



September 2025

Dear Lake Park Neighbor,

On behalf of the Des Plaines Chamber of Commerce, the Des Plaines History Center and Des Plaines Park District, I am happy to inform you that we will once again be hosting Fall Fest at Lake Park this year. While we are always excited to offer this premier event to the community, and the response has been great, we anticipate that the festival may cause some inconvenience for our neighbors and want to let you know the details in advance of the event.

**Fall Fest 2025 is presented on three days:
Friday, September 12, Saturday, September 13, and Sunday, September 14.**

FESTIVAL HOURS

Friday, 6:00–11:00p

Saturday, noon–11:00p

Sunday, noon–7:00p.

The carnival closes on Sunday at 8:00p.

Parking for Fall Fest attendees is available at the Lakeview Center on Howard Ave., the Lake Park Marina, and on the streets around Lake Park. Limited parking is generously made available compliments of local businesses.

Of course, fest-goers will also be using neighborhood street parking. In an effort to inform fest-goers as they leave their vehicles, you may see Fall Fest yard signs in your parkway from Friday through Monday.

A combination of Des Plaines Police, Contracted Security Officers, and Park District staff are on-site providing security during festival hours and overnight from Thursday evening through Monday morning.

Fall Fest offers something for everyone, and we hope that you come out and enjoy the food, music and fun. Please visit the website, FallFestDesPlaines.com, for a complete list of fun activities for the whole family.

Events of this size rely on the support of volunteers in order to run efficiently, and we've been fortunate that the community has always played a significant role in the success of Fall Fest Des Plaines. We welcome your help, and encourage you to be a part of the fun. A volunteer form is available on the festival website.

Thank you for your cooperation and support. We look forward to seeing you at Fall Fest!

Sincerely,

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