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## GET WILD ABOUT GLENDALE PARKS AND RECREATION, VISIT THEM ON FACEBOOK AND WIN

**Glendale, Ariz.** — The city of Glendale is joining the National Recreation and Park Association’s (NRPA) “Get Wild” theme for National Parks and Recreation Month this month. Glendale wants everyone to show how wild they are about parks and recreation and take part in the “Get Wild” activities. An added bonus to enjoying these great amenities and resources, parks and recreation is giving away a monthly pass for the Foothills Recreation & Aquatics Center. Simply log on to [www.facebook.com/GlendaleRecreation](http://www.facebook.com/GlendaleRecreation) and click on the contest tab to enter.

The 2012 theme of the “Get Wild” campaign encourages individuals, families, friends and park lovers everywhere to venture to Glendale’s parks and recreation facilities to experience the many benefits they offer, such as programs to inspire healthy, active lifestyles and activities to appreciate nature and the environment.

“Glendale is proud to be a part of National Parks and Recreation month and the NRPA’s ‘Get Wild’ initiative,” said Erik Strunk Glendale Parks, Recreation and Library Services executive director. “Anything we can do to encourage residents – particularly youth – to get active, visit and play in any of the city’s parks, facilities and recreational programs, is a positive step to maintaining a healthy and connected community in Glendale. We want residents and visitors to enjoy their parks and recreation facilities.”

The Glendale community can get wild at a variety of activities and locations including the Foothills Sk8 Court, the dog parks, a cooking class, a social dance and the Sahuaro Ranch Park Historic Area. To learn more about how to get wild in Glendale, see the complete month of activities available at [www.glendaleaz.com/parksandrecreation](http://www.glendaleaz.com/parksandrecreation).

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