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Volunteer Recognition

We thank the numerous volunteers who gave of their time and energy on Saturday for several park clean-up events.



Daddona Lake and Terrace

In preparation for the April 12 fishing contest, volunteers collected litter throughout the park area.



Patrice McKeone

PA State Representative Mike Schlossberg

Bucky Boyle Park

Members of Casa de Restauracion have graciously adopted Bucky Boyle Park as part of our "Adopt-a-Park" program. The pastor and several church members braved the wind and chilly weather on Saturday to clean up the playground and other park areas.



South Street Park

Our thanks to Ryan and Jennifer Spevak for participating in our "Adopt-a-Flowerbed" program. They began prep work on Saturday at the beautiful South Street Park flowerbed. They were accompanied by their super-friendly dog, Bela, who by the way, was looking for a dog park in the area. We're working on that!



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Upcoming Events

April 12, 2014— 8:00 a.m. – noon
Kids Gone Fishin' - fishing contest for youth aged 15 and under. **Daddona Lake and Terrace.** Donation: \$5/child

April 26, 2014— 12:00—5:00 p.m. **Allentown Cherry Blossom Festival** - Games, exhibits, music and more for the whole family. **Cedar Creek Parkway/Cedar Beach.** Free. Some activities request donation.

April 27, 2014— 1:00 p.m. **Accessible Nature Hike** - meeting point is the parking lot of the Allentown Dept. of Parks and Recreation (3000 Parkway Blvd.) Advance registration is required. www.lvcil.org/accessibleadventures

Member and Volunteer Appreciation Event

Through the generosity of LSI and the Iron Pigs, we received a limited number of tickets to the Iron Pigs game on **May 14 at 7:05 p.m.** In sincere appreciation to our members and volunteers we invite you to join us. Tickets are still available and will be awarded on a first-come, first-served basis. Contact us at 610-432-7275 or info@allentownparks.org
GO PIGS!



Award of Clean-up Supplies Keep Pennsylvania Beautiful



Our sincere thanks to **Keep America Beautiful** and the **Lehigh County office of the Pennsylvania Department of Transportation** for generously awarding **Friends** clean-up supplies for events scheduled during the **Great American Cleanup of PA** campaign.



More Surprise Sightings in Allentown Parks



On March 10 we reported on a Great Horned Owl sighting in one of our beautiful parks. Well, look who's peeking out on the left!