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Dear Community Members,

Whether you are a parent, grandparent, or still a kid, you'll love climbing through our monkey bars, getting hang time on our swings or going vertical on our Nexus standing spinner! Please join us in making this goal a reality.

The Kalida Park Committee is currently developing a new Community Park. We are looking forward to erecting playground equipment in 2 different areas. One will be located near the shelter houses and the other adjacent to the baseball and soccer fields. Each area is estimated at \$75,000 each for a total of \$150,000. We were able to keep this cost down considerably by providing all of the labor and receiving in kind donations for initial preparation of the land prior to construction. With some assistance, we are hoping to begin construction as early as this summer. This is planned so children, residents and visitors can actually physically enjoy the new park.

This project is needed as our former community park was considerably reduced in size when several years ago the new high school building was erected on a majority of that land. Our new park property was acquired over four years ago and since that time we have not yet purchased any playground equipment.

The park includes four baseball diamonds and five soccer fields with games scheduled through SAY soccer and various little league organizations, for roughly seven months beginning with baseball practices in April to soccer season games in October. The playground will provide entertainment for all ages and allow adults and grandparents the pleasure of watching them in a safe environment.

Large scale color displays are located in various business locations within the community. Color options are still being determined. If you have any questions or comments, please direct them to the Playground Committee members.

Please consider the idea of your family making a 501 (c) 3 charitable contribution specifically to help our community purchase and install the new playground equipment! Thank you so much for you past and present support in the planning and development of our New Kalida Community Park!

Sincerely,

The Kalida Playground Committee

Kerri Romes Shelley Guisinger Amy (Greg) Recker Erin Hoffman Amy (Ross) Recker
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Playground Fund

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Please send donations to: Kalida Athletic Boosters, Box 556, Kalida, OH 45853