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### **New Stage for the Altamont Fair**

Announcing! The Altamont Fair with the assistance of Jeff Thomas, Peter Bette and with other local businesses would like to announce the construction of a brand new stage on the infield in front of the main bleachers. The design and construction team being led by Jeff Thomas, Founder and President of WeatherGuard and Peter Bette owner and founder of Bette & Cring Construction has been working closely with the Altamont Fair Board of Directors to construct a Victorian style stage. Through the efforts of Peter and Jeff all aspects of the construction and design of the stage will be donated.

Working with Jeff Thomas and Peter Bette along with the local business community, The Altamont Fair is using the building of the stage as the first step towards replacing the main entertainment center of the Fair back to regal standing that it once held. In 1995, the Altamont Fair historic grandstand was lost to a fire. This was a devastating loss to the Fair and to our community. You may remember the great acts such as the "Joie Chitwood Thrill Show", "The Royal Hanneford Circus", and many, many different musical acts that once performed on the former stage in front of the Grandstand. Once the stage is constructed, the Fair is looking forward to once again being able to showcase premier entertainment in the grandstand area.

The Altamont Fair wishes to thank Jeff Thomas, Peter Bette and the many contributors for leading this effort to replace our stage, and we look forward to a continuing relationship with the community and our local business as we move ahead.

The Altamont Fair dates are August 12-17, Tuesday through Sunday. Adult admission is \$12, children from 6-12 \$5, children 5 or under are free. Look for our advance adult tickets in July for only \$10 at Hannaford Supermarkets. Check out the details of the Fair at [www.altamontfair.com](http://www.altamontfair.com).

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