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Free Event for Persons with Physical Disabilities!



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KICKIN' OFF SUMMER BASH V



SATURDAY
May 31, 2014
9:00 am - 3:00 pm
Meadowmere Park
Grapevine, Texas

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This FREE event provides a variety of adaptive recreational activities for those in the community with physical disabilities of all ages and their families. Activities; Water Skiing, Jet Skiing, Tubing, Boating, Sailing, Kayaking, Swimming, Fishing, Golf, Hand Cycling, Rugby, Basketball, Archery, Air Rifles, Camping, Playground, Face Painting, Bounce House, FREE Hamburgers, Hot Dogs, and Drinks at the AMBUC's Food Court. Event takes place Rain or Shine! No registration required!



Baylor Institute for Rehabilitation WCMX No Excuses Throwdown presented by RISE Adaptive Sports was a huge success.

Competitors and participants attended from all across the U.S. and Canada. The two-day event highlighted some of the top Skateboarders and BMX riders in Texas. Cash prizes were awarded to the top 10 finishers. The best WCMX riders in the world came to compete, and they didn't disappoint.

Aaron "Wheelz" Fotheringham performed his patented flip numerous times and put on quite a show to take 1st place. The surprise of the competition was first-time WCMX competitor, 11 year old Luke Acuna, who captured 3rd place behind Christiaan "Otter" Bailey's 2nd place finish.

All the competitors had a great time sharing their skills and experience with the clinic participants, which was the largest group in the three years RISE has hosted.

RISE would especially like to thank the **sponsors** and **volunteers**. Without them this event would not be possible! Thank you all from the RISE Board of Directors and Staff. We're already looking forward to next year!

Visit our [Facebook](#) page to see all the great stories and pictures from this event.

Video Recap presented by Irving Community Television Network (ICTN)
<http://youtu.be/i1ysDmNrHNI>

RISE Program Update: Water Sports Programs begin, Saturday, May 17, 2014. Our two Rugby Programs on Friday nights and both Soccer Programs on Saturdays continue throughout the summer! Please check the RISE Calendar and make your reservations TODAY!

<https://www.google.com/calendar/embed?src=ram@riseadventures.org&ctz=America/Chicago&gsessionid=cA7qWbUiG01fQtu-XUXvcA>

[Run, Ride & Roll for RISE](#) at Texas Motor Speedway on Saturday, November 15, 2014! Come join RISE Adaptive Sports at our first ever major fundraiser. There will be a 1k, 5k & 10k run/walk/roll along with a 15 mile ride for bicycles and handcycles. To sign up go to www.riseadaptivesports.org/race. For sponsor opportunities contact Chris Goad at cgoad@riseadaptivesports.org.



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