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Penbrook Borough Celebrates Completion of Improvements at Little Valley Park

Penbrook, PA (July 2, 2026) – Penbrook Borough is pleased to announce the completion of significant improvements to Little Valley Park, symbolizing an exciting new chapter for one of the Borough's most cherished community spaces.

For generations, Little Valley Park has served as a gathering place for Penbrook residents of all ages. Beyond providing opportunities for recreation, the park has long been home to the Borough's annual Summer Recreation Program, welcoming children ages 6 to 12 for outdoor activities, games, crafts, and educational programming each summer. The revitalization of the park ensures that future generations will continue to enjoy a safe, welcoming, and vibrant place to play, connect, and build lasting memories.

The improvements were made possible through the collaborative support of the **Pennsylvania Department of Conservation and Natural Resources (DCNR)**, **Local Share Municipal Grants**, the **Penbrook Lions Club** in conjunction with the **North East PA Lions Club**, the **Zigmund Company**, **Penbrook Revitalization Inc.**, and **Penbrook Borough**. Together, these investments reflect a shared commitment to enhancing public spaces and improving the quality of life for Borough residents.

The completed project includes numerous enhancements designed to improve accessibility, recreation, comfort, and safety, including:

- **Brand-new, modern playground equipment** designed to provide engaging and inclusive play opportunities for children of varying ages.
- **A new pavilion featuring picnic tables**, creating a welcoming gathering space for families, community events, and recreational programming.
- **A newly resurfaced basketball court** that offers residents an improved space for pickup games, organized activities, and healthy outdoor recreation.
- **Solar-powered lighting** that automatically illuminates the park from dusk until dawn, enhancing visibility while improving safety and security.

- **Newly planted trees** which will beautify the park, provide natural cooling, improve stormwater management, and contribute to the long-term health of the park's landscape.

To celebrate the completion of the project, Penbrook Borough invites residents and visitors to attend a **Grand Re-Opening Celebration on Thursday, July 16, 2026, at 11:45 a.m.** at **Little Valley Park**, located at the corner of **Catherine Street and Brooks Street**.

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