



**MIGHTY MUD MANIA '09 PERMISSION SLIP**

Friday, July 17<sup>th</sup>, 2009 from 8:30am to 2 p.m., Mighty Mud Mania will be held at

Chaparral Park, 5401 N. Hayden Road. This is a free event for children aged 1 to 17 years. Children are encouraged to bring a non-perishable food item for donation to the Vista del Camino Food bank (or old eyeglasses for donation to the Lions Club.) The event includes "The Original Mud Obstacle Course," a wacky footrace for 7 to 17 year olds; with obstacles with mud pits as deep as 4 feet, to run, jump and crawl through; a ramp to climb up and over, and a tube dive that children dive through, into a pit of mud. Children could be completely immersed in mud. The "Mini Mud Course" is for children 6 years old and younger and there is also a special "Mudville Town" for tiny tots. Giant waterslides, mud pits, sand castle building, & water play areas, as well as WATER CANNONS are also featured. Children will get muddy and wet in most activities. Park conditions will also be wet and slippery, which can result in falls and physical injury. Children of all ages need a permission slip to participate in the event and activities.

Children will compete against each other in "The Original Mud Obstacle Course" in these groups; 7&8 years, 9&10 years, 11-12 years, and 13-17 years. Ribbons will be awarded to the finishers in each heat. Registration will be 8:30 am - 1:30 p.m. for 7-17 yr olds. The children in each age group, will alternate running through the course with the first races beginning at 8:30am. Children can line up ANY time during that period to run the Original Mud Obstacle Course. Children participating in the event must be present to register. Shoes and shirts must be worn to participate in all Mighty Mud Mania activities. We suggest your child wear old, grubby clothing and old lace up shoes to compete in Mighty Mud Mania since there will be mud pits involved in the races. Please send lunch money with your child; food, soda and snacks will be sold during the event by several vendors. Swimming is available from 11am - 3 p.m. at Chaparral Pool so send a CLEAN swimsuit, towel and sunscreen with your child. Many children will attend this event, so please plan to be patient as you may have to wait in line for the mud courses. *Your child needs your permission to participate in Mighty Mud Mania activities.* Please sign the attached permission slip, and be sure to have your child bring it with you/them to MIGHTY MUD MANIA.

We will also be "going green" at Mighty Mud Mania this year. Recycling containers will be provided and we will be helping to educate participants about the importance of recycling. We encourage you to participate with us in protecting our environment!!

For More Information or if you have questions please Call (480)312-2771 or (480)312-2704

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*Keep the top portion of this form for your information* (please print name/address)

CHILD'S NAME \_\_\_\_\_ AGE \_\_\_\_\_

PARENT'S NAME \_\_\_\_\_ PHONE \_\_\_\_\_

ADDRESS \_\_\_\_\_ ZIP \_\_\_\_\_

I hereby give permission for the above-named child to participate in Mighty Mud Mania. I understand physical injury may occur during participation in this program. By signing below I hereby release and agree to hold harmless the City of Scottsdale and its representatives to the fullest extent allowed by law from any and all claims for personal or bodily injury and property damage occurring or resulting from the above named child's participation. Furthermore, I grant full permission to the City of Scottsdale and all media outlets; national, local, and international; including but not limited to web based publications; covering the event, to use the above named child's likeness participating in this program in perpetuity, in any format, without obligation or liability to said child or his or her parent or guardian.

**Authorization Regarding Medical Assistance**

I hereby authorize the City of Scottsdale staff to obtain any needed medical assistance for my child in case of an emergency, illness, or accident. I understand that any resulting expenses or charges are my responsibility and I will pay them immediately, either directly or through personal insurance.

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_  
Parent or Guardian