

# Advertising + Sponsorship Opportunities

Engage thousands of potential customers through the Park District of Oak Park.





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The Park District of Oak Park, created in 1912, serves the recreational needs of the 53,000 residents of Oak Park, providing nearly 8,000 recreation programs and special events annually.



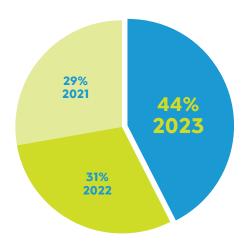
Our Mission: The mission of the Park District of Oak Park is to enrich lives by providing meaningful experiences through our programs, parks, and play. From new facilities and park renovations to engaging with teens to collaborating with community partners, the Park District of Oak Park proudly serves the Oak Park Community.



- 95% of the youth
- •63% of children under age 5
- •Over 40% of teens
- · Approximately 19% of adults
- Approximately 9% of seniors

## % of Households Served is Growing

With the addition of the Community Recreation Center, the Park District now serves almost half (44%) of Oak Park households compared to 2022 and 2021 (31% and 29% respectively).



# How We Serve

Overseen by a Board of five elected officials, the Park District owns and operates a multitude of parks, centers and special facilities, including:

- 18 parks totaling 84 acres of parkland
- 7 neighborhood park recreation centers
- 1 Active Adult Center at Dole Center
- 3 historic properties: Cheney Mansion, Pleasant Home, and Oak Park Conservatory
- 2 outdoor swimming pools: Rehm and Ridgeland Common
- 1 indoor, year-round ice rink: Paul Hruby Ice Arena
- 1 Gymnastics & Recreation Center
- 1 Environmental Education Center at Austin Gardens
- 1 (42,000 sq. ft.) Community Recreation Center



#### **CONNECT WITH YOUR COMMUNITY**

Explore Advertising and Sponsorship Opportunities with the Park District of Oak Park!

#### Seasonal Events - Sponsor an event and connect with your community!

Santa Trolley

Doggie Egg Scramble

Egg Hunt

Unplug Illinois

Movies in the Park

**Summer Concerts** 

Fall Fest

Frank Lloyd Wright Races

Trunk or Treat

Fright at Night

and more!



## Program Guides - Reach over 25,000 households by advertising in our guide(s)!

Spring/Summer Fall/ Winter

Or both seasons!





## Parks & Facilities - Advertise on-site at a variety of facilities and parks

Ice Rink
Pools
Pickleball and Tennis Courts
Dog Parks

Sports Field



# **SEASONAL EVENT SPONSORSHIP OPPORTUNITIES**

Throughout the year, the Park District of Oak Park features dozens of special community events for a variety of audiences with a total of over 10,000 attendees collectively.



| Event                       | Attendance (approx.)       | Month Held               |  |
|-----------------------------|----------------------------|--------------------------|--|
| Santa Trolley               | 500                        | Two Sundays in December  |  |
| Egg Hunt                    | 1,000                      | April                    |  |
| Doggie Egg Scramble         | 50-100 dogs & their humans | April                    |  |
| Movies in the Park          | 200 per movie              | Fridays: May - September |  |
| Summer Concerts             | 300 per concert            | Sundays: June - August   |  |
| Unplug Illinois Day         | 500                        | July                     |  |
| Fall Fest                   | 1,000-2,000                | September                |  |
| Frank Lloyd Wright Races    | 2,000+                     | October                  |  |
| Fright at Night             | 600+ kids                  | October                  |  |
| Trunk or Treat              | 700-800 + kids             | October                  |  |
| Special Active Adult Events | 15-75 varies per event     | Throughout the year      |  |

