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We welcome everyone back to Scoville Park for our 48th annual A Day in Our Village Festival

We are blessed to have such a dedicated group of volunteers and village hall liaisons that work tirelessly to put on one of Oak Park's premiere summer events.

Here is your chance to enjoy a sunny summer Sunday meeting your neighbors and learning about all of the great businesses, churches, and organizations that make Oak Park such a colorful and vibrant

place to live and visit.

And of course, while you're there you can sample the flavors of our local food vendors and the great sounds of a diverse blend of music from jazz, to fusion, to rock!

Welcome back.

Michael Stewart

Day in Our Village

Volunteer Festival Chair





Oak Park AYSO

Recreational soccer for kids



Stop by our table at Day In Our Village for details on Fall registration and pick up some AYSO swag!

www.ayso697.org



Parents, Families and Friends of Lesbians and Gays, Bisexuals and Transgender
Serving the Oak Park area for 21 years

We meet on the 4th Sunday
First United Church of Oak Park
848 Lake Street, Oak Park (at Kenilworth)
3 pm - 5 pm
This is a place of confidentiality.

Support...Education...Advocacy

Back to in-person meetings!

708.386.1738 • pflagoakpark@pflagillinois.org

Come to our annual bake sale, OP Farmers Market, Saturday, September 3rd

Come visit us at Booth #89 during this Sunday's Day In Our Village!

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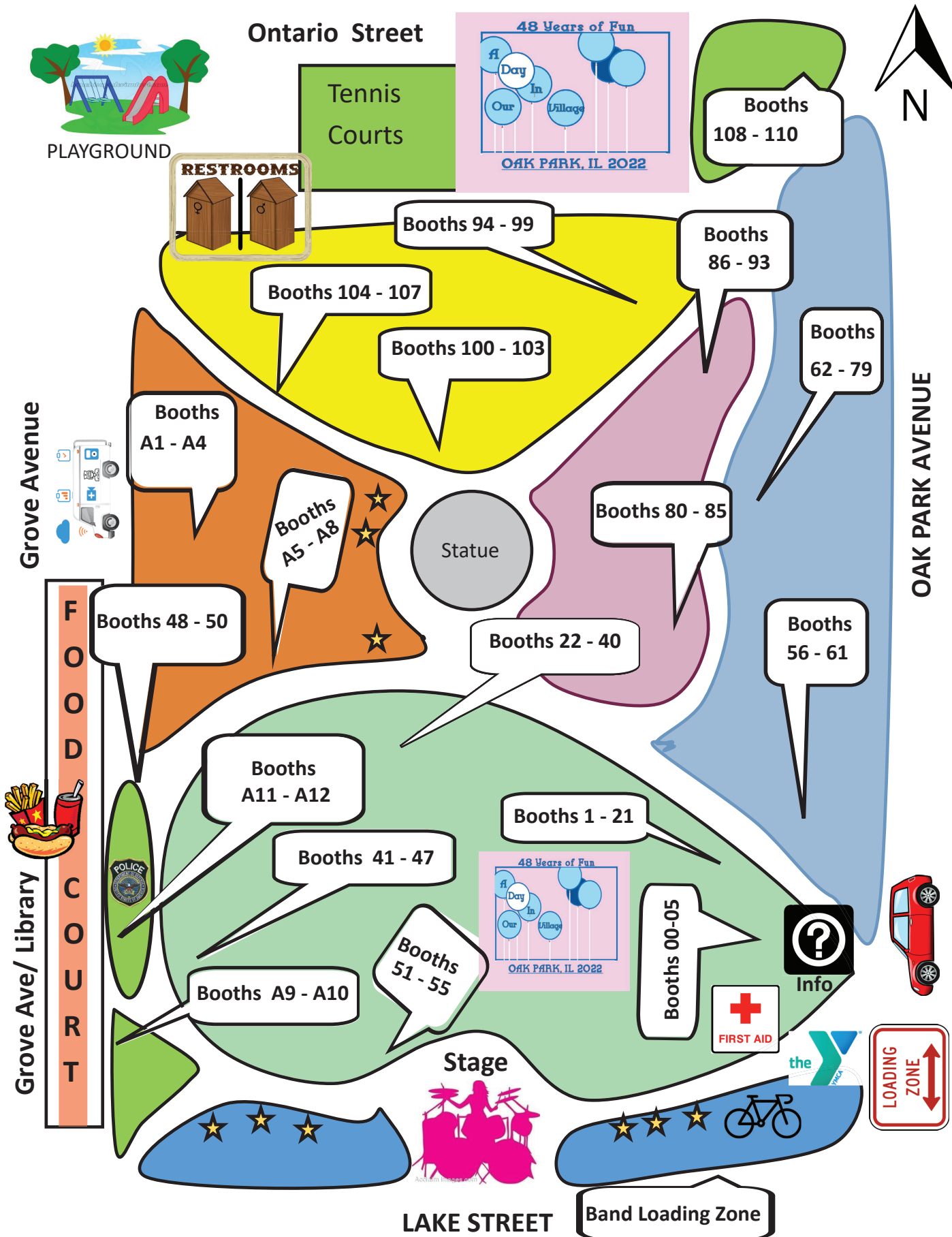
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48th A Day in Our Village Festival

Sunday, June 5 • 11 a.m. - 4 p.m.

