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TREES, COMMUNITY, EARTH – ARBORFEST 2012

Hailey is celebrating Arbor Day bigger and better than ever! May 5th, 2012 is the first annual ArborFest celebrating "Trees, Community, Earth & Art". Activities include free tree seedlings, expert advice from local arborists, a visit from Smokey Bear, a bouncy forest, local art displays, musical performances and the inaugural ArborFest MudRun!

The day kicks off at 10 a.m. with “Right Tree, Right Place” presented by Craig Westling. The morning also features the bouncy forest, face painting, free tree seedlings and “Ask an Arborist”. Musical performances start at 11 a.m. At Noon, Mayor Haemmerle will issue the “Arbor Day Proclamation”.

The first annual “ArborFest MudRun” will begin at 12:30 p.m. with categories for teams and solo competitors of all ages. The race is free this year and features various obstacles such as hay bales, wall climbs and, of course, mud crawls! There will be a place to wash off and warming tents available for participants.

ArborFest is a great community event for all ages put together by the City of Hailey Tree Commission. For more information please call 788-3484.

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