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THE BIG FRESNO FAIR ANNOUNCES TOP 20 FOR LOCAL PERFORMER CONTEST

Big Fair Fan Club members to vote today through September 3rd to determine final six local performers

FRESNO, CALIFORNIA...AUGUST 11, 2010... The Big Fresno Fair is pleased to announce the top 20 local performers selected to advance on to the next step of the Local Performer Contest. Based upon the most positive public comments on each of the videos posted online between June 1st and August 6th, as well as input from the local performer contest sub-committee, the 20 local musical performers were selected to advance to the voting portion of the competition, which begins today. .

Top 20 performers include 8 Souls, Cut and Roll, Dislodice, E.Z. Marc & the Cornered Weasels, Force 'Em, HR7, Kelly McDonald, Krossover, Las Jefas, Mercury Bullet, Motel Drive, Old Time Rock and Roll Band, Patrick Contreras, Raven's Nevermore, RGB, Roadhouse, Saving Temperance, Sayswear, The Capital Is Burning and The Neptunes.

Beginning today, members of the Big Fair Fan Club will be able to vote online at www.FresnoFair.com for the six bands they want to see as part of the local musical showcase at The Big Fresno Fair, which will be held on Thursday, October 14th from 4 p.m. until 10 p.m. on the Pavilion Stage. If you are not a Big Fair Fan Club member, you can sign up at www.FresnoFair.com. Voting will take place starting today through September 3rd. Each person can only vote once, and can vote for up to six local performers. The final six musical performers selected to perform at the 2010 Big Fresno Fair's Local Performer Showcase will be announced mid-September.

If you would like more information or would like to help spread the word about the contest and showcase, visit www.FresnoFair.com/localperformercontest.

Big Times Are Back at The Big Fresno Fair October 6th – 17th. To learn more about what's new and exciting at the 2010 Big Fresno Fair, visit www.FresnoFair.com.



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