



## Norwalk Parks and Recreation Department Billy O. Phillips Park

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The Norwalk Parks and Recreation Department recently opened a new 6-acre park. Phase one of the park included a shelter house, bathrooms, along with playground equipment. Construction of the park began in fall of 2007 and was just recently completed.

The 40x30 foot shelter house was prefabricated by Cedar Forest. The prefabricated bathrooms consist of a storage area and two separate bathroom facilities. The playground equipment was designed and provided by GameTime, highlighted by a 20 foot climbing apparatus designed by Extreme Sports out of Canada.

Ribbon cutting ceremonies were held Saturday, July 19, to dedicate the park to Billy O. Phillips who founded the City of Norwalk Park Trust Fund. The shelter house was also dedicated to Jerry Starkweather, for his years of tireless dedication to the City of Norwalk.

Phase two of the park includes walking paths, a youth baseball field and basketball/tennis courts. If you have any questions pertaining to the park, feel free to contact Nancy Kuehl at 515-981-9206.

