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1st Annual Summer Concert Series to be held June 24 – September 2

BIG BEAR LAKE, CA – In partnership with the Big Bear Discovery Center, the City of Big Bear Lake is pleased to announce a first-ever concert series to be held this summer. Entitled “Music in the Mountains”, concert dates include June 24, July 1, July 15, August 5, August 26 and September 2, from 2 – 4 p.m. at Veterans Park, located at Big Bear Blvd. and Knickerbocker. Concerts are free to the public and gates open at noon. This family-friendly event will feature artists from genres of Top 40, jazz, soft rock, celtic/folk, western and soft blues.

Free raffles for fun merchandise will be held. Soft drinks and snacks will be available for purchase. However, no alcohol or coolers will be permitted in the park. Limited parking is available on site. Additional parking can be found across from the park at First Mountain Bank (after 1 p.m.) or at the Bartlett Public Lot (behind Visitors Center). Kathleen Smith, Interim City Manager, stated, “We are excited about the opportunity to host a first-ever summer concert series for the Big Bear Valley and hope residents and visitors alike will join us for a fun-filled time.” Concert line-up is as follows:

<u>Date</u>	<u>Group</u>	<u>Style</u>
June 24	Reckless Driver	Top 40
July 1	Catz in the Hatz	Jazz
July 15	Annlynn	Soft Rock
August 5	Wake the Bard	Celtic/Folk
August 26	Cody Bryant	Western
September 2	Common Ground	Soft Blues

The City of Big Bear Lake is a four-season resort located in the heart of the San Bernardino National Forest, approximately 30 miles northeast of San Bernardino. The City serves a population of 6,500 residents and covers a 6.95 square mile area on the west end of Big Bear Lake's south shore. Recreation is offered year-round, including skiing, boating, fishing, camping, hiking, golf and fine dining. Visit us at www.citybigbearlake.com

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