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More spooky activities added to teen/adult night for 11th Spooktacular

Sept. 19, 2012— City staff are adding live music and performers along with a Food Truck Bazaar and other vendors to the first night of their annual Spooktacular event this year, calling it Spooktacular Teen Nite. Deltona's premier Halloween event, the 11th Annual Spooktacular will be from 6 to 10 p.m., Oct. 26-27 at the Dewey O. Boster Sports Complex, 1200 Saxon Blvd. 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, a variety of scenes and scares and are not suitable for young children.

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. 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 department of the City of Deltona and numerous volunteers work hard setting up the park, decorating, working the event and cleaning up. 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, Waste Pro, Leaks & Squeaks, Osteen Feed and Quentin L. Hampton Associates Consulting Engineers. We sincerely appreciate everyone's continued support of this event. The estimated attendance for previous Spooktacular events have been over 8,000 and the event continues to grow each year. For more information on Spooktacular, call (386) 878-8500.