



Rain, Rain Don't Go Away!

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OF COURSE IT RAINS....THIS IS THE PACIFIC NORTHWEST!!!

SO, WHAT DO YOU DO????

STAY INSIDE....YOU'VE GOTTA BE KIDDING???

When someone coined the phrase, "The Great Outdoors", they must have been talking about Oregon!

An opportunity is coming up, to to play in the rain! In fact, that's what it's called; it's the 3rd annual Play in the Rain Day.

Over 1,000 people are expected, on Saturday, November 20, from 10 am to 3pm. It may rain, so dress for the weather!

It will be held at the Mt. Pisgah Arboretum, at the White Oak Pavilion.

Organizers of the Youth in Partnership program are presenting the free family event for kids of all ages. Activities will include tree climbing, horses, nature crafts, hikes, hay rides, campfire cookery, a visit from Smokey Bear, native plant identification, fire by friction demonstrations, archery and more!

Youth in Nature Partnership, comprised of governmental and non-profit organizations, including Northwest Youth Corps, Friends of Buford Park and Mt. Pisgah, Mount Pisgah Arboretum, the US Forest Service, U. S. Bureau of Land Management, WREN, Nearby Nature, Willamalane Park and Recreation, and the City of Eugene have joined forces to form the Youth in Nature Partnership.

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