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***Good Vibrations* - WonderWorks Orlando New Exhibit on Earthquakes
Named by Teachers during Teacher Appreciation Month**

ORLANDO, Florida – (May 13, 2021) – WonderWorks Orlando has an array of exhibits that help educate people about science. And it's latest exhibit on earthquakes called Good Vibrations, opens May 28th. Good Vibrations will spotlight Tuckaleechee Caverns, and how they document seismic activity around the world. The new exhibit was a topic request from educators, so it seemed appropriate that they also name the exhibit. Teachers are invited to see this exhibit for free during WonderWorks Teacher Appreciation Month celebration.

"This is a fascinating new exhibit about earthquakes and all types of tectonic movement around the globe," says Brian Wayne, general manager of WonderWorks Orlando. "It's a great time for teachers to stop in and check it out and enjoy some time exploring all we have to offer."

The Tuckaleechee Caverns are located deep under the Smoky Mountains, in Townsend, Tenn. People can visit the caverns, but they also play an important role in the safety of our country. They have the most sensitive seismic station on Earth, accurately and precisely tracking tectonic movement all around the planet. The information collected includes activity from earthquakes and even when nuclear weapons are being tested.

Once the information is collected, it is quickly transmitted directly to the Department of Defense; Geneva, Switzerland; and Vienna, Austria. The information is obtained and shared so quickly that it's passed on within 300^{ths} of a millisecond. Visitors will learn about the important natural wonder that gathers so much information around the world.

Good Vibrations meets educational standards for learning about earthquakes and seismic activity. As a way to celebrate teachers and support staff during Teacher Appreciation Month, both teachers and support staff will receive free admission during May 2021 by showing a valid school ID. Additionally, up to four of their accompanying guests will receive 50% off admission.

"We are excited to invite teachers, support staff, and their families this month, as well as others, to check out the new Earthquake exhibit," added Wayne. "This exhibit will surprise you and make you want to plan a trip to the Tuckaleechee Caverns."

Additional on-site and community programs include the WonderWorks WonderKids event, virtual learning labs, FLO-Art Florida Youth Art Gallery, science fair partnerships, online science information and worksheets and a homeschool program. WonderWorks Orlando also offers various STEM activities, including virtual learning labs, on-site exhibits, activities and more. To learn more about the programs offered at WonderWorks Orlando, visit the site: <https://www.wonderworksonline.com/orlando>.

To get additional information about Teacher Appreciation Month, visit the site at: <https://www.wonderworksonline.com/orlando/teacher-appreciation/>.

Due to the continued county-wide mask restriction in Orlando, guests will need to bring one with them or buy one upon arrival. WonderWorks has COVID-19 safety protocols, including reduced capacity and hours, enhanced cleaning efforts, social distancing measures, hand sanitizer stations, employee health screenings and employee personal protective equipment (PPE). Guests are encouraged to review all safety rules before their visit on the webpage devoted to COVID-19: <https://www.wonderworksonline.com/orlando/covid-19>.

About WonderWorks

WonderWorks, the upside-down adventure, is a science-focused indoor amusement park for the mind that holds something unique and exciting for visitors of all ages. Guests enter through an upside-down lobby with the ceiling at their feet and the ground above their head and must pass through an inversion tunnel to turn right side up. There are three floors of nonstop "edu-tainment," with over 100 hands-on and interactive exhibits that serve a STEM educational purpose to challenge the mind and spark the imagination. WonderWorks Orlando is also home to The Outta Control Magic Comedy Dinner Show. WonderWorks is located in Orlando, Pigeon Forge, Myrtle Beach, Panama City Beach, Syracuse and Branson. For more information, visit the site <https://www.wonderworksonline.com/orlando/>.

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