



Schiller Park Fire Department

Block Party/Picnic Information for Fire Department Visits

Block party visits by the Schiller Park Fire Department are an extension of our Fire and Life Safety Education Program. We welcome the opportunity to meet with our community to enhance safety and awareness.

The following guidelines have been developed to make your block party visit a fun and safe experience for all in attendance.

General Information

- The purpose of our visit will be to familiarize the community with our equipment, services and important fire and life safety education tips.
- Block Party requests are granted on a first come, first served basis.
- Block party requests are during the summer months. We may not be able to grant all requests received.
- Each visit is designed to last up to 1 hour.
- Upon arrival at your event, the Company Officer will ask to meet with the block party contact to determine a safe location for our equipment to stage.
- We can provide a tour of our equipment during our visit.
- The fire companies visiting your event are "In Service" and may need to leave at a moment's notice.
- We request that children are supervised by a responsible adult. Our equipment is "working" equipment, not a toy, and may pose a safety hazard to those unfamiliar with the tools. This is for the safety of all party attendees.
- We can not offer rides on the working apparatus during our visit. We cannot allow the public to climb on, or handle, our equipment without a firefighter's supervision.
- The fire companies visiting your event reserve the right to leave if anyone present is visibly intoxicated or abusive in any manner.
- Please remember that our primary duty is emergency response; therefore, we may be delayed, late, or unable to attend your event due to emergency calls.

If you have any questions, please contact the Fire Department at 847-678-5136