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## Rohnert Park to Host Summer Kick-Off Brunch & BBQ and 2023 Business Showcase on May 13

**Rohnert Park, CA** (May 8, 2023) – The City of Rohnert Park is hosting the annual Summer Kick-Off Brunch & BBQ on Saturday, May 13. This year, the city is combining the Summer Kick-Off event with the Chamber of Commerce's 2023 Business Showcase. This free event at the Rohnert Park Community Center (5401 Snyder Lane) is open to the public from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m.

"Following the stormy weather we've had, we are thrilled to start the summer season on a high note with our Summer Kick-Off event and the Chamber's Business Showcase," said Mayor Samantha Rodriguez. "This event exemplifies our commitment to bringing our community together whenever possible. We hope you will join us on May 13 to celebrate our friendly community and dedicated local businesses."

Community members of all ages are invited to the fun-filled day of food, games and live entertainment. Residents will also get a sneak peek at available summer classes. The Community Services Department is serving free breakfast burritos from 10 a.m. to noon. The Department of Public Safety is cooking and providing free hot dog lunches from noon to 2 p.m. while supplies last. Attendees can dance to the live DJ on the Community Center lawn or enjoy a live performance by School of Rock in the Quad.

Residents are encouraged to bring their swim attire for the foam zone. Professional face painting, summer crafts and family lawn games will be available. All participants will receive a 10% off coupon for a summer recreation program. Children can participate in Touch-A-Truck Public Safety and Public Works trucks vehicles. Photo opportunities will be available.

The city is partnering with the **Rohnert Park Chamber of Commerce** to support their annual Business Showcase. Every year, this celebration gives local businesses an opportunity to showcase services and products. It is one of the largest community events in Rohnert Park. Many local businesses will be participating and providing free giveaways and complimentary food samples.

For more information about the event, residents can email the Rohnert Park Chamber of Commerce at **info@rohnertparkchamber.org** or call the Chamber Office at 707-584-1415. Residents can also call the city at 707-588-3456 or visit **www.rpcommunityservices.org**.