

Update on Playgrounds in Prospect Park - Summer 2008 -

Prospect Park has seven dynamic and award-winning playgrounds that serve thousands of children and their families in neighborhoods all around the Park:

Harmony Playground, Imagination Playground, Lincoln Road Playground, Third Street Playground, Parade Ground Playground, Vanderbilt Street Playground, and Garfield Tot Lot

The Prospect Park Alliance is committed to maintaining and upgrading these playgrounds so that they can continue to be engaging and safe play areas for present and future generations of children.

Playground renovations recently completed:

3rd street playground: The Playground features new safety surfaces and water features for both small and older children. The Playground is located inside the 3rd Street/Prospect Park West entrance, next to the Litchfield Villa.

Playground renovations in the design stage:

Vanderbilt Street Playground: After reviewing design options with the community, the Prospect Park Alliance Office of Design and Construction presented formal plans to the New York City Art Commission. Construction will likely begin spring 2009. The Playground is located inside the Vanderbilt St./Prospect Park Southwest entrance.

Get Involved! A number of playground committees help the Prospect Park Alliance advocate on behalf of playgrounds and raise funds for their maintenance through events such as the annual spring Party for Playgrounds. Call the Alliance's Office of Community Outreach at (718) 965-8946 for more info on Playground Committees.

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