



NEWS FROM: KIWANIS CLUB OF SAND LAKE



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KIWANIS ANNOUNCES SUMMERFEST 2007

The Kiwanis Club of Sand Lake is once again proud to sponsor "Sand Lake SummerFest" July 6-7 & 8th, 2007 at Butler Park on Gettle Road near the Averill Park High School.

The fun begins Friday evening with carnival booths, food, and great amusement rides from noon until 10p.m. Also the winners of the Battle of the Bands contest will perform Friday on the main stage at Butler Park from 5 until 10:00pm: "Senor Pants and the Naked Brigade"; "King and Crown"; "Belo Zero" and "Wait Until Dusk." Sand Lake Kiwanis is pleased to present these talented and hardworking young musicians of our community.

The SummerFest 2007 parade will step off Saturday morning from the Sand Lake School at 11:00am sharp. The theme of this year's parade is "A Community of Service for All" honoring everyone who gives back to the community through community service. Our Grand Marshals in the parade are (GRAND MARSHALS GO HERE). We are inviting all community groups and organizations to march with us in the parade. The SummerFest Opening Ceremony will take place immediately following the parade at the flag pole in Butler Park. The SAND LAKE CHORALE will sing the National Anthem and other patriotic songs for the flag raising. All of our community groups will have the opportunity to set up a table at SummerFest to distribute information on their various activities.

A Softball Tournament is being held again this year after a hiatus. The 5K and Kids Fun Road Races are also on tap. Our Annual Benefit Tennis Tournament will kick off on Saturday at 9:00 at the Averill Park High School tennis courts. More rides for the kids will run all day, as will other children's activities

A Craft Fair is slated for Saturday and Sunday. Community sponsored tables will dot the field at Butler Park all day. The Kiwanis food trailer will tempt your palate with hot dogs, hamburgers and lots more of your favorite foods and you can visit other food vendors throughout the day and evening. The Brunswick Elks will once again sponsor the "SummerFest Beer Garden".

On Saturday night, come dance to the music of the very popular country rock band "Overture" from 7 until 11:00 pm, closing time at Butler Park.

On Sunday, join us for an Ecumenical Sunday Service at Butler Park at 9:30a.m. The amusement rides are running all day long as well. At 1:00 p.m., the Frank Capri Sextet will perform Big Band standards on the Butler Park stage, kicking off the Kiwanis Club's "2007 SummerTime Concert Series." (Concerts are being staged at Butler Park Sunday nights through August at 6:00pm.)

More live music on the main stage will include The True Tones at 4:00 p.m. and The Refrigerators from 7:30 until closing. A spectacular fireworks display from "Fireworks by Alonzo" at 9:00 p.m. will give the band a break. And then more "Refrigerators" will put a dazzling finish on the day's fun until the park closes at 11.

"As always," said Sand Lake Kiwanis Club President Bob Loveridge, "all profits from Kiwanis' fund raising efforts are put back into the community to help improve the quality of life in some way. We wish to thank all of our sponsors and benefactors who have helped Kiwanis to be able to put on another SummerFest."

For registration or information for the following events, please contact the individual listed:

General SummerFest Information – Joe Behson 674-8407

Craft Fair – Ken James 766-5148 or Alison Greene 283-4656

Musical Entertainment – Barb Fioravanti 766-5578

Parade – John Brownrigg 281-7090 or Bob Reiter 733-5827

Softball Tournament – John Glasser 674-8558

Tennis Tourney – Bruce Perry 441-2228 or Joe Behson 674-8407

*** Please be advised that coolers will not be permitted in Butler Park during SummerFest due to the proliferation of people bringing in their own alcoholic beverages. The SummerFest beer license only covers liability arising from alcoholic beverages sold through SummerFest. It is also a violation of the Town "Open Containers Law." We thank you for your cooperation.**

For more information on all events, please visit the Sand Lake Kiwanis Club web site at: <http://sandlakekiwanis.org>. We hope to see you at Sand Lake Kiwanis SUMMERFEST 2007!!