

**News Release**

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The Rock Island Parks & Recreation Department would like to invite your entire family to attend the **23<sup>rd</sup> Annual Family Fun Day Celebration on Saturday, July 4th**, in Sunset Park 18<sup>th</sup> Avenue and Sunset Road.

Come watch the **Recycled Float Race** held at Sunset Park's Lake Potter. Watch floats, made entirely out of household recyclable items such as plastic jugs and paper cartons, race around a 150 yard course. Will they sink or make it to the finish? Come see! Races begin at 9 a.m. Trophies are awarded to the top finishers and "Green Thinking Award" , "Best Team Theme Award" , "Least Floatable Float", and "Outstanding Design Award"

**Interested in racing?**

If you think recycling can float YOUR boat, pick up an entry form and float building rules at [www.rigov.org](http://www.rigov.org) or call 732-PARK. Participants may register in advance, or register beginning at 7 a.m. the day of the event.

**Free Family Fun Activities**

Stay after the races, from 11:00 a.m.-3:00 p.m., and visit the FREE Children's Activity Zone with inflatables, contests, sack races, and our annual water balloon fight!

**Bring the entire family and plan on spending the day with us for some good food, great fun, and family entertainment—all we need is you!**

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