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Adaptive Adventures Receives El Pomar Foundation Grant to Fund Adaptive Sports and Recreation Programs.

(Evergreen, Colorado) Adaptive Adventures announced today that it has received a \$5,000 El Pomar Grant to support its year-round adaptive sports and recreation programs and to enhance programs and recreational opportunities for recently injured soldiers from the Global War on terrorism. Adaptive Adventures works in cooperation with the Walter Reed Army Hospital, the Brook Army Medical Center, and the Wounded Warrior Disabled Sports Project to provide programs to help soldiers and their families adjust to life after a traumatic, life-altering injury.

Adaptive Adventures provides progressive sports and recreation opportunities for children and adults with physical disabilities, offering year-round outdoor programming that brings the programs to the people in many locations. Some of the primary program areas include: alpine and Nordic skiing; handcycling and adaptive cycling; waterskiing, paddling, kayaking, and rafting; and adaptive sports for kids (ASK) programs specifically for youth with physical challenges as well as community education and information outreach programs.

El Pomar Foundation is one of the largest and oldest private foundations in the Rocky Mountain Region. Founded in 1937 by Spencer and Julie Penrose, the Colorado Springs based foundation, contributes over \$25 million annually to Colorado nonprofits in the areas of health, human service, education, arts and humanities and civic and community stewardship initiatives.

Mr. Berman, Executive Director of Adaptive Adventures is excited to be partnering with the El Pomar Foundation, “the Foundation has helped countless Coloradans improve their quality of life. With this grant Adaptive Adventures can continue its mission to provide adaptive sports and recreation programs that foster self-esteem, improve health and quality of life for our participants”.

For more information about Adaptive Adventures, call 303/679-2770 or visit www.adaptiveadventures.org

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