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City Participates in World's Largest Swimming Lesson

Harrisonburg, VA – The Parks and Recreation Department is coordinating the city's participation in the World's Largest Swimming Lesson.

On Friday, June 20, members of the community are invited to take part in an event that will hopefully break a Guinness World Record.

Join Parks and Recreation staff, local kids and parents, and others at aquatic facilities across the country to set the record for the largest simultaneous swimming lesson ever conducted.

While this event is something fun, the primary goal is to spread the word of the importance of learning to swim through certified swimming instructions. The theme of this event is, "Swimming Lessons Save Lives."

The event will be held at Westover Pool, which is located at 305 South Dogwood Drive. Registration begins at 10:00 a.m. and the lesson will begin promptly at 11:00 a.m. and last approximately 30 minutes.

More information is available at www.HarrisonburgVA.gov/largest-swimming-lesson.

Those unable to attend this event are still encouraged to sign up for swim lessons with aquatics staff at Westover Pool. For additional information on swim lessons, please call 540-434-0571.

*Who will notify you if an emergency-related event is happening in Harrisonburg or Rockingham County? Sign up to receive free alerts through the **Harrisonburg and Rockingham County Emergency Alert System** by visiting www.HREmergencyAlert.com.*

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