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MEDIA RELEASE

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RAINFORESTATION TO HOST 40TH BIRTHDAY CELEBRATION

Rainforestation Nature Park, located in Kuranda, will be celebrating its 40th birthday in style, with The Big 40 x 4 party on Saturday 30th July.

The joint celebration not only marks the 40th birthday, but also the beginning of what would become The CaPTA Group, and the anniversary of Charles and Pip Woodward's venture into the tourism industry, as well as 40 years of fun and frivolity.

Over 200 people are expected to attend the party, including politicians, members of the tourism industry, suppliers and partners, and long-term staff of Rainforestation Nature Park.

CaPTA Group Chairman Charles Woodward said the party was an opportunity for Rainforestation and the Woodward family to celebrate and thank the region for its support, as well as highlight the progress the park has made across the years.

"We are very proud of our 40 years in the tourism industry and the success we have found over this time," he said.

"It hasn't always been easy - we've endured the pilot strike and the Global Financial Crisis, and the landscape of tourism has changed, but we've always been able to evolve and adapt to stay relevant to our visitors."

CaPTA Group Director of Sales & Marketing, Ben Woodward, said growing up at Rainforestation was a unique childhood experience.

"I have very fond memories of growing up at the park with my brothers, and it is exciting to look back to where it started and what it has become today."

Rainforestation Nature Park has grown significantly in its lifetime, with key milestones including the Army Duck tours commencing in 1976, the Pamagirri Aboriginal Experience opening in 1993 and the Koala & Wildlife Park opening in 1993.

Guests of the party will be able to take a trip down memory lane, with old photographs and footage on display from the last forty years.

Rainforestation Nature Park has three unique attractions all on one site: Amphibious Army Duck Tours of the rainforest, the Pamagirri Aboriginal Experience, and the Koala & Wildlife Park. Rainforestation is situated on the Kennedy Highway, 5 minutes from Kuranda Village, and 30 minutes from Cairns.

For more information or to arrange an interview or media opportunity, please contact CaPTA Communications Officer Caitlin Williams on (07) 4041 9417 or 0437 724 529.

