

Silver Lake Park - 300 Washington Street, Dover

- 10 AM - 1 PM

Enjoy a day of free family fun!

Paddle, Walk, and Explore Silver Lake Park!



TREE WALK

SILVER LAKE PARK PAVILIONS

Learn about the different trees!



MAYOR'S CANOE & KAYAK REGATTA

SILVER LAKE BEACH

Canoe or Kayak Cardboard Boat Contest!

JOIN US, RAIN OR SHINE!

All events are free & open to the public



FOOD & FUN

SILVER LAKE PARK PAVILIONS

Food, Games, & Music All Free!

FOR MORE INFORMATION VISIT: WWW.CITYOFDOVER.COM/PARKS-RECS-HOME WWW.FACEBOOK.COM/OPENSTREETSDOVER





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SILVER LAKE

COMMISION



DOVER BICYCLE& PEDESTRIAN SUBCOMMITTEE



Mayor's Cardboard Boat Contest

Two awards will be given by the Mayor:

Best Decorated

Paddle your cardboard boat from end of the beach to the other, first one wins

No Entry Fee Judging: 12:00 PM Boat Race: 12:15 PM Onsite Registration: 10 AM – 11:45 AM

Open to anyone that wants to turn recycled cardboard into a festive floating boat!

Boats may be any size, shape or design, but must be made of recycled cardboard. Boats should be painted with multiple coats of any one-part polyurethane or enamel paint.

- Prize 1: Mayor will judge the boats for creativity and best design
- Prize 2: Boat that floats! Go from end of the beach to the other. If more than one boats completes the journey, the boat arriving first wins!

Anyone who enters a boat into the water is responsible for getting their boat and it's decorations out of the water!! You will be disqualified if you cannot retrieve your boat.

Decorations may be removed from the boat prior to launch without penalty.

Other activities for the day include, the Silver Lake Tree Walk, Free access to kayaks and canoes and lunch, drinks, snacks and a DJ to keep us entertained. All activities are free and open to the public.

August 31 Silver Lake Park 10 am until 1 pm

Rules are subject for change. This is meant to be a family fun event, this is our first so please be prepared for updates as we get closer to the date!



Saturday, August 31, 2019 Time: 10 am – 1 pm FREE

(Silver Lake licensing fees will be waived for this event) Launch from Washington Street Entrance beach area

Mayor Robin R. Christiansen invites you to come out and enjoy Silver Lake Park on August 31 between 10 am and 1 pm. All activities are free, families are encouraged to attend!

Kayaks and Canoes: Those with canoes, kayaks, paddle boards, inflatables, row & peddle boats are welcomed. We will have certificates and a small prize for the first 100 people. Bring your boats & paddles, and life jackets to join in a floating parade to the Silver Lake Bridge area and then back. Silver Lake is a jewel for the City of Dover, there's not a better way to experience it than being right on it! Don't have a canoe or kayak? Don't let that stop you, as we will have a kayaks and canoes available during the event!

NEW this year:

Silver Lake Tree Walk: Volunteers will be on hand guide you through the Park highlighting the beautiful variety of trees in the park

Cardboard Box Boat Competition: Turn recycled cardboard into festive boats and join in the fun. For more details and rules, visit the Parks & Recreation website at: <u>www.cityofdover.com/parks-recs-home</u>

Music, food, and fun games will complete the festivities compliments of Restoring Central Dover. There is plenty of free parking available at the park.

This is a family friendly activity hosted by Mayor Christiansen, the Parks & Recreation Department, NCALL and Restoring Central Dover's Open Streets, the Silver Lake Commission, and the Bicycle & Pedestrian Subcommittee.

For more information, please call Carolyn Courtney at the City of Dover Parks & Recreation department at 302-736-7050.