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Youth Fishing Expo at Fischer Park Rescheduled for Saturday, October 31st

New Braunfels, Texas –The City of New Braunfels Parks and Recreation Department announced that the Youth Fishing Expo at Fischer Park has been rescheduled for this Saturday, October 31st. The free event is in partnership with the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service and runs from noon until 2:00 p.m. at the Fischer Park Nature Education Center.

The event will feature hands on activities including a fishing tournament, casting games, knot tying and tackle techniques, fly fishing demonstrations, arts and crafts and information on local water quality and water conservation efforts. Complimentary hot dogs and soft drinks will be provided and prizes will be awarded to participants with the most fish caught, largest fish and more.

“We are grateful for the rains last weekend and are thrilled to be able to reschedule this event, promoting the sport of fishing to our area youth,” said Mike Wallace, Nature Center Supervisor. “The San Marcos National Fish Hatchery stocked over 1,000 Channel Catfish in the ponds, giving all participants the chance to experience a catch.”

The event is hosted by the City of New Braunfels Park and Recreation Department in partnership with U.S. Fish and Wildlife Services and is sponsored in part by H-E-B and Glacier Ice.

The event is free, but participants must bring their own fishing poles, tackle and bait and youth 17 and older must have a fishing license to participate. For more information about the event, or to register, contact the City’s Parks and Recreation Department Fischer Park Nature Education Center at 830-221-4378.

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