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PRESS RELEASE

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Kids Triathlon and Wet N' Wag to be held Saturday at the Olympic Pool

Kerrville, Texas (Aug. 10, 2021) – The Olympic Pool will host two different events this weekend to wrap up the summer season. The "Kids Triathlon" and "Wet N' Wag" both will be held on Saturday, Aug. 14. Check out details below:

Kids Triathlon

The 25th annual Kids Triathlon will be held Saturday, Aug. 14 beginning at 9 a.m. at Singing Wind Park. All children ages pre-K to 18 are welcome to participate. Athletes will be grouped according to their age and each group will swim, bike and run various age-appropriate distances. Lifeguards will be present at the Olympic Pool for the swim portion. Along with the proper attire, athletes should bring a bike and helmet, as it is required to participate in the event. A course map is available online on the Kerrville Parks and Recreation webpage, along with the distances for each age division.

Pre-registration for this event will be at the Parks and Recreation Department located at Kerrville-Schreiner Park at 2385 Bandera Hwy., or online at www.kerrvilletx.gov. The pre-

registration deadline will be Thursday, Aug. 12 at 5 p.m. On-site registration as well as check-in will be available beginning at 7:30 a.m. on Aug. 14 at the Olympic Pool, 601 Olympic Dr. The \$15 entrance fee includes a t-shirt, water bottle, and the opportunity to win a number of great door prizes. Discounts are offered for families with multiple participating children. Discounts are available for in-person registration only and will not be available online.

A big "thank you" to Hill County Bicycle Works for their hard work planning and producing this event along with the Parks and Recreation Department, and all of the event sponsors!

Wet N' Wag/Chip N' Dip

In the evening after the Kids Triathlon, the dogs come out to play! "Wet N' Wag" will take place from 5-7 p.m. at the Olympic Pool. There is a limit of one dog per adult chaperone. Registration will begin at 5 p.m. Olympic Pool access and off-leash play will be allowed through the duration of the event. Current proof of rabies vaccinations is required at registration (tags or paperwork accepted). Owners are asked not to bring aggressive dogs and to please clean up after their pets. Pet waste bags will be available on site. Dogs must be leashed when not inside the fenced pool area.

Free micro-chipping for your pet will be provided by Kerrville Pets Alive, and micro-chipping comes with a permanent ID! Note that this is only for the first 25 dogs. Once chipped, pets will not be permitted to re-enter the water. Thank you to Dogologie in Fredericksburg for providing gift cards for the attending dogs (while supplies last).

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.



REGISTRATION FEE

\$15 - FIRST CHILD | \$10 - SECOND CHILD | \$5 - EACH ADDITIONAL CHILD *FAMILY DISCOUNTS NOT AVAILABLE ONLINE, FOR AGES 18 YEARS AND YOUNGER.

EVENT TIMES

7:30 A.M. - ONSITE REGISTRATION BEGINS 8:45 A.M. - PRE-RACE MEETING 9 A.M. - EVENT BEGINS

A BIKE HELMET IS REQUIRED FOR THIS EVENT.



