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**ACURA GRAND PRIX OF LONG BEACH**

Crowds warm up to roar of engines on the first day of the three-day motor racing extravaganza

**COACHELLA**

Regulars and first-timers to the desert festival embrace the experience. ‘It never gets old to me.’

**NATIONAL SECURITY**

Leak suspect in court, U.S. details case are on classified info

**HEALTH**

Free conference will discuss Alzheimer's disease, offer tips

**ABORTION**

Justice Alito temporarily halts restrictions in Supreme Court battle over drug’s FDA approval

**BUSINESS**

Larger banks bringing in big profits with higher interest rates that contributed to crisis in midsize banks.

**REGIONAL**

The Empire Polo Club in Indio on Friday. ‘It’s exciting to be back,’ says Danielle Portney of Los Angeles.

Fans dance to Bresh as he performs at the Do Lab stage on the first day of the Coachella Valley Music and Arts Festival at the Empire Polo Club in Indio on Friday. “It’s exciting to be back,” says Danielle Portney of Los Angeles.
Fans keep the party going during Fiesta Friday

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The dance. The drinks. The food. The fun.

Fiesta Friday has become an annual tradition for many Orange County residents. This year, the event took place on Friday, April 28, at the Peninsula Hotel in Orange. Attendees enjoyed live music, dancing, and delicious food.

But who is behind this yearly event? It all started with a simple idea.

Years ago, a group of friends gathered at the Laguna Beach High School parking lot to enjoy some food and music. As the night went on, more and more people joined in on the fun, and the party grew.

Today, Fiesta Friday is a well-known event that draws thousands of people each year. But it’s not just about having a good time – it’s also about giving back.

Over the years, the event has raised money for various charities, including the Alzheimer’s Association and the Orange County Bar Association.

With more than 20 years of tradition, Fiesta Friday is a must-see event for anyone who loves a good party.