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Plans underway for City's premier Halloween event, Spooktacular

Oct. 16, 2014— Get your costumes picked out because Deltona's 13th Annual Spooktacular is right around the corner. The City of Deltona's premier Halloween event is from dusk (or 6 p.m.) until 10 p.m., Oct. 24-25 at the Dewey O. Boster Sports Complex, 1200 Saxon Blvd. The two-night event allows the City to feature something for everyone. Friday night is designed for teens and adults and the second night is for the entire family—teens, adults and small children. This event is free and great fun for the entire family.

On Friday, adults and teens can tour the Haunted Trail, a Haunted Pirate Ship and a Haunted Hayride. These scary favorites feature over 200 actors and actresses in full costume in a variety of scenes and scares. These are not suitable for young children. Entertainment for Friday night includes performances by the Soul Sonic Youth Dancers, Yani and Yami Toro, HAYGD (Hispanic American Youth Group of Deltona), Zumba with Karen, Felecity, the Boom Docks, Singing Angels, Arts Alive, and Carlos Rodriguez.

On Saturday, Spooktacular features more family fun and entertainment. In addition to the "haunted" venues, there will be Halloween games and prizes, inflatables, treats, a pie-eating contest and a Frightening Freaky Food contest. As always, the highlight of the event is the Spooktacular Costume Contest. The contest begins at 6:30 p.m. with the littlest spooks going first. There will be five categories (age 3 and under, ages 4-7, ages 8-12, age 13 and up and families).

Traffic will be heavy around the park and motorists are encouraged to use caution and to watch for pedestrians. During the event on both nights, traffic exiting the park onto Saxon Boulevard will be right turns only, heading east towards Providence Boulevard.

Each year, staff from many departments of the City of Deltona and numerous volunteers work hard setting up the park, decorating, working the event and cleaning up. Residents interested in volunteering should call Deltona Parks & Recreation, (386) 878-8900 to learn more.

Spooktacular would also not be possible without the assistance of our business community. This year's event is sponsored by Brown & Brown PRIA (Public Risk Insurance Agency), Tetra Tech, Bright House Networks, Top Shelf Car Wash, Radiology Associates Imaging, Odyssey Manufacturing Company, Danus Utilities and Walgreens. We sincerely appreciate everyone's continued support of this event.