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

Kerrville, Texas (Aug. 7, 2023) – Summer may be ending, but there is still some fun to be had. The Olympic Pool will host two special events, the “Kids Triathlon” and “Wet N’ Wag”, on Saturday, Aug. 12, to wrap up the summer season. Check out the details below:

Kids Triathlon

The 27th annual “Kids Triathlon” will take place in Singing Winds Park on Saturday, Aug. 12, and will begin at 9 a.m. All children ages pre-K to 18 are invited to participate.

The pre-registration deadline is this Wednesday, Aug. 9, at 5 p.m. Registration can be completed with the Parks and Recreation Department located at Kerrville-Schreiner Park at 2385 Bandera Hwy., over the phone at (830) 257-7300, or online at <https://web2.myvscloud.com/wbwsc/txkerrvillewt.wsc/splash.html>. On-site registration and participant check-in will be available on the event day beginning at 7:30 a.m. at the Olympic Pool, 601 Olympic Dr. Only cash or check will be accepted for on-site registration. The \$15

entrance fee includes a t-shirt, water bottle, and the opportunity to win a number of great prizes. Discounts are available for families with multiple participating children.

Athletes will be grouped according to their age, and 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 mandatory to participate in the event. A course map is available on the Kerrville Parks and Recreation webpage, along with the distances for each age division.

A big “Thank You” goes 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

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. Current proof of rabies vaccinations is **required** at registration (tags or paperwork accepted). Registration will begin at 5 p.m. Olympic Pool access and off-leash play will be allowed throughout the event. 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.

Participant goodie bags will be available while supplies last from Dogologie in Fredericksburg, Texas. Thank you to the fine folks at Dogologie who have supported “Wet N’

Wag” for over five years. Their contribution makes the event even more special for all participants.

For additional 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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