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Lee County's Pine Island Community Pool to host free Water Safety Day

Pine Island, FL, May 5, 2016 — The Pine Island Community Pool, in cooperation with the Matlacha/Pine Island Fire District and Lee Memorial Health System, will host Water Safety Day from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. Saturday, May 14, at the pool, 5675 Sesame Drive, Bokeelia.

Admission to the pool is free all day and there are activities planned throughout the event, such as life jacket instruction, reach and throw rescue demonstrations and blood pressure checks.

Guests can also sign up for swimming lessons while at the pool or at www.leegov.com/parks.

Lee County Parks & Recreation has 250 positions, a \$33 million budget and more than 31,500 acres of parks, preserves, facilities and other sites. The department oversees four recreation centers, 10 community centers, community parks, Conservation 20/20 lands, greenways, the Calusa Blueway Paddling Trail, four year-round pools, seven boat ramps, sports complexes including the Boston Red Sox and Minnesota Twins spring training facilities, dog-friendly facilities and pristine Gulf of Mexico beach parks.