All sites are accessible to those with disabilities. Free "Disabled Only" parking also is available. Public restrooms (also accessible) are located just west of the Scoville Park Tennis Courts.

For more information on A Day in Our Village, call 708.358.5407 or e-mail community@oak-park.us.

A Day in Our Village is an event organized to celebrate the vitality and the rich advantages of our diverse community, and provide the opportunity for all residents, their families, and friends to come learn about the myriad of organizations (civic, cultural, social services, religious and business) and share in this Oak Park experience.

Festival Committee

Volunteer Chairpersons

Michael D. Stewart
Festival Chair, Publicity, Promotional Items

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Cory Kohut
Refreshments/Restaurants

Chris Edwards
Entertainment

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Food Court @ Library Plaza, Scoville Park & Grove Avenue

Domino's Pizza,

Pizza by the slice

Big Guys Sausage

Burgers, Hot Dogs, fries

Scratch On Lake

Serving beer and wine.

Chicago Beef Depot

Hot dogs. Polish, Italian Beef, Burgers, Snow Cones

Popify

Handcrafted Popsicles

Tacos El Tio #4

Tacos, soft drinks

Booth # - Participants

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Special thanks:

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- Oak Park Public Work Department
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- Communications Department, Village of Oak Park
- Rush Schaeffer, Finance Department, Village of Oak Park
- Oak Park Police Department
- Chris Lindgren, Superintendent of Buildings and Grounds, Park District of Oak Park
- **Thanks to all of the volunteers who made this event possible for the last 48 years!**

Scoville Park Stage @ Lake St. & Oak Park Ave

11 am The Chris Green Quartet - Jazz

1 pm District 97 - Fusion

2 pm Davy Awards (and announcements)

3 pm - Abbey Road- Tribute

Mills Park Activities –Oak Park Park District (10am-4pm)

217 S. Home Ave

Buy a \$5 wristband and get unlimited access to activities!

inflatable miniature golf, an inflatable obstacle course and a Gyroscope Human Space Ball!

Trackless train providing rides near the south end of Mills!

Music and family friendly activities will be, provided by A-Z Entertainment and we will have a Sidewalk Chalk Art Contest near the south entrance of Mills where the old fountain used to be throughout the event.

Food Vendors will also be on site.

Thanks to our Sponsors



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Volunteer for a Village of Oak Park Advisory Board, Commission or Committee

- Aging in Place Commission
- Board of Health
- Board of Fire and Police Commissioners
- Building Codes Advisory Commission
- Citizen Involvement Commission
- Citizens Police Oversight Committee
- Civic Information Systems Commission
- Community Design Commission
- Community Development Citizens Advisory Committee
- Community Relations Commission
- Disability Access Commission
- Environment & Energy Commission
- Farmers' Market Commission
- Historic Preservation Commission
- Housing Programs Advisory Committee
- Liquor Control Review Board
- Plan Commission
- Transportation Commission
- Zoning Board of Appeals

Applications are accepted year round. All commissioners must be residents of Oak Park at the time of their appointment and for the full duration of their term. Unless noted, volunteers serve a three-year term, with opportunity for reappointment.

Visit www.oak-park.us/volunteer to sign up!

Contact the Village Clerk at clerk@oak-park.us for more information.



FREE Oak Park's
Day in Our Village 
FUN FEST!
Mills Park (217 S. Home)

JUNE 5
11:00A-4:00P
 PARK DISTRICT
of OAK PARK

- Sidewalk Chalk Art Contest
- Music & Family-friendly Activities
- Contests & Giveaways
- Sweet and savory food for sale by local vendors
- Pleasant Home Foundation's Music Machine Fair

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11am - 9pm Daily

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Italian Beef Sandwich w/ Fries \$8.99

Wednesday Gyros Plate Dinner
1 lb meat, 2 pita breads, fries & 3 cups sauce \$11.99

Every day Special!
Gyros with fries \$8.99

1/4 Lb Double Cheeseburger Big Mickey!
\$3.49



From Past to Present.

The **Oak Park Regional Housing Center** looks forward to welcoming you back to Scoville Park on Sunday June 5th.

Our Founders and current staff has been a part of this event since 1975. A lot has changed since then, but not our commitment to Oak Park and the surrounding community!

Save the date for the Oak Park Regional Housing Center's 50th Anniversary Celebration on Saturday, October 22, 2022, 6 pm-10pm

