

GATE ENTRY FOR HYPERFEST 2026

Gate entry procedures differ for this large spectator event and please read the below carefully.

GATE ADMISSION HOURS FOR HYPERFEST:

NASA Driver Check-in will close at 10PM nightly and reopen at 6:30AM. When arriving for the first time, you **must** arrive at NASA Driver Check-in during open hours noted below to go through the gate. The gate will only be open between 10PM-6AM each night to people that have already entered the facility and have a wristband. If you do not have a gate wristband, you cannot enter. **Once you receive your credentials, you may enter/exit the venue 24 hours a day provided you keep your credentials.** Please adjust your travel plans accordingly.

GATE CREDENTIALS

Drivers claim their gate credentials in advance of the event, and we recommend doing so by Tuesday May 12. This will save you valuable time since you can use the drive-through lanes.

Drivers claim their gate credentials via these steps:

- Go to this link: <https://hyperfest26.ticketspice.com/nasa-drivers-hyperfest-2026>
- Add NASA Driver Gate Admission FIRST (all drivers receive 1 North Paddock parking decal with their gate admission ticket).

Additional Options to claim on ticketing page:

- Camping RV \$100
- Camping Tent/Car/Trailer \$60
- ONE FREE Guest Gate Admission (COMP)
- PAID Guest Gate Admission (discounted, for up to 4 per NASA Driver)
- Guest Parking for one car in Lot 4 (limited to first 175 NASA drivers)
- Kids 12 and under (free)
- Additional HyperFest activity options can be found by visiting the Rides / Drives / Activities link at the top of the ticketing page..

NASA DRIVER / NASA GUEST ARRIVAL TIMES (non-spectator tickets):

Thursday: 11AM-10PM

Friday: 6:30AM-10PM

Saturday: 6:30AM-2PM

NORTH PADDOCK ENTRY:

Drivers will be allowed to enter the North Paddock beginning at 6:00PM Thursday and will be staged in a holding area prior to that time.

GATE CHECK-IN PROCESS:

When you arrive at VIR, Lanes 1 and 3 are NASA dedicated drive-through lanes. You will show your QR code for gate admission and the driver will receive a North Paddock parking decal (and camping designation if staying on site). A paddock marshal monitors North Paddock access decals and camping designations 24 hours a day.

If you claimed a Lot 4 parking pass for your guest, the guest will use dedicated NASA lanes 1 or 3 and show their QR codes for gate admission and the Lot 4 decal.

FOR YOUR GUESTS:

It is best to enter your guest's name and contact info when claiming guest tickets. If you did not list that guest info, read your ticketspice confirmation email which has instructions for sharing tickets. You can also visit the ticketing page link above and click to resend the confirmation email to yourself if needed. From there, you can text or email the ticket directly to your guest. This does not change the name on the ticket. Once the ticket has been scanned, it is no longer valid.