



# PACIFIC NORTHWEST MUSHROOM FESTIVAL

**JUNE  
27-28**



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**HEADLINE: THE ROTARY CLUB OF HAWKS PRAIRIE  
ANNOUNCES THE FIRST ANNUAL PACIFIC  
NORTHWEST MUSHROOM FESTIVAL! SATURDAY AND  
SUNDAY JUNE 27<sup>TH</sup> AND 28<sup>TH</sup> 2009 AT THE ALL NEW  
REGIONAL ATHLETIC COMPLEX NEAR LACEY!**

The Rotary Club of Hawks Prairie well-known for it's March to Support Military Families, which has raised over \$250,000 to date, will hold it's first annual Pacific NW Mushroom Festival at the newly finished Regional Athletic Complex located at the corner of Steilacoom and Marvin Road near Lacey. This event drew over 12,000 people over 2 days last year, and with the new venue, is expected to draw at least as many this year. Features include: 770 KTTH's Chef Dan Thiessen both Saturday and Sunday cooking up his best mushroom dishes, Mary Ellen Psaltis local author and cooking columnist for the Olympian, The ever popular Ciscoe Morris and Meeghan Black of NWCN's Gardening with Ciscoe Many of the latest bounce houses a great Kidzone, as well as many exhibits from local artisans and

antique dealers as well as people featuring mushrooms. This year, there will be a Humungous Shroom Feast featuring as many as local restaurateurs vying for the best mushroom recipe... the public votes for their favorite. There will be music from the Bobbers... who specialize in Fishing music ... Off Boulevard, a local Manhattan Transfer style vocal group, No Inhibitions , dixieland jazz band, Acoustic Union, Balloon Twister Adam Lee and much more!