



## News Release

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### **Florida Strawberry Festival nominated for Academy of Country Music Award**

PLANT CITY, Fla. (Apr. 13, 2023) – The Academy of Country Music announced nominations for the 58<sup>th</sup> Annual Academy of Country Music Awards today. The Florida Strawberry Festival has been selected as one of five nominees in the Fair/Rodeo of the Year category.

“We are incredibly honored to have been nominated for this award,” said Florida Strawberry Festival President Paul Davis. “Our fellow nominees are outstanding events, and it is a privilege to be in this group. Thanks, once again, to our patrons for making the Florida Strawberry Festival a nationally recognized event.”

The 58<sup>th</sup> Annual Academy of Country Music Awards will take place on Thursday, May 11, 2023 at 8 p.m. from the Ford Center in Frisco, Texas. The event will be hosted by Dolly Parton and Garth Brooks. For more information, visit [ACMcountry.com](http://ACMcountry.com).

### **About the Florida Strawberry Festival**

The Florida Strawberry Festival is an 11-day community event celebrating the strawberry harvest of Eastern Hillsborough County. Each year, over 600,000 visitors enjoy the festival’s headline entertainment, youth livestock shows, exhibits of commerce and, of course, its strawberry shortcake. The 2024 Florida Strawberry Festival will take place February 29 - March 10 at 2209 W. Oak Avenue in Plant City, Fla. For more information, visit [www.flstrawberryfestival.com](http://www.flstrawberryfestival.com), Facebook, Instagram, TikTok and Twitter (#berryfest24).

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