



Village of Lake in the Hills Press Release

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Discounted Great America Tickets!

Plan a special day of fun for your family this summer. Stop by the Lake in the Hills Parks & Recreation Department for discounted Great America tickets. You save over \$20 off the Main Gate ticket price by purchasing your tickets here. It's really two parks for one admission when you take advantage of Hurricane Harbor...and no waiting in line! New this year at the park is the Dark Knight indoor coaster!

Lake Use Tags

The Lake in the Hills Parks & Recreation Department now has Lake Use Tags available for purchase. Resident fee is \$40, non-resident fee is \$60. Seniors of Lake in the Hills pay the discounted rate of \$30. Tags are valid for both Indian Trail Beach and Butch Hagele Beach.

Beach Openings

The Indian Trail Beach officially opens for the summer season on May 31. Though open from sunrise to sunset, it will be guarded only between the hours of 10 a.m. and 6 p.m. This beach features paddle boat rentals. Only \$6 per half hour or \$11 per hour! Bathroom facilities, picnic shelter, children's play area, and vending machine are also available. Butch Hagele Beach gates open May 24. Though open from sunrise to sunset, it will be guarded only between the hours of 11 a.m. and 5 p.m.

***Sand Castle Contest**

The Lake in the Hills Parks & Recreation Department invites you to join us opening day May 31 at Indian Trail Beach, 228 Indian Trail, for our annual Sand Castle Building contest from 1-2 p.m. There is no fee to enter and prizes will be awarded for both first and second place.

Beginner Baton Twirling

Twirl into fun this summer with a baton class available through the Parks & Recreation Department of Lake in the Hills. You'll be guided through basic twirling skills and light dance steps by instructor Nicole Hendricks, former Miss Majorette of Illinois and America. The 5-8 year old class meets Tuesday,

June 3, from 4-4:45 p.m., while the 9-13 year old class meets from 5-5:45 p.m. *Resident fee is \$60, non-resident fee \$70. There is also a materials fee due to the instructor on the first day of class (\$55 for performance team or \$20 for basic instruction only.)*

***Hershey's Track & Field Game Day**

The Lake in the Hills Parks & Recreation Department invites you to join in the fun on Saturday, June 7, beginning at 10 a.m. for the Hershey's Track & Field Game Day. This event, held at Lundahl Middle School, 560 Nash Rd., Crystal Lake, is all about introducing children to physical fitness through fun, healthy activities like running, jumping, and throwing. The program strives to encourage children to reach their potential and develop a sense of accomplishment. This event is **FREE**; however, **pre-registration is required and must be done by June 4, 2008 (no race-day registration accepted)**. Volunteers for this event are also in need. If interested, please contact Trevor at the Parks & Recreation Department 847-960-7469.

American Red Cross Life Guard Training

Become an American Red Cross certified Lifeguard this summer through the Lake in the Hills Parks & Recreation Department. This course includes certification and training in lifeguard rescues and techniques, CPR for the professional rescuer, blood borne pathogens, first aid, and automated external defibrillator. Participants must be at least 15 years of age by the last day of the course and meet all prerequisites. Please contact the Parks & Recreation Department at 847-960-7460 or refer to our summer brochure online at www.lith.org for course details. Training is on Friday, June 6, from 4-10 p.m. and both Saturday and Sunday, June 7 & 8, from 8 a.m. until 8 p.m. *Resident fee \$180, non-resident fee \$190.*

Mom & Tot Gift Making

Don't know what to get Dad for Father's Day? The Parks & Recreation Department of Lake in the Hills and Handmade on Main have the perfect gift idea. Create a one-of-a-kind clock! Tots paint the ceramic clock and add their handprint for that personal touch. All supplies are provided. Class meets at Handmade on Main, 320 S. Main St., Algonquin, Saturday, June 7, from 11 a.m.- Noon. *Resident fee \$17, non-resident fee \$21.*

***9th Annual Splish, Splash, 5K Dash**

The Lake in the Hills Parks & Recreation Department's 9th Annual Splish, Splash, 5K Dash is fast approaching! Race day is Saturday, June 14, 7:00 a.m. at Indian Trail Beach, 228 Indian Trail, Lake in the Hills. Water lovers will enjoy the opportunity to swim in the open waters of Woods Creek Lake. With distances of 200 yard, 500 yard, 1 mile, and 2 mile swims, there is something for every level of

athlete. For those who want an added challenge, follow up your swim with a 5K run! *Early registration fee (before 6/9) is \$20 per person. Beginning 6/9 and after, fees are \$25 per person.*

***2nd Annual Triathlon**

The Lake in the Hills Parks & Recreation Department will host their 2nd Annual Triathlon on Saturday, July 19. Registration is now being accepted at www.lith.org and is limited to the first 400 athletes. The race fee through 6/1/08 is \$45 and increases to \$55 as of 6/2/08. This challenging event begins with a ½-mile swim followed by a 15-mile bike ride and ends with a 4-mile run. The race starts at 6:30 a.m. from Indian Trail Beach, 228 Indian Trail, Lake in the Hills, IL

Summer Camp

The Lake in the Hills Parks & Recreation Department's FuntastiCAMP, in its new location at Chesak Elementary, 10910 Reed Road, is the ultimate authority in summer friendships and fun! There is still availability in most Full-day, Half-day and Nomad camps; but space is limited and registration is on a first-come, first-serve basis. This primarily outdoor program includes weekly themes/parties, swimming at Woods Creek Lake, one field trip per session, sports, games, crafts, and tons of fun! Our energetic, experienced counselors ensure your children are safe, happy, and entertained all summer long. Please stop by or call the Parks & Recreation Department (847) 960-7460 or visit our website at www.lith.org for more details.

The (*) symbol indicated that a program is considered special or a one-time event.

Registration for all programs takes place at Village Hall,
600 Harvest Gate, Lake in the Hills or call (847) 960-7460. Check out our website at www.lith.org