



**Please Respect the Community, Your Fellow
Citizens and The Park District Property**
A Note from the Addison Park District

We are all in this together and appreciate your patience and restraint during these trying times. We are a very fortunate community to have many walking paths and trails in our parks to enjoy the outdoors while we adhere to the requirement of the COVID-19 emergency pandemic.

When one person or a few, decides to break the trust, it impacts all the community. The Park District wants all citizens to enjoy the parks and facilities available to you in a safe and respectful manner. Recently, the Addison Police Department became aware of vandalism within several of the park district properties. As a result, they are stepping up patrols and will be helping to enforce the current legal requirements outlined by the stay-at-home orders. We value the police department and the commitment to preventing crime and uniformly enforcing the laws to provide a safe community for all.

The Park District is encouraged by the progress the community is making to control and decrease the COVID-19 spread. *We will be back!* For now, registration will remain closed for all summer programming. When we can safely reopen, the focus will be on programs and offerings that best meet the community's needs, including day camps, adult fitness and use of the parks. Then, as soon as it is safe and reasonable to do so, we will offer additional programming.

Parks and trails will remain open for walking, jogging, and biking under the current social distancing guidelines. However, playgrounds, tennis courts, basketball courts, and athletic fields remain closed at the current time. Please remember to follow the CDC guidelines when visiting our public outdoor spaces – keep social distance of at least 6 feet, do not participate in group activities, and wash your hands both before and after

visiting for at least 20 seconds. We hope you can enjoy the great natural resources Addison has to offer and get some fresh air and exercise.

The health and well-being of our community is a priority to the Park District. Thank you for your continued understanding during these times. We want everyone to be safe and stay well. We will continue to post updates on www.addisonparks.org and on our social media resources Facebook, Instagram & Twitter related to programming.