safety purposes. Visit bohemiannights.org/volunteer for more information, or call 970-227-1933.

Interested in volunteering at Kids' World or with the Downtown Fort Collins Business Association? Visit downtownfortcollins.com or call 970-484-6500.



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