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Adventure Cove Grand Opening Celebration

ABILENE, Texas - The City of Abilene will host a ribbon cutting ceremony and grand opening celebration for Adventure Cove on Thursday, June 15 at 3:30 PM at 2742 South 9th Street.

The Chamber Red Coats will commence the celebration at 3:30 PM with a ribbon cutting ceremony marking the completion of the aquatic center. Following the ribbon cutting ceremony, the doors of Adventure Cove will open to the public from 4:00-8:30 PM for two separate sessions of fun, each session allowing free entrance for the first 500 people.

The first session will be from 4:00-6:00 PM followed by a scheduled maintenance break from 6:00-6:30 PM, after which the second session will proceed from 6:30-8:30 PM.

Adventure Cove is a family aquatic center with attractions for all ages. Voters approved the funding for this project by passing Proposition 6 of the May 2015 Bond election. The Existing Rose Park Pool was removed, and the new construction has resulted in a modern water recreation facility where families can enjoy a leisure pool with a zero-depth beach entry, a lazy river, a pair of water slides, a party pavilion and a new bathhouse. Adventure Cove has been designed with the future in mind, providing space to eventually add features and expand the lazy river.

Regular hours for Adventure Cove will be Tuesday through Saturday from 11:00-2:45 PM and 3:15-7:00 PM, and Sunday and Monday from 1:00-7:00 PM. There will be a scheduled maintenance break each day Tuesday through Saturday where the facility will close from 2:45-3:15 PM, no maintenance break on Sunday or Monday. Prices range based on age and height; children 2 and under are free, children under 48 inches are \$4.00, children over 48 inches are \$6.00, and adults 18 and older are \$6.50. Visitors must pay to re-enter the facility after the maintenance break. Riders must be over 48 inches to ride the water slides.

Concessions for the grand opening celebration will be available for purchase. No outside food and beverages allowed.

The ceremony will take place at 2742 South 9th Street, parking is available. Bring your goggles and beach towels and come celebrate with us!

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