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Lompoc Holds Annual Easter Egg Hunt *Event at River Park also features free face painting and petting zoo*

LOMPOC, CA, March 6, 2017 – The Lompoc Recreation Division in collaboration with the Lompoc Kiwanis Club invites the community to Lompoc’s Annual Easter Egg Hunt on **Sat. April 15**.

The free festivities will be held in the American Legion Area at River Park, Highway 246 and Sweeney Road.

The Shrine Clowns of Lompoc will be on hand to entertain, Camp Fire USA will provide games, and the MOMS Club of Lompoc will be offering free face painting. This year there will also be a free petting zoo. In addition, Kiwanis Club of Lompoc will be selling hot dogs, soda and chips for a nominal fee.

Participants are asked to **bring their own basket or bag** to collect chocolate eggs. If everyone uses their good manners, the Easter Bunny might even make an appearance for photo opportunities.

To ensure the safety of all participants, hunt times will be divided by age groups as follows:

Ages 3 & Under.....	10:00 am & 11:00 am
Ages 4 – 5.....	10:15 am & 11:15 am
Ages 6 – 8	10:30 am & 11:30 am
Ages 9 – 12.....	10:45 am & 11:45 am

Questions regarding this year’s Easter Egg Hunt should be directed to the Lompoc Recreation Division at 875-8100.

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City of Lompoc

The City of Lompoc, known as “The City of Arts and Flowers”, was founded as a town in 1874 and incorporated as a city on Aug. 13, 1888. Prior to the City’s establishment, the building of La Purisima Mission in 1787 marked the earliest European settlement in the Lompoc Valley. Growth in the Lompoc Valley was sparked by the 1901 completion of the coastal railroad between San Francisco and Los Angeles, which included the extension of a spur into Lompoc. The Lompoc Valley is home to Vandenberg Air Force Base, the first missile base of the United States Air Force. Today, the City of Lompoc is a travel destination known for its downtown mural program, local wines and acclaimed cuisine, historic landmarks, parks and nearby beaches. For more information, visit:

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