

Staff Report on the Status of 2023 Projects and Programs Supported by the Madison Parks Foundation

February 2024

Project	Description	Status
Dog Park Memorial at Quann Park	A Memorial sculpture in Quann Park off-leash dog park.	Completed April 2023
Gaga Ball Pit at Olive Jones	Installation of a Gaga Ball Pit at Olive Jones Park (Randall School).	Completed May 2023
Yahara Place Park Horseshoe Pits	Installation of two horseshoe pits at Yahara Place Park.	Completed June 2023
Yahara Fishing Club Pier Access	Installation of a wheelchair accessible fishing pier at Warner Park in collaboration with the Yahara Fishing Club.	Completed June 2023
Heistand Disc Golf Memorial	Addition of a disc golf driving range at Heistand Park to memorialize Tasha Cheney, in collaboration with Glide Disc Golf.	Completed June 2023
Jeffrey Erlanger Accessible Playground at Rennebohm Park	Donation supporting the installation of the Accessible Playground at Rennebohm Park.	Completed August 2023
Frautschi Family Accessible Playground at Warner	Donation supporting the installation of the Accessible Playground at Warner Park.	Completed August 2023
Sprayground at Rennebohm Park	An accessible sprayground will be designed and built at Rennebohm park, targeting the summer or fall of 2024 to open.	In Progress
Accessible Playground at Reindahl Park	The accessible playground at Reindahl park is scheduled to be complete in the spring of 2025.	In Progress
Beach Mat at Vilas Beach	The hardscape has been constructed to improve wheelchair access from the parking area to the beach. The beach mat is scheduled to be installed in spring 2024.	In Progress
Lakefront Porch at Crawley Station	Support of Friends of Lakefront Porch for improvements rooftop of well at Crawley Station for park purposes.	In progress
Compassionate Friends Memorial at Vilas Park	Facilitating project to move memorial recognition from benches to bridge within Vilas Park.	In Progress

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Ongoing Programs	Description of 2023 Accomplishments
Goodman Pool Scholarships	Scholarships for over 4,000 admissions, 17 swim team scholarships, 4 dive team scholarships, and 5 swim & dive scholarships. In collaboration with the Goodman Foundation.
Tributes and Memorials	Eleven benches installed at various parks.
Learning Series	Fourteen events with over 250 participants.
KNOW Program at WPCRC	Over 1,050 hours of afterschool programming, and 24 new officials via the KNOW Referee Apprenticeship.
The Glen Golf Park Programming	Fifteen events with over 1400 participants.