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Media Opportunity

Fort Carson DFMWR hosts annual 'Dog Splash'

FORT CARSON, Colo. – The 10th annual “Dog Splash” event, hosted by the Fort Carson Directorate of Family and Morale Welfare and Recreation, will be held Saturday from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m.

The “Dog Splash” marks the end of the summer outdoor pool season for the Ellis Outdoor Pool. Soldiers, Family members and all other Department of Defense ID card holders can bring their dogs to enjoy a dip in the pool before it is drained for the coming cooler seasons.

To ensure social distancing, four 45 minute time slots have been created beginning at 10 a.m., 11 a.m., noon and 1 p.m. A 15 minute segment is set between each time slot for cleaning. All patrons are required to wear a face mask while on the pool deck.

Participation costs \$3 per dog. Owners are required to show current and up-to-date vaccination records for their pets; a current rabies vaccination is required. Fort Carson breed restriction policy applies.

Media who are interested in covering this event should RSVP by 4 p.m. Friday to the Fort Carson Public Affairs Office at (719) 526-7525.

For more information contact the Fort Carson Public Affairs Office at (719) 526-7525. After hours, please contact the 24-hour Fort Carson Operations Center at 526-5500 and ask for the On-Call Public Affairs Officer.