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News Release

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Discover Old West at Frontier Days

The Springfield-Greene County Park Board will host its free Frontier Days from 10 a.m. – 4 p.m. on Saturday, July 23, at Rutledge-Wilson Farm Community Park, 3825 W. Farm Road 146. This western celebration includes a variety of activities, games and performances.

Activities include pony rides (\$3 per rider); mechanical bull rides (\$2); a quick draw arcade game (\$2); old time photos (\$2); crafts (\$1); rope making (\$1); corn grinding (\$1); mining for gold (\$1); and much more.

There also will be several informational booths set up to allow children to hear, see and learn about life on the frontier. Booths include a visit by the Nathan Boone Homestead, Sheriff's Mounted Posse of Greene County and others. The Easy Riders Drill Team will perform trick riding at 11 a.m. and 1 p.m.

For Farm Park or program information, visit www.parkboard.org or directly at <http://bit.ly/UGobz> or call 417-837-5949.

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