# **SEASONAL EVENT SPONSORSHIP OPPORTUNITIES**

| EVENT DESCRIPTIONS |   |  |  |
|--------------------|---|--|--|
| WINTER             | <b>Santa Trolley:</b> Starting and ending a Oak Park Conservatory, families enjoy this trolley ride and special event which includes entertainment, milk and cookies, time with the Head Elf Santa and Mrs. Clause and a visit to Cheney Mansion.   |  |  |
| SPRING             | Egg Hunt: Held in Maple Park, this family event is designed for children ages 3-10 and includes an egg hunt, pictures with the Bunny, and themed games and crafts. (Doggie Egg Scramble is held at the same time)  Doggie Egg Scramble: This free public event celebrates dogs and their owners as they hunt (or scramble) through the field to find the most doggy treats and prize-filled eggs. (Egg Hunt is held at the same time)   |  |  |
| SUMMER             | Movies in the Park: Held in Scoville Park, this free public event features five movies throughout the summer.  Summer Concerts: Held in Scoville Park, this free outdoor event features 11-12 concerts held throughout the summer featuring a mix of soul, jazz, rock and country music.  Unplug Illinois Day: This is a free event for families to unplug from electronics, utilizing wellness theme options like walking paths, tennis, yoga, health screenings, etc.   |  |  |
| FALL               | Fall Fest: Rehm Park is transformed to celebrate Fall with themed games and activities, a DJ, train rides, food vendors and activities at the Oak Park Conservatory for a free family event.  Frank Lloyd Wright Races: This popular annual event is one of the longest running racing events in Illinois with individuals, friends and families participating in a 5K Run/Walk, 10K Run and Youth Mile for ages 5 & up.  Fright at Night: Kids enjoy trick or treating, entertainment, and creatures stirring in the "Bootanical Forbidden Forest' at Oak Park Conservatory during this fun Halloween event!  Trunk or Treat: Local businesses and community organizations deck out their vehicles and come in costume to hand out candy to more than 700 local trunk-or-treaters at this free and popular event held at the RCRC parking lot. |  |  |
| ANY SEASON         | <b>Special Active Adults Events:</b> Contact Sponsorship Coordinator for more information. Events are scheduled throughout the year and offered to our Active Adult community (50+).  |  |  |

#### SEASON EVENT SPONSORSHIP OPPORTUNITIES

Whatever your seasonal event sponsorship choice, PDOP is waiting to facilitate the success of your business or organization while providing enjoyment and benefit to the community!

## **PRESENTING**

\$1000



#### **Benefits**

Marketing Support: Premium co-branding and logo placement on marketing materials (digital and print).

On-Site: Premier booth location (table, tent and chairs provided by PDOP/ branding and materials provided by sponsor) and special recognition at event via emcee.

**Premier Exclusivity:** Only one presenting sponsor per event.

# **Event** Opportunities

- · Egg Hunt
- Movies in the Park (series buyout)
- · Fall Fest
- FLW Races (see below)

\*Presenting and Community Sponsors are asked to provide suitable booth activities for community engagement and to stay to completion of event.

## **COMMUNITY**

\$250-\$500



#### **Benefits**

Marketing Support: Varies per event.

On Site: Booth (table, tent and chairs provided by PDOP/ branding and materials provided by sponsor) and recognition at event.

# Event Opportunities

- Egg Hunt
- Unplug Illinois
- · Movies in the Park
- · Summer Concerts
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#### **IN-KIND**

**Donation** 



#### **Benefits**

In-kind sponsors provide goods and services, and benefits are based on the approximate value of the donation at discretion of the Park District of Oak Park but typically include branded acknowledgment.

# **Event**Opportunities

All Events (Especially):

- Santa Trolley
- · Trunk or Treat
- · Fright at Night
- FLW Races (see below)

#### Frank Lloyd Wright Races:

Get in touch with us to learn more about our most popular event with special exclusive sponsorship categories!

PRESENTING (\$4500), COMMUNITY (\$1500), YOUTH MILE (\$1500), BOOTH (\$500/\$250 Nonprofit), OR IN-KIND

## **SEASONAL PROGRAM GUIDE ADVERTISING**

The Park District distributes program guides quarterly to **25,000 households** in Oak Park, offering organizations an opportunity promote their business and community involvement.



