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DWR Announces "Catch a Special Thrill" for Kids Event at Silverwood Lake

SACRAMENTO -- The Department of Water Resources, the Department of State Parks, the Department of Boating and Waterways, the Department of Fish and Game, and the C.A.S.T. for Kids Foundation will sponsor a "Catch a Special Thrill" for Kids event on Saturday, October 16, at Silverwood Lake in San Bernardino County.

The event kicks off with breakfast at 8 a.m., followed with fishing from 9 a.m. to 11 a.m. and wrapping up with a BBQ lunch and awards ceremony.

C.A.S.T for Kids events give disabled and disadvantaged young people a day of outdoor adventure. Thirty-five children will receive their own rod, reel and tackle box and get to fish with top anglers from the area while learning about boating safety, ethics of fishing and natural resources.

The kids are from the Down Syndrome of Los Angeles, Inland Region Center, Family Resource Network and Victorville Community Center-Program for the Disabled.

Sponsors include the Rocky Mountain Recreation-Silverwood Lake, Mojave River Natural History Association, Sun Country Bassmasters, Silverwood Lake staff, and Lancaster Masonic Lodge No 437 F.& A.M.

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