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KIWANIS PARK OFFERS PLAYGROUND EQUIPMENT FOR CHILDREN WITH SPECIAL NEEDS

WAKE FOREST, NC – April 8, 2010 – The Wake Forest Parks & Recreation Department recently unveiled a refurbished play area at Kiwanis Park, 400 E. Holding Ave., featuring several new pieces of playground equipment designed for children with special needs.

The play area is fully accessible so special needs children can enjoy the variety of new play equipment, including therapeutic swings, a therapeutic sand box, a “Sight and Sound” play panel, a “Fun Fone,” a “Fire Truck” panel, and a “Power Pedaler.”

“We’re delighted to open the new play area at Kiwanis Park,” said Parks & Recreation Director Susan Simpson.

“It’s fantastic for children in our area to have such an accessible and safe place to play, especially now that we have the variety of special needs playground equipment available. The park is a place where we believe families will be able to enjoy and spend many happy hours.”



For more information about Kiwanis Park, call (919) 554-6180.

Kiwanis Park is operated and maintained by the Town of Wake Forest Parks & Recreation Department. The park is offered as an area of recreation, relaxation, and enjoyment for area citizens. Alcoholic beverages, firearms, and unleashed dogs are prohibited.

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