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Re: Wake County to Participate in 2016 Camp Celebrate

The media is invited to cover the kickoff to Camp Celebrate 2016 **on Friday, May 20**, at Triangle Town Center. Nearly 100 fire engines from across the state, including agencies representing Wake County Fire Services, will escort young burn patients to Camp Kanata for a weekend of fun.

The campers will begin arriving at the mall's parking lot at noon, with the convoy to the camp beginning at 3 p.m. Triangle Town Center is located at 5959 Triangle Town Blvd. in Raleigh.

The highlight for the children will be the "Fire Truck Parade," during which all the fire engines will travel down U.S. 1 North (Capital Boulevard), then turn onto Highway 98 in Wake Forest to arrive at its destination, Camp Kanata.

Camp Celebrate is a weekend-long camp for children ages 7-15 who have suffered burn injuries. Camp Celebrate is held each year at the YMCA's Camp Kanata in Wake Forest. Camp Celebrate began in 1982 to bring joy and commeraderie to a group of young burn patients at the North Carolina Jaycee Burn Center.

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