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## **15<sup>TH</sup> ANNUAL FAMILY FUN DAY A HUGE SUCCESS!**

**ANNAPOLIS CO., JULY 7, 2010** - This year's annual Raven Haven Family Fun Day attracted the biggest crowd the Park has seen in over 10 years.

On July 3<sup>rd</sup> nearly 500 people gathered at Raven Haven Beachside Family Park to participate in a flurry of activities, enjoy talented performers, and soak up the hot, bright sun.

“The Raven Haven Family Fun Day was a tremendous success” said Annapolis County Warden Peter Newton. “The Annapolis County Recreation Services staff did a wonderful job and I commend them for their hard work and dedication to the event.”

This year's entertainment included the Great TimBeanie performing magic and illusions, as well as making balloon animals. The KidZact Dance Troupe from Yarmouth wowed the crowd with their break dancing skills, and the smooth melodies of Jon Duggan and his guitar entertained the crowds throughout the day.

Accompanying the entertainment were loads of fun activities enjoyed by all ages - carnival games where over 300 prizes were handed out; a sand sculpture contest with 25 participants; a Bounce Kingdom and, of course, the Loonie barbeque which sold over 300 tickets. The winners of the sand sculpture contest were the following teams: 1) Thomas Wood – a police fortress; 2) “The Leaches” – a turtle; and 3) “Mailman-Stone” – a sandcastle.

“Annapolis County Recreation and Raven Haven Beachside Family Park would like to thank everyone who came out and made the 15<sup>th</sup> annual Family Fun Day a roaring success,” remarked Brian Orde, Annapolis County Recreation Programs Coordinator. “And a very special thank you goes out to all of the volunteers and sponsors who were instrumental to the success of this annual event.”

If you would like to learn more about what Raven Haven has to offer please visit [www.annapoliscounty.ns.ca](http://www.annapoliscounty.ns.ca), click on Recreation and then Raven Haven or call 532-7320

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