## **SEASONAL PROGRAM GUIDE ADVERTISING OPPORTUNITIES**

The Park District of Oak Park publishes two guides annually. These guides outline all park district seasonal activities and events and are distributed online and delivered to all 25,000 households.

#### **Program Guide Production and Distribution Schedule:**

#### **Spring/Summer Guide:**

- · Artwork and payment due January
- · Mailed/available on website early March

#### Fall/Winter Guide:

- · Artwork and payment due May
- · Mailed/available on website late July/ early August

#### **All Guides:**

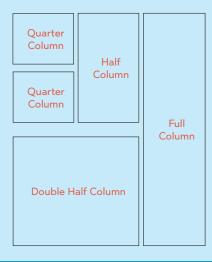
- Printed in full color
- · Strategic Ad placement location (based on layout capablities)
- · Clickable links for digital version

| AD SIZES   | COSTS     |                                |
|--|-----------|--------------------------------|
| Ad Size  | One Guide | All Two Guides                 |
| <b>Full Inside Back Cover</b><br>8.94"H x 7.6"W (Full color) | \$1,800   | \$3,500<br>(\$1,750 per issue) |
| Half Page Inside Front Cover 4.35"H x 5.03"W (Full color)    | \$1,000   | \$1,800<br>(\$900 per issue)   |
| Half Page Back Cover<br>4.85"H x 7.6"W (Full color)          | \$1,000   | \$1,800<br>(\$900 per issue)   |
| Standard Half Page<br>4.33"H x 6.49"W (Full color)           | \$800     | \$1500<br>(\$750 per issue)    |
| Double Half Column<br>5"H x 4.3"W (Full color)               | \$650     | \$1,200<br>(\$600 per issue)   |
| Full Vertical Column 9.15"H x 2.43"W (Full color)            | \$650     | \$1,200<br>(\$600 per issue)   |
| Half Column<br>4.3"H x 2.43"W (Full color)                   | \$325     | \$600<br>(\$300 per issue)     |
| <b>Quarter Column</b> 2.43"H x 2.43"W (Full color)           | \$180     | \$330<br>(\$165 per issue)     |

# Choose from a variety of ad sizes!

Full Inside Back Cover

Half Pages (Sizes Vary Slightly)



#### PARK AND FACILITY ON-SITE ADVERTISING

The Park District offers businesses an opportunity to advertise in specific park and facility locations that bring a large number of visitors throughout the year.

**Ice Rink Banners:** Receive over 150,000 impressions annually. Banners are installed twice per year (January and June). You provide the artwork and we facilitate production and installation.

#### Rink

Paul Hruby Ice Arena



**Banners:** Advertise your business through a banner at any of the select park district facilities! You provide the artwork and banner, and we hang them at select locations.

#### **Pools**

Ridgeland Common Rehm Park

#### **Tennis/Pickleball Courts**

**Euclid Square** 

Taylor Park

#### **Tennis Courts**

Lindberg Park

Scoville Park

Longfellow Park

#### **Dog Parks**

Ridgeland Common

Maple Park

#### **Sports Field**

Ridgeland Common



**Wind Screens :** Reach thousands with a windscreen displayed in select park locations year-round. You provide the art/work and and we will facilitate production, installation, and maintenance.

