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Moseley Woods Commission Announces the Seasonal Opening of Moseley Woods Park

Opening: The official opening of Moseley Woods Park is slated for Sunday, April 26, 2009. The opening is dependent upon the Commission's ability to perform the annual clean-up and the weather as well. ***Volunteers are needed to help with the one-day clean-up on Saturday, April 25th.*** The water department will have the water service within the park operating (weather permitting) prior to the opening.

Parking: In addition to the existing parking lot Moseley visitors can park their cars on the left side of the driveway into the Park. Most cars can fit if everyone parks nose-in and at an angle. Vehicles parking on the right side of the Park are asked to park parallel with the road to avoid disrupting the gravel path and lawn.

Dog Owners: Please note that the City Leash Law is in effect at the Park, and is posted on the kiosk. While dogs are welcome at the Park they need to remain leashed and on the stone pathways while walking to the woods. Dogs are not allowed in the children's play area. The dogs must be taken beyond that area and into the woods for walks. The Park has two stations with dog waste bags for dog owners to use.

Pavilion: The pavilion is available again for reservations for the season; reservation forms can be found on our website at www.MoseleyWoods.com. The public can reserve the pavilion for three-hour periods of time for birthday parties and family functions. There is a recommended donation requested per session of \$45.

Zip Wire: The ride should only be used by children as there is a weight limit of 100 lbs that we need everyone to adhere to. Continued use by riders exceeding this weight will once again lead to the rapid deterioration of the cable system and the possible closing of the ride. We are entertaining offers from local businesses or families to sponsor this piece of apparatus as a way to not only replenish our funds for this expenditure, but to provide an opportunity for the sponsor to gain some advertising exposure with a sign or plaque that fits in with the theme already established within the park.

Summer Concert Series: The Moseley Woods Commission will have the summer concert series again this year, so watch the newspapers for more information as the season approaches.

Trash-free Facility: The Commission implemented a Pack-it-In, Pack-it-Out policy last year in order to keep the park trash-free. Please take heed of the new policy when planning your visit and be prepared to remove all of your trash when you leave for the day.

Please feel free to contact Mark W. Emmith, Commission Chairman, at info@MoseleyWoods.com with any questions or comments or to volunteer at the clean-up.

As always please visit our website www.MoseleyWoods.com for more information.