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U.S Army Corps of Engineers host Boating and Water Safety Fair at Lewisville Lake

FORT WORTH, Texas-- To Kick off National Safe Boating Week the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers, Texas Parks and Wildlife Department, U.S. Coast Guard Auxiliary and other water safety organizations will host a Boating and Water Safety Fair May 22 from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. at Westlake Park on Lewisville Lake.

The Coast Guard Auxiliary will be conduct courtesy vessel safety checks from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. USACE and other agencies will host shoreline games and activities for all ages from noon to 4 p.m.

The fair is open to the public, all boaters along with friends and family members who enjoy water recreation are encouraged attend.

For interested members of the media, Park Rangers and Game Wardens will be available to answer questions and take media representatives on boat rides to observe water patrols from 2 p.m. to 3 p.m.

For more information on the fair call Dorie Murphy, Community Resource Coordinator at (469) 645-9075

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About the Fort Worth District: The Fort Worth District, U.S. Army Corps of Engineers was established in 1950. The District is responsible for water resources development in two-thirds of Texas, and design and construction at military installations in Texas and parts of Louisiana and New Mexico. Visit the Fort Worth District Web site at: www.swf.usace.army.mil.