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Stone Mountain Park announced as headline sponsor for Groovin' on the Green summer concert series

First concert features Tobi Lee w/ Mustang Sally on June 19

(May 28, 2020) LOGANVILLE, Ga. – While the first concert had to be re-scheduled, the Groovin' on the Green concert series will kick off June 19 as Tobi Lee with Mustang Sally take over the Town Green beginning at 7:30 p.m.

This will be the eighth season of the City of Loganville's summer concert series, which this year welcomes its first headline sponsor: Stone Mountain Park.

"Stone Mountain Park is pleased to support the 2020 Groovin' on the Green concerts and looks forward to a safe and entertaining summer series," said Bill Stephens, CEO of the Stone Mountain Memorial Association, a State of Georgia Authority charged with managing the state-owned park. "Georgians are eager to get outdoors and mingle safely with friends and family. This concert series provides just that opportunity."

Stone Mountain Park is Georgia's most popular attraction and features a wide variety of family activities. Located on 3,400 acres of natural beauty just east of Atlanta, the Park offers a wide variety of activities for over 3 million visitors each year. For more information, visit www.stonemountainpark.org

While Stone Mountain Park is the headline sponsor, the concert series would not be offered free to the public without additional support from the local business community. Other sponsors for this year's event include Advanced Disposal, Piedmont Walton Hospital, Women's Health and Wellness Clinic of Walton, Precision Planning, Eastside Medical Center, The Retreat at Loganville, Reliant Homes, Bank OZK, Lee's Collision Center, Maxie Price Chevrolet, Athens Orthopedic Clinic, The Walton Tribune, Peach State Federal Credit Union, Latham Home Sanitation, Legacy State Bank, Ginny's Custom Embroidery and Creekside Dentistry.

The Groovin' on the Green concert series usually takes place the third Friday of each month, May through September. The Swingin' Medallions were scheduled to kick off the concert series for the second year in a row but the show was re-scheduled for July 31.

Other concert dates include Band X on July 17, the Jimmy Buffet tribute band A1A on Aug. 21, and Electric Avenue: The 80s MTV Experience, rounds out the series on Sept. 18.

"Normally, the concert series is part of a busy slate of events in May for us. But we canceled all of the events for May and kept our fingers crossed we would be able to have some events in June," said Kristy Daniel, events and marketing director for the City of Loganville. "As state guidelines lessened and people emerged from the sheltered life created by COVID-19, we felt doing the concert series would be an opportunity for us to help ease back into whatever will be a normal way of life moving forward."

Officials will be asking those who come to the outdoor concerts to respect any health and social distancing guidelines that may remain in place. Beer and wine are permitted at the Town Green and food vendors will be on site. Those interested in attending are encouraged to bring a lawn chair or blanket. For up to date information, make sure to follow City of Loganville Events on Facebook.