



## Mundelein Park & Recreation District

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### **MUNDELEIN PARK DISTRICT RECOGNIZED AT STATEWIDE CONFERENCE**

**MUNDELEIN, IL — Mundelein Park & Recreation District ([mundeleinparks.org](http://mundeleinparks.org)) received two awards at the 2019 Soaring to New Heights Conference presented by the Illinois Association of Park Districts (IAPD) and the Illinois Park and Recreation Association (IPRA).** The conference for parks and recreation, forest preserves and conservation agencies in Illinois was held on January 24 – 26 in Chicago, IL.

The District's marketing team was recognized in the Agency Showcase competition that spotlights bright ideas exhibited by park, recreation, and conservation agencies. This professionally judged competition recognizes Illinois agencies for their marketing and communication efforts ranging from print to multimedia. They received a 2<sup>nd</sup> place in the Marketing Campaign category for their efforts promoting the District's Day of Play event at the opening of the Dunbar Recreation Center. A second 2<sup>nd</sup> place award was presented for the Paid Advertisement category for an in-house produced television commercial promoting the Mundelein Arts Festival.

Mundelein Park & Recreation District was also presented the Exceptional Workplace Award at the conference. The honor recognizes agencies for their efforts to improve and support employee health and wellness. Agencies undergo a voluntary evaluation process to demonstrate that they have met guidelines to provide employees with the opportunity for a well-balanced life both at the workplace and away.

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