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**FOR MORE INFORMATION**

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**Ice Cream Social offers cold treats for a good cause**

Cool off this summer at the Highlands Ranch Metro District's annual Ice Cream Social with \$2 ice cream and snow cones on Wednesday, July 10 from 6 to 9 p.m. at Civic Green Park, 9370 S. Ridgeline Blvd., Highlands Ranch.

The Ice Cream Social will feature a variety of activities and live entertainment for all ages and abilities. There will be delicious food available for purchase from Mac 'n Noodles, Simply Pizza and Mile High Cajun food trucks. South Metro Fire Rescue perform a live extrication demonstration using their Jaws of Life equipment at 6:45 p.m. and will have additional vehicles on display.

Live entertainment includes:

6:15 p.m. – Paul Borrillo entertainer

6:45 p.m. – South Metro Fire Rescue live extrication demonstration

7:15 p.m. – Swing Shift band

8:15 p.m. – Highlands Ranch Concert Band

The Metro District, South Metro Fire Rescue and Safeway are sponsoring this event. A special thank you to Safeway for donating all of the ice cream, toppings and supplies for the event.

All proceeds from the Ice Cream Social will be donated to Nature's Educators, a Douglas County based non-profit wildlife education organization. All money raised at the event will go towards their animal care budget. Nature's Educators is successfully helping people understand the importance of conservation and preservation through many programs to create respect and understanding for all animals. Visit [natureseducators.org](http://natureseducators.org) or call 720-900-4295 to learn more.

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