**Pickleball Courts** 

Barrie Park

**Tennis/Pickleball Courts** 

Maple Park



# **PARK AND FACILITY ADVERTISING OPPORTUNITIES**

| ADVERTISING AT-A-GLANCE   |   |   |  |  |  |
|---|---|---|--|--|--|
| Location and Description  | Average Reach   | Size and Pricing  |  |  |  |
| <b>Rink:</b> Paul Hruby Ice Arena Ice rink is used year-round for hockey clubs, ice skating programs and special events.                                | 150,000 per year  | 90"W x 30"H/Ice Rink Banner<br>advertising inside of rink.<br>• One year (\$1,100)<br>• Two years (\$900/year)*<br>*Full payment due at time of order |  |  |  |
| <b>Pool:</b> Ridgeland Common  Pools are open Memorial Day to Labor Day and used for swimming programs, events and open public swims.                   | 29,000 per year   | 96"W x 36"H/Banner<br>· One year (\$800)  |  |  |  |
| <b>Pool:</b> Rehm Park  Pools are open Memorial Day to Labor Day and used for swimming programs, events and open public swims.                          | 57,000 per year   | 96"W x 36"H/Banner<br>• One year (\$800)  |  |  |  |
| <b>Tennis/Pickleball Courts:</b> Euclid Square<br>Year-round access to four courts used by residents, as well as<br>high schools for practice.          | 3,000+ per month  | 96"W x 36"H/Banner<br>• One year (\$500)  |  |  |  |
| <b>Tennis/Pickleball Courts:</b> Taylor Park  Year-round access to six courts used by residents, as well as high schools for practice.                  | 5,000+ per month  | 96"W x 36"H/Banner<br>• One year (\$500)  |  |  |  |
| <b>Tennis Courts:</b> Lindberg Park  Year-round access to four courts used by residents, as well as high schools for practice.                          | 750+ per month  | 96"W x 36"H/Banner<br>• One year (\$500)  |  |  |  |
| <b>Tennis Courts:</b> Scoville Park Year-round access for those with dog park membership access.  | 1500+ per month   | 96"W x 36"H/Banner<br>• One year (\$500)  |  |  |  |
| <b>Tennis Courts:</b> Longfellow Park<br>Year-round access to four courts used by residents, as well as<br>high schools for practice.                   | 1000+ per month   | 96"W x 36"H/Banner<br>• One year (\$500)  |  |  |  |
| <b>Dog Parks:</b> Ridgeland Common or Maple Park  Year-round access for those with dog park membership access.  | 750+ per month/each<br>park   | 96"W x 36"H/Banner each park  · One year (\$500)/each park  |  |  |  |
| <b>Sports Field:</b> Ridgeland Common<br>Year-round access to multi-purpose fields used by resident<br>athletes, local schools and sports affiliations. | 1,000+ per day inside<br>field; thousands per<br>day on Lake Street | 96"W x 36"H/Banner<br>Two Location Options:<br>• Inside Field One year (\$600)<br>• Lake Street (\$1500)  |  |  |  |
| Pickleball Courts: Barrie Park Year-round access to 6 dedicated pickleball courts to community members.   | 2,700+ per day, outside<br>field                                    | Approximately 20'Wx8'H<br>(2 logos)/For Windscreen<br>• Three year contract (\$4000)  |  |  |  |
| <b>Tennis/Pickleball Courts:</b> Maple Park Year-round access to community members.   | 50,0000+ per day, outer<br>tennis court facing<br>Harlem Ave.       | Approximately 20'Wx12'H<br>(3 logos)/For Windscreen<br>• Three year contract (\$6000)   |  |  |  |

## **SPONSORSHIP & ADVERTISING NEXT STEPS**

Thank you for your interest in working with the Park District of Oak Park!

# Ready to secure your sponsorship or advertising with us? Follow the steps below to get started today!\*

\*All sponsorships and advertising requests must be paid in full and confirmed via email from our sponsorship coordintor in order to be considered accepted. Please submit copy of paid invoice to **Jillian.Sims@pdop.org** upon payment.



Pay online (Preferred): You may pay by credit card online. New users must create an account through our Amilia webstore to make a purchase or payment. Once you make your selection, you will be prompted to create an Amilia account. Visit: pdop.org/sponsorship-advertising/ for links to advertising and sponsorship opportunities.



Pay via Check: Follow steps above for paying online via Amilia and choose 'offline payments' as option and email Jillian.Sims@pdop.org to confirm order and receive details for mailing a check.



#### **DID YOU KNOW...**

If your business is a Nonprofit you qualify for a 20% off discount on all adverstising and/or sponsorship opportunities!

To learn more details and receive discount code for payment, Contact our Sponsorship Coordinator today!

