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Movies in the Park, Ribbon Cutting of River Trail at Schreiner University's Trailhead, and Skateboard Competition on tap this weekend

Kerrville, Texas (June 8, 2021) – This weekend is jam packed with fun park activities. Please see below regarding details for Movies in the Park, Skateboard Competition, and the Ribbon Cutting and Grand Opening of Schreiner University's (SU) Trailhead Beer Garden and the SU section of the river trail.

Movies in the Park

On Friday, June 11, the Kerrville Parks and Recreation Department will be continuing the *Movies in the Park* series. We will be showcasing Disney's "Frozen 2" at Louise Hays Park, 202 Thompson Dr. Bring the family, chairs, blankets, insect repellent, and a flashlight for an outdoor evening of fun. There will be snacks and beverages available for purchase to further your movie experience.

Check out our website for the entire series lineup. All summer movies will begin at approximately 9 p.m. or when dark, and are FREE for all attendees (except Drive-in Movies).

Skateboard Competition

On Saturday, June 12, T-N-S Engraving in partnership with the Kerrville Parks and Recreation Department will be hosting a Skateboard Competition at the Skate Park in Singing Wind Park. Warm-ups will begin at 9:30 a.m., and the competition will start at 10 a.m. Each participant will be given three minutes to show off their best skills and compete for the top spot, so grab your helmets and boards and skate on down to see us Saturday morning. Free entry for participants and free admission for spectators!

Age divisions include: 8 and under; 9-11 years; 12-14 years; 15-17 years; and 18 and over. Helmets are required. Pre-register at the Parks and Recreation Department located at Kerrville-Schreiner Park at 2385 Bandera Hwy., online at www.kerrvilletx.gov, or over the phone (830) 257-7300. On-site registration will be available beginning at 9:30 a.m. on the day of the event.

Ribbon Cutting and Grand Opening of River Trail at Schreiner University's Trailhead and Beer Garden

The City of Kerrville's recently completed segment of the Kerrville River Trail now accesses Schreiner University's campus. The approximate one-mile trail extension runs from G Street to the university. The trail segment was completed last fall, with the majority of the trail accessible to the public. The portion of the trail on the SU campus, however, remained closed to the public during the Covid-19 pandemic. The grand opening and ribbon cutting will be held on Saturday, June 12, with family fun activities offered by SU beginning in the morning and the formal ceremony in the evening.

“Connecting the Kerrville River Trail to Schreiner University is an exciting asset to the community and is indicative of the strong partnership between both organizations,” said Ashlea Boyle, director of Parks and Recreation. “This extension provides the connectivity and opportunity for the students and surrounding neighborhood to access the trail, and for the community to access Schreiner University. Creating a connection to the university was a specific action item in Kerrville 2050 relating to the continued development and extension of the River Trail. The trail enhances the quality of life for our community in addition to providing an economic driver.”

The ribbon cutting ceremony will be open to the public and take place at 6 p.m. with members of Schreiner University and the City of Kerrville. At 7 p.m. the outdoor stage will light up with a free concert by The Texicana Mamas.

For more information, contact the Parks and Recreation Department at (830) 257-7300, recreation@kerrvilletx.gov, visit the city’s website at www.kerrvilletx.gov, or follow us on Facebook at City of Kerrville TX – City Hall or Instagram at cityofkerrville.



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