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BELDEN KIWANIS DONATES ADAPTIVE SWING TO PLAIN PARK

PLAIN TOWNSHIP—On Thursday September 17, 2020 at 6:00PM, there will be a ribbon cutting ceremony at Diamond Community Park as the Kiwanis Club of Belden Village will be donating an adaptive swing for adults with disabilities to the Plain Township Board of Trustees and its Parks Department.

After a year of planning and confirming needs between Kiwanis Club President Tom Stahlheber and Plain Township, the donation from the Kiwanis Club of Belden Village will come to fruition. Donation and installation have been held up due to conditions surrounding the COVID-19 Pandemic and health orders restricting the use of playgrounds.

“Plain Township is pleased to be able to serve and host people of all ages and abilities at all of our parks. The addition of the adaptive swing adds another much needed amenity to continue to do so,” says Plain Township Board of Trustees President, Scott Haws. “We are so thankful for the generous donation and partnership of the Kiwanis Club of Belden Village, who made this swing possible.”

Kiwanis Club President Tom Stahlheber added, “We are pleased and excited to be able to bring this adaptive swing installation to Diamond Park for the enjoyment of all park visitors.”

With an emphasis on serving children, the Kiwanis Club of Belden Village concentrates on assisting the communities of Jackson and Plain Townships, North Canton and Beyond. Stahlheber explained the origins of the project in some of the club’s mission, “We also support the Aktion Kiwanis Club of Canton (for adults with disabilities).”

For more information on the Kiwanis Club of Belden Village, visit www.beldenvillagekiwanis.org . The club met weekly at Arrowhead Country Club on Thursdays prior to the pandemic, but since March have been utilizing Zoom and outdoor meetings with masks and social distancing. The Kiwanis Club of Belden Village dates back to 1973.

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