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Metro Family Day is April 17 at Six Flags Magic Mountain.

Metro Store, Divisions Selling Tickets for Metro Family Day

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(Feb. 2, 2010) The sixth annual Metro Family Day is fast approaching and is sure to break all attendance – and fun – records.

The April 17 event at Six Flags Magic Mountain is expected to draw as many as 5,000 Metro employees and family members who “will have the opportunity to get together with friends and colleagues and have a great time at a great location,” said Danielle Boutier, Metro Director of Communications Services.

One of the most popular events on the agency’s calendar, Metro Family Day was first held in 2005 with about 1,500 attendees. This year, the number of attendees is expected to more than triple with a pool of 5,000 tickets ready to evaporate well in advance.

“The cost of \$18 per adult or child ticket is a genuine bargain,” said Boutier. Each ticket not only grants admission to all the rides at the theme park, but an all-you-can-eat buffet lunch and entertainment including a family photo at the Kodak Kiosk.

“We have a good working relationship with the people at Six Flags and we worked together with them to get the very best possible entertainment package for our

Hot Tix: Special allotments of tickets for Metro Family Day 2010 will be sold – cash only - while supplies last at each of the divisions listed below at the specified dates and times:

- Division 11, Feb. 3, 10 a.m. – 3 p.m.
- Division 18, Feb. 8, 10 a.m. – 3 p.m.
- Division 1, Feb. 10, 10 a.m. – noon
- Division 2, Feb. 10, 1 p.m. – 3 p.m.
- Division 9, Feb. 17, 10 a.m. – 3 p.m.
- Division 22, Feb. 22, 10 a.m. – 3 p.m.
- Division 8, Feb. 24, 10 a.m. – 3 p.m.
- ROC, March 1, 10 a.m. - noon
- Division 4, March 1, 1 p.m. – 3 p.m.
- CSC Baldwin Hills, March 3, 10 a.m. – 11 p.m.
- CSC Wilshire Blvd., March 3, 12 p.m. – 1 p.m.
- CSC East Los Angeles, March 3, 2 p.m. – 3 p.m.
- Division 10, March 8, 10 a.m. – noon
- Division 21, March 8, 1 p.m. - 3 p.m.
- Division 15, March 10, 10 a.m. – 3 p.m.
- Division 3, March 15, 10 a.m. – Noon
- Division 20, March 15, 1 p.m. – 3 p.m.

employees," she said, adding that the cost of each ticket above and beyond the basic \$18 price was paid for by Metro through its Employee Activities Fund.

Division 6, March 17, 10 a.m. – 3 p.m.
Division 7, March 22, 10 a.m. – 3 p.m.
Division 5, March 24, 10 a.m. – 3 p.m.

On Metro Family Day, the park will be open from 10:30 a.m. to 10 p.m., with lunch served in the park’s Picnic Area beginning at 11:30, where Metro employees will have access until 3:30 p.m.

A limited number of tickets are now available in the Metro Store on the Plaza Level of the Gateway Building through April 9 until they’re sold out. The Metro Store is open Monday through Friday from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. and is closed for lunch from 12:30 p.m. to 1:30 p.m.

Children under the age of 2 are free and there is a limit of five tickets per employee. No tickets will be sold on the day of the event and a Metro employee badge is required for purchase.