

That was fun...

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Remembering Snowdown is like trying to remember the first day of kindergarten: a fuzzy, exciting and colorful blur that ultimately ends in tears, wet pants or falling asleep on the floor. Luckily, we can fill in the gaps with photo reminders (some would say "evidence") of the five wacky days of '80s-themed antics, including old favorites such as the Fashion Do's and Don'ts and the Follies, as well as new favorites like joint rolling and speed texting. So, for those of us still picking up the pieces – or the ones who hid in a cave and missed it completely – here are a few highlights from this year's totally gnarly trip back to the time of valley girls, big hair and no cares.



A member of Fraggles Rockers keeps her eyes – all four of them – on the ball at Steamworks on Saturday during the Josie Pete golf tournament.



A team member competing in the Snowdown Waiter/Waitress Race tries to catch a beer-filled balloon in Pac Man headgear behind Steamworks on Friday.



Ska's new event, an '80s Game Gauntlet, included Rock 'Em Sock 'Em Robots and other games that predate the video era.



Alf takes to the bulls during what was likely not his first rodeo at the Wild Horse on Wednesday night.



Fire lights up a packed Main Avenue on Friday night.