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**Park Event to Recognize the Contributions of Local Seniors:  
Wednesday, Sept. 5<sup>th</sup>, 10:30 a.m. – 2:30 p.m.**

**Sacramento, California, August 30, 2007**—Members of the generation that fought and won WWII, landed a man on the moon, and educated untold numbers in classrooms across the nation, invite the media and public to attend a special park event honoring their contributions and sacrifices. The event, ***Senior Day in the Park***, will take place on **Wednesday, September 5<sup>th</sup>**, from **10:30 a.m. to 2:30 p.m.**, at **William Land Park**.

Senior Day in the Park is being organized by the Department of Parks and Recreation's Caring Neighborhoods Program (CNP) in conjunction with the Eskaton Jefferson Manor Resident Council. CNP is a neighborhood-based volunteer effort that encourages residents to help their senior neighbors to live safe and independent lives. The program recruits neighbors to provide transportation services to the elderly, organizes visits to isolated or vulnerable seniors, sponsors informational workshops on scams, and much more.

Senior Day in the Park will provide seniors an opportunity to relax, share their stories and experiences, listen to live music, play games, and enjoy a catered barbeque lunch. Free transportation will also be provided from designated locations within the city.

**Details:**

**Event:** ***Senior Day in the Park***  
**Date:** Wednesday, September 5, 2007  
**Time:** 10:30 a.m. to 2:30 p.m.  
**Location:** William Land Park, Area GA-21 (Riverside Blvd & 12<sup>th</sup> Ave)  
From Sutterville Rd, proceed north on Riverside Blvd,  
turn right on 12<sup>th</sup> Ave.

Media-related questions about this event can be forwarded to Hindolo Brima, Public Information Officer, Department of Parks and Recreation, (916) 808-5972.

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