



Lakewood Skatepark Fundraiser



"We are excited that the Lakewood Skatepark will be the first well-built, professionally designed, public skate park in the greater Cleveland area!"

Its family friendly design and appeal for skaters of all ages and abilities will enhance the recreational opportunities available to our Lakewood youth and all of our citizens."

-Mayor Madeline Cain

"Getting this skatepark built has been a long time coming. We have had enormous support from our citizens and the LSA has consistently brought out the skaters for the public process."

-Councilman Tom George

"Not only is a safe skateboarding environment essential in Lakewood for this popular youth activity, but the skatepark's impact would be a huge boon to our local businesses."

Carol Leigh Mason
President
Lakewood Chamber of Commerce

For more information about the LSA and the Lakewood Skatepark Project, check out our website:

LAKWOODSKATERS.ORG

Although skateboarding has been around for over 40 years, it is still illegal to practice in most public places. More children in the US now skateboard than play little league baseball, and yet our skaters have no place to practice their sport. They are left to find places on their own and end up in the streets and parking lots.

There are a few public skate parks in the Cleveland area, but were built as reactive afterthoughts. Originally developed under good intentions, they were ill conceived and cheaply built. Due to weathering and shoddy construction, many have become dangerous liabilities, and several have had to close.

The Lakewood Skatepark Project

The city of Lakewood has had a public skatepark in the Lakewood Park Master Plan for the past several years but has lacked the necessary funds to make it happen. The addition is to be located west of the pool near the utility access drive and garage. Aware of the city plan and eager to get involved, the Lakewood Skaters Association (LSA) was established by the citizens of Lakewood to help make it a reality. With over 250 members, we were able to collect input from many skaters and community members to aid in the design.

After months of careful research and planning, meetings with skaters of all ages and skill levels, and consultations with the architecture firm, the design is now complete. But building this public skatepark will require nearly \$100,000 more than the \$134,500 that city has budgeted.



Getting it done...

Besides the LSA's regular fundraising events, we are offering residents and businesses a range of opportunities to show their support and receive some recognition along the way.

"SKATEBOARD" Donor Decal

Static cling window decal that shows your support of the Lakewood Skatepark. Your \$10 donation goes right to the bottom line so show your support by displaying this on your business, front door, or automobile window.

LKWD SKATEPARK Shirt

For businesses that would like to get their logo on the back of the official Lakewood Skatepark T-shirt. A \$500 donation will help us keep these shirts affordable so we can get them on the backs of supporters all over Lakewood.

Skatepark Recognition Board

For citizens and businesses that want to leave an indelible impression with the community, we are offering a spot on our Recognition Board near the entrance of the skatepark. \$100 gets your name listed in the "Bronze" recognition section. \$500-\$999 gets your company logo on display in our "Silver" section, while \$1000-\$1999 gets a larger logo on the "Gold" section. The "Platinum" section is reserved for donors of \$2000 or more and offers the most prominent display of the three. All logos are one color and sizes range from 3 x 3 inches for Silver to the more exclusive 10" x 10" logo space for Platinum.

All donations are tax deductible!
More details and donor receipt on next page...

Skateboard Donor Decal

\$10 donation

This 5" x 5" static cling window decal is a great way to show that you or your business supports the skatepark project. It can be displayed in windows of your car, house, office, or business. Its static cling surface means that it can be easily removed with no sticky residue.

This decal can be purchased at our booths and many local businesses. For a list of places to buy it or to order online, visit our website at lakewoodskaters.org.



Skatepark T-Shirts

T-shirt Sponsor: \$500

In early June, the LSA held a t-shirt design contest to establish the look of the Official Lakewood Skatepark T-shirt. Local skater Clinton Louis won with his illustration of the skater. Designed for parents, teenagers, skaters and non-skaters alike, this t-shirt will be sold for around \$8 and will be available at our booth or at participating businesses. Soon to be worn all over Lakewood, make sure your logo is on the Official Lakewood Skatepark T-shirt.

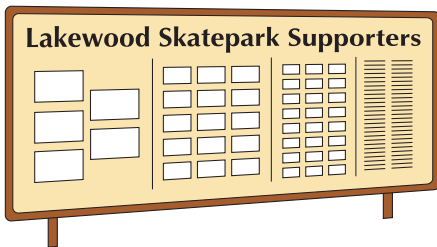


Benefits:
• Logo on the back of t-shirt

**T-Shirt Sponsorship Deadline:
January 31st, 2004**

Recognition Board

Donor levels: \$100 - \$500 and up



As a tribute to the citizens, organizations and corporations that helped make this happen, we will be erecting a permanent Recognition Board inside the Lakewood Skatepark upon completion. Including your company's logo will be our way of reminding the skaters and citizens of Lakewood who helped make it all happen. Signage and design has already been donated and it is just a matter of including our supporters in the final product.

Benefits:
Bronze Section Name Listing - \$100
Silver Logo Section (3" x 3") - \$500+
Gold Logo Section (6" x 6") - \$1000+
Platinum Logo Section (10" x 10") - \$2000+

Please accept our donation of \$_____ * toward the construction of the Lakewood Skatepark. We will provide a copy of our logo for recognition purposes (where applicable) †.

Company: _____

Your Name: _____

Signature: _____ Date: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Phone: _____ Fax: _____

Email: _____ Website: _____

***Please make checks payable to Lakewood Foundation c/o Lakewood Skaters Assoc.**

**Mail check to:
Lakewood Skaters Association
P.O. Box 771511
Lakewood, OH 44107**

Keep a copy of this form as your receipt.

†You may submit your logo on disk, email, or hardcopy. Logos are one color and need to be received by the deadline to be included on the T-Shirt. For questions about files or positioning, please give us a call at 216-228-3044 or email vince@lkwdskaters.org.