



Cincinnati Park Board

MEDIA RELEASE

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WHAT: Public Invited to Celebration of Owls' Nest Park Redevelopment Project
Ribbon Cutting Ceremony followed by "Everybody's Backyard Picnic"
Come for Fun, Food, Baseball and More!!

WHEN: July 15, 2010 6:00 p.m. until 8:30 p.m.

Ribbon Cutting Ceremony (Fairfax Avenue entrance) 6:00 p.m.

Vice Mayor Roxanne Qualls will lead the ribbon cutting ceremony, joined by community leaders from Evanston, East Walnut Hills and O'Bryonville; Park Board officials and project donors including the Cincinnati Reds Community Fund.

Immediately following the ceremony— Kids gather at the ball field for clinics with Knothole coaches and Reds Community Fund.

Everybody's Backyard Picnic 6:30 p.m.-8:30 p.m.

Bring a picnic dinner.....free hotdogs and drinks while they last.
Bring a chair or blanket and enjoy the free Park Concert by the UC Community Band
Clowns giving away balloon animals....Face Painting...Nature Camp Activities...Stilt Walker

WHERE: Owls' Nest Park is located in Evanston and O'Bryonville
1984 Madison Road

Parking - On street parking, plus parking lot available at the Academy of World Languages School, 2030 Fairfax Avenue

ABOUT THE OWLS' NEST PARK RENOVATION

An amazing transformation has taken place at Owls Nest Park along Fairfax Avenue in Evanston. The Owls' Nest Park Advisory Council community group spearheaded the development of a new master plan for the park and led private fundraising efforts. The Park renovation project ties together the Fairfax Avenue and Madison Road sides of Owls' Nest Park with new walkways, landscape and lighting, a new ball field, and a basketball shooting court.

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Get in on the Secret - Free Music, Movies and More in Cincinnati Parks!

Cincinnati Parks are the best kept entertainment secret in the region, according to NKU's annual entertainment survey. Willie F. Carden, Director of Parks, invites everyone to "get in on the secret, and enjoy a summer "Day-cation" in a Cincinnati Park in your neighborhood. Visit Owls' Nest or any of our 75 parks or 5 nature centers to take a walk, enjoy a picnic. For a listing of free park concerts, outdoor movies, nature next door camps and more, visit our website calendar for dates, times and directions at www.cincinnati-parks.com/parks-events/.

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