2014 Metamora Park District Accomplishments

Expanded recreational programming for the community and offered four guides of activities over the past year.

New land acquired, expansion plans prepared, and demolition completed. Check out our plans on the website!

Participated in Village Open House for their Strategic Plans. We provided guides and discussed the Park District’s plans for expansion.

Donated money and founding contributor to the digital sign welcoming citizens to Metamora.

Opened our first office, complete with signage on Rt. 116 (Monday – Friday office hours and equipment!). Office space is also available to rent for meetings, parties, and other functions.

Hosted an Open House with free activities for the community, welcoming them to the new office space.

Became an active member of MABA (Metamora Area Business Association) which includes being listed on their website and sign.

Expanded swim lessons to include night session for working parents and exercise classes at the Metamora Pool.

Expanded Tot Time for ages 5 and under at the Metamora Pool.

Expanded Family Fun Nights and added a Passholder Appreciation Night at the Metamora Pool.
Offered Metamora Adventure Camps for children age 5-10 during the Summer of 2014 at Black Partridge Park (BPP).

Improved trail signage and emergency routes in BPP in cooperation with the Metamora Police and Fire Department.

Completed a professional pool evaluation. New pool equipment was purchased to meet State requirements.

Participated in a community event, Meet Your Heroes, where we hosted an inflatable for children and staffed a display.

Began the process for the Metamora Park Foundation (501(c)3 status).

Started the process to expand the boundaries of the Metamora Park District in order to put plans into effect at BPP, offer more programming, improve the Metamora Pool, and pay for a full-time Park Director.

Awarded an Illinois Youth Recreation Corps Grant by the Illinois Dept. of Natural Resources to fund our Camp Director and Counselors.