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ValleyCats Baseball's 'Bark in the Park' June 25 To Feature Commission for the Blind & Visually Handicapped

The Commission for the Blind & Visually Handicapped (CBVH) is happy to be partnering with the Tri-City ValleyCats on Monday, June 25, for "Bark in the Park." Game start is 7 p.m. at Bruno Stadium, Hudson Valley Community College campus, Troy, against the Lowell (Mass.) Spinners.

Arrive early for a pre-game demonstration of guide dog training, courtesy of Guiding Eyes for the Blind. Also, stop by the CBVH informational booth to learn more about the rehabilitation and training services that CBVH offers to legally blind individuals throughout the state. Also, for this game only, fans are invited to bring their dogs to the park.

To learn more about CBVH, which is part of the New York State Office of Children and Family Services, visit www.ocfs.state.ny.us. For more information on Guiding Eyes for the Blind, headquartered in Westchester County, visit www.guidingeyes.org. The non-profit organization, founded in 1954, has graduated more than 7,000 guide dog teams, enriching the lives of blind and visually impaired individuals by providing them with freedom to travel safely.

The ValleyCats, affiliated with the Houston Astros, is a member of the 14-team New York – Penn League. It includes the Lowell Spinners, affiliated with the Boston Red Sox. For tickets, go to www.tcvalleycats.com, call (518) 629-CATS, or visit the Joseph L. Bruno Stadium Box Office.

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