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Lombard Park District to Host Ribbon Cutting for Southland Park on August 16.

Lombard Park District invites the community to the opening celebration for the newly renovated playground at Southland located at Grace Street & Central Ave. at 9:30 am on Saturday, August 16. Families, friends and neighbors can participate in a short ribbon-cutting ceremony, enjoy refreshments and giveaways, and explore the new play equipment.

In 2023, Lombard Park District was proudly awarded an Open Space Grant from the Illinois Department of Natural Resources to assist in the park development of Southland. Lombard Park District's project was one of 118 projects funded by the Open Space Land Acquisitions and Development (OSLAD) grant program.

"The Park District is grateful for the OSLAD grant program and is looking forward to providing the community with additional recreational opportunities," said Executive Director Joe McCann.

Southland provides a place to play for kids while visiting this large park that features a playground with picnic shelters, pickleball courts, bocce ball courts, and more.

