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Pizza Hut Presents the 4th Annual Pets in the Park

Sunday, July 12, 2009 at Kiwanis Memorial Park, Saskatoon

SASKATOON, June 24th, 2009 -

Mardele Atchison, Honorary Chair of Pets in the Park Committee, wishes to invite you to attend the **4th Annual Pets in the Park** day, which will be held on the riverbank in beautiful Kiwanis Park across from the Sheraton Cavalier Hotel on July 12, 2009 from 9 am to 4 pm.

Pets in the Park is a summer fun event for families and their pets, which raises much needed funds to help thousands of homeless animals who are cared for by New Hope Dog Rescue, the Saskatoon SPCA and SCAT Street Cat Rescue Program.

One of the fastest growing family events in the city, **Pets in the Park** draws thousands of animal lovers to an enjoyable day filled with entertainment, demonstrations, the Saskatoon SPCA's walkathon, food, silent auction, and trade booths, and it is one of the rare public events where leashed pet can join in the festivities.

Activities start at 9 am with baked goods and coffee to greet your morning as you settle in for the music and demonstrations. MC Colleen Wilson from Global Television starts the official Welcome Ceremony at 12 noon on the stage with introductions of sponsors and dignitaries. Throughout the day you will enjoy BBQ thanks to SaskEnergy, demonstrations and informative sessions such as the City of Saskatoon's K9 Unit, a wide variety of simply awesome silent auction items to bid on, and interesting trade booths to browse. There are even "sno cone" treats for the pets to enjoy.

Media representatives are welcome to visit the private sponsorship tent for food and refreshments at all times during this event. There are great photo and interview opportunities!

If you are planning to join us at this event or if you have any questions, please call Nancy Cote at (306) 251-0826 or email at nancycote@sasktel.net.

Thank you for your consideration and your time on behalf of the homeless animals of Saskatoon.

Nancy Cote
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