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FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

Wet N' Wag Day

Kerrville, Texas (August 1, 2014) –The Parks and Recreation Department will again be offering an event for dogs and their owners to use the pool for one special day after the closing of the Olympic Pool for the swim season. This year's FREE event, *Wet N' Wag Day,* will take place Saturday, August 16th from 4:30 p.m. – 7:00 p.m. at the Olympic Pool in Singing Wind Park. Limit of one dog per adult chaperone. Don't have a dog? You'll have the opportunity to visit with representatives from the Kerr County Animal Shelter on how you can take home a new best friend.

You will also be able to receive information on spay and neutering, grooming, dog obedience training, and other dog assistance information from the event sponsors who will be available to answer questions from 4:30 – 7:00 p.m. Event sponsors are: Hill Country Animal League, Obediently Yours, Pets Supplies Plus, Dogologie, Nicole Scissorhounds, Veterans Assistance Dogs of Texas, and the Kerr County Animal Shelter.

One of the activities for the event will be a Swimsuit Contest from 4:45 – 5:00 p.m. Other activities will include Wading Pool and Olympic Pool access from 5:00 – 7:00 p.m., Photo Booth, and an off-leash play area throughout the event. <u>Current proof of rabies</u> vaccinations are 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 station will be available on site. Dogs must be leashed when not inside the fenced area.

"Wet-n-Wag Day is going to be a great event for dog lovers. There will be a lot of great information for present and future dog owners" stated Destini Ledesma, Parks and Recreation Specialist.

This is a free event but still requires registration. Pre-register online at www.kerrvilletx.gov, at the Parks and Recreation Headquarters located at 2385 Bandera Hwy., or register on-site at the event beginning at 4:30 p.m..

For more information contact the City of Kerrville Parks and Recreation office by calling (830)257-7300 or go to www.kerrvilletx.gov