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“Fourth Annual Adaptive Sailing Summer Therapy Program”

Trimming the sails for success.

Kansas City, MO (June 26, 2014) Rehabilitation Institute of Kansas City (RIKC) and Weatherby Lake Yacht Club are teaming up to provide adolescents attending RIKC Summer Therapy Program and Day Program an opportunity to learn and practice sailing techniques while working towards their therapy goals. Participants will enjoy a day of sun and fun while therapy focuses on arm coordination, visual scanning, problem-solving, balance skills and mobility over different terrains. Volunteers from RIKC, Weatherby Lake Yacht Club, and PetPartners will be in attendance assisting “guest sailors” down to the docks and onto the boats.

RIKC has proudly partnered with Weatherby Lake Yacht Club for the Adaptive Sailing Program since 2011.

Who: Rehabilitation Institute of Kansas City along with Weatherby Lake Yacht Club

What: Fourth Annual Adaptive Sailing Summer Therapy Program

Where: Weatherby Lake Yacht Club, C Point pavilion. To access the gate call Greg Carlile at 816.820.6766 (9800 NW 77th Terrace, Weatherby Lake, MO 64152)

When: Thursday, June 26, 2014 from 1:00pm – 4:00pm

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About Weatherby Lake Yacht Club

The Weatherby Lake Yacht Club (WLYC) is the largest social organization at Weatherby Lake, Missouri, with many different activities for its members. The club’s mission is to foster an appreciation for the sport of sailing. The WLYC has very active sailing programs.

The WLYC was started in 1966 as The Sailing Club. In 1988 the name was changed to The Yacht Club. Membership is open to anyone who is a resident or property owner at Weatherby Lake.

Greg Carlile: 816.820.6766

Website: <http://www.weatherbylakeyc.org/>

About Rehabilitation Institute of Kansas City

Rehabilitation Institute of Kansas City (RIKC) is the leading outpatient medical and vocational rehabilitation service provider in the Greater Kansas City area. Since 1947, RIKC continues to help children and adults with disabilities live more independent and enriching lives in the community. Voted #1 for Best Nonprofit Category in the 2012 Pitch's "Best of Kansas City" issue, RIKC strives for and achieves excellent measurable outcomes and services that impact those who have experienced debilitating conditions such as stroke, brain injury, amputation, or developmental disability.

Website: www.rehabkc.org

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