



## SPECIAL RECREATION ASSOCIATION OF CENTRAL LAKE COUNTY

The Grayslake Community Park District is a cooperative member agency of the Special Recreation Association of Central Lake County. SRACLCLC provides community based therapeutic recreation programs to people of all ages with disabilities or special needs.

SRACLCLC is a cooperative effort of the Grayslake, Mundelein, Round Lake, and Vernon Hills Park Districts, and the Villages of Hawthorn Woods, Lake Zurich, Libertyville, and Lincolnshire. Individuals residing within the legal boundaries of the Member Agencies are considered "residents" of SRACLCLC and may utilize the services.

SRACLCLC offers more than 500 weekly programs, special events, and camps during the year. SRACLCLC also recognizes that some people with disabilities prefer to participate in recreation programs within their own Park District or Recreation Department. SRACLCLC can help you with this opportunity by helping secure extra staff, if deemed necessary, behavior management support, disability awareness training, and other adaptive services necessary for safe and successful participation.

SRACLCLC needs your help! Recreation instructors and assistants, Day Camp counselors, and volunteers are needed to assist individuals with special needs or disabilities. If you are interested in part-time work, please contact the SRACLCLC office at (847) 816-4866.





## JONES ISLAND PARK INCLUSIVE PLAYGROUND ADDITION

Your support can be instrumental in helping the Special Recreation Association of Central Lake County (SRACLC) and the Grayslake Community Park District's plan to build an accessible addition at Jones Island Park to better foster an inclusive and more equitable play environment. Inclusion means all belong – leaving no one out. Addressing equal opportunity in outdoor play environments demonstrates how a community respects and values all forms of the inherent differences we possess as individuals. Children with and without disabilities can visit this playground and play alongside their peers. Although children are the primary user group of playgrounds, truly inclusive environments are designed with a broader multigenerational approach in mind. Adults with disabilities, our wounded Veterans, and aging grandparents will also benefit from our inclusive expansion. Inclusive playgrounds and innovative parks serve as a cornerstone for many families; positively impacting the economic vitality of our community. Your investment towards our sustainable project will truly provide a valuable service each and every day.

**Please consider making a legacy gift that will have a lasting impact on physical and mental health, economic prosperity, and enrichment. For more information, please contact John Buckner, [jbuckner@sracclc.org](mailto:jbuckner@sracclc.org), 847-816-4866; Kris Splitt, [ksplitt@glpd.com](mailto:ksplitt@glpd.com), 847-223-7529. Send checks to SRACLC, 271 N. Archer, Mundelein, IL. 60060. Payable to SRACLC.**

