

Pogo Park to host 3rd Annual Summer Carnival at Elm Playlot

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Photo courtesy of Pogo Park.

Pogo Park is set to transform the Elm Playlot into a vibrant hub of family fun this Friday, July 18, for its 3rd Annual Summer Carnival.

Running from 3 p.m. to 7 p.m. at 720 Elm Ave., the event promises an array of attractions including the Solcar Choo-Choo Train, a mechanical bull, a dunk tank, a 360-degree photo booth, and classic carnival treats like snowcones and lemonade. Additional entertainment includes live music, face painting, and games suitable for all ages. While park admission is free, tickets are required for rides and activities.

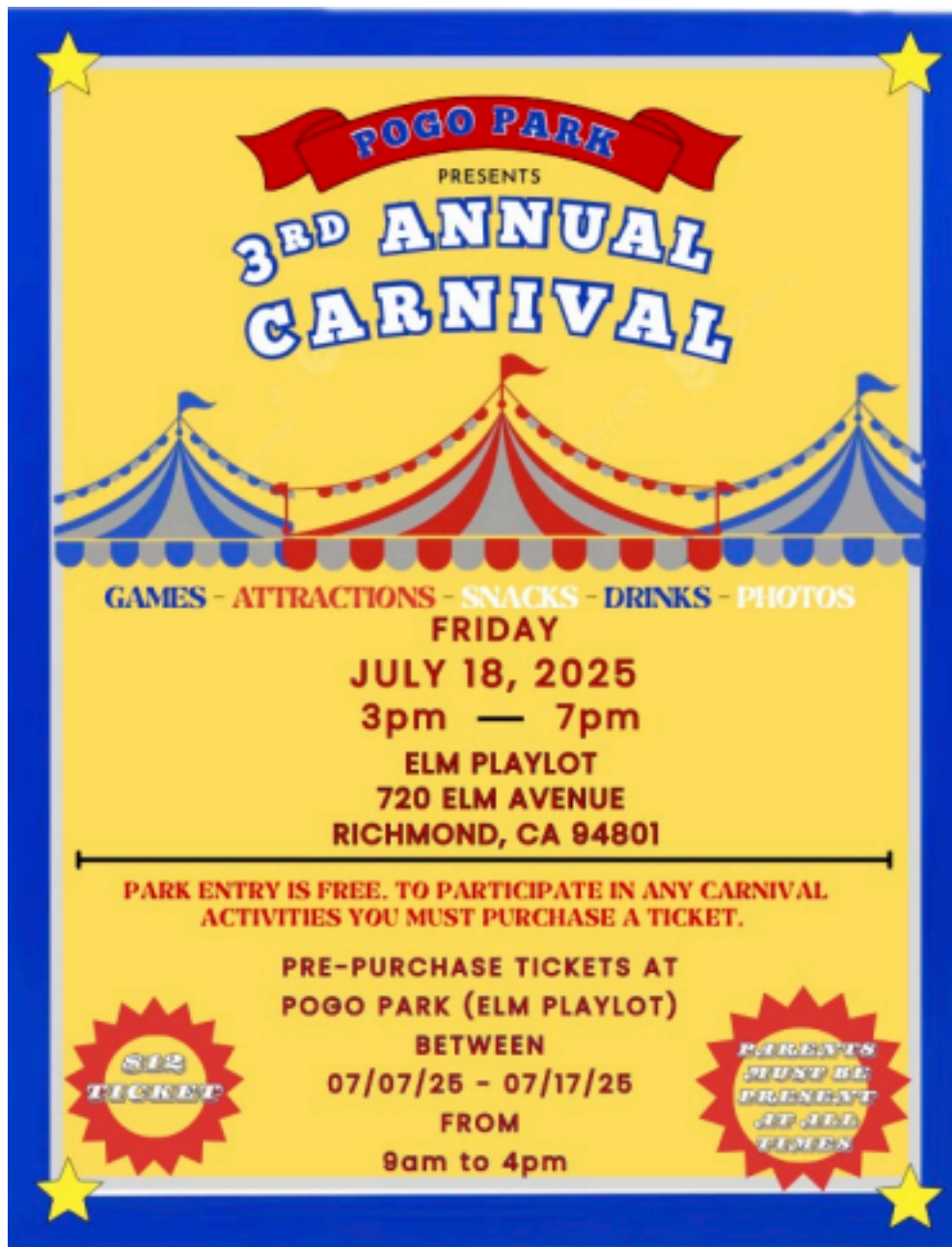
Founded in Richmond's Iron Triangle neighborhood, Pogo Park is a nonprofit organization dedicated to revitalizing public spaces into

safe, engaging environments for children and families. The Elm Playlot, also known as Pogo Park #1, was the organization's inaugural project, transforming a neglected lot into a dynamic community space.

Beyond the Elm Playlot, Pogo Park is working to complete the \$28 million Harbour-8 Park project, which includes Richmond's first Community Resilience Center. This center aims to provide essential services and a safe gathering place during emergencies, and to otherwise serve as a community resource center.

For more information about Pogo Park and its initiatives, visit www.pogopark.org.

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