

Mayor's Message

July 2010

Summer is here once again, and once again there are many great things to do around Lincoln Park.

Continuing with our commitment to provide healthy, fun and safe things for you and your children to do in town, we have made some great improvements to our Community Lake. First is that the playground and pavilion at the lake will now be available for all residents to use from Labor Day through Memorial Day when the beach is closed for swimming. During the summer when the beach is open for swimming, membership will be required. Lake membership continues to be among the most affordable in the area at \$25.00 for a single and \$50.00 for a family. Following up on last year's addition of the water trampoline, floating dock, kayaks and paddle boats; this year we will be adding a large water slide. Funding for this addition along with many of the previous equipment purchases is from a very kind private donation from a bighearted Lincoln Park resident. We also anticipate having several evening social functions for adults throughout the summer at the lake.

Remember that following many resident requests last year, use of the lake has been expanded to allow non-motorized water craft. This is only available for residents of Lincoln Park and your boat must be registered with the town. For lake members, the kayaks and paddle boats are available for rental during days the lake is open.

I am happy to inform you that the Fourth of July Fireworks celebration held at the LP Nursing home last year will again take place this year. This year, the fireworks will take place on Sunday, July 4th. Parking and transportation to the event will be available at several borough facilities. Please watch for further details or sign up for the borough's email newsgroup service.

The Lincoln Park Emergency Services, the volunteers of our two fire companies and the EMS squad, are running their third annual carnival. The carnival will be held on Boro Field at the Municipal Complex from July 13th through the 17th. Please come out and support the dedicated men and women of our Emergency Services...and have some fun!

Please remember that this time of the year also means school is out, which means more children out playing, and more adults out exercising or enjoying the weather. Please always be aware of pedestrians, bicycle riders, runners, mopeds and motorcycles. It's always a good idea to look twice and save a life.

Make sure to sign up for the free newsgroup service offered by the borough to keep current with information and events. Go to the main page of www.lincolnpark.org and click on the box that says "Join Our Newsgroup" located about midway down the home page.

Have a fun, safe and healthy summer!