

Free Summer Concert!

Join us for this family summer concert hosted by the LaSalle Park & Recreation Department and the LaSalle Public Library.

Pack a picnic lunch and lawn chairs, and head on over to

Pulaski Park

1001 Fifth Street between Tonti and Crosat Streets

“Rockin’ Summer Road Trip” Thursday, July 30, 6:00 p.m.

Contagious high-energy... that’s Rick Kelley’s totally interactive, original and brimming with everything “fun, memorable and exciting about Rock n Roll”, family show! Parents on stage as background singers... put on



those shades and go “Under the Boardwalk.” Can you back-up “Wait Till the Midnight Hour?” “Shake It Up Baby” with a hula hoop? When’s the last time you did the Limbo Rock? I “heard it through the grapevine” that THIS is a not-to-be missed.

For more information, please call the LaSalle Public Library at 815-223-2341.

City of LaSalle Parks

HEGELER PARK

St. Vincent’s Avenue between Maple and McArthur Roads

Veterans Memorial swimming pool and splash pad, Frances Couetts Tennis Courts (4), playgrounds (2), picnic shelters (3), grills, Little League baseball fields (2) with games nightly M-F, adult softball field with games nightly M-F, sand volleyball courts (2), restrooms, drinking water, electricity, off-street parking, historical marker, concessions, beverage vending machines.

MATTHIESSEN PARK

1255 Ninth Street between LaHarpe and Sterling Streets

Program Center, Junior or Senior League baseball nightly M-F, playground, restrooms, drinking water, picnic shelter, grills, Art Ulrich Horseshoe Courts, basketball, concessions during games.

PULASKI PARK

1001 Fifth Street between Tonti and Crosat Streets

Picnic shelter, grills, gazebo, restrooms, drinking water, historical marker, veterans memorial, playground, with electricity.

ST. MARY’S PARK

Grant Avenue & Tonti Street

Little League Girl’s softball nightly M-F, drinking water, concessions and restrooms open during games only.

MARY HEGELER CARUS MEMORIAL PARK

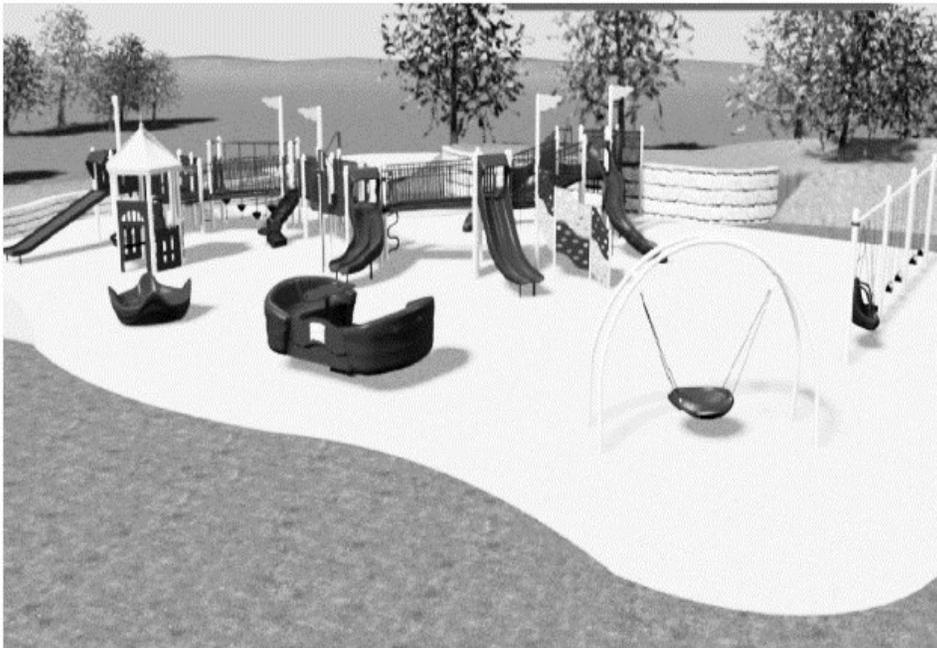
1500 Fourth Street between Buck and Central Streets

Playground, basketball, picnic tables, no water or restrooms.

LASALLE ROTARY PARK

E. 5th Road - North of Route 6

New 52 acre park featuring soccer fields, Junior and Senior league baseball diamond, a dog park, a fishing pier, shelters, and a wheelchair accessible playground.

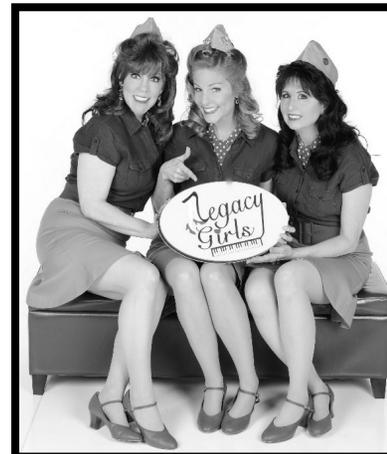


Celebrate LaSalle

LaSalle Rotary Park/June 25 - 27

Carnival, Bands, Food, and FUN!

The Legacy Girls



“Andrews Sisters Tribute”

Nancy Baumet, Renee Hein, and Dia Madden formed the Legacy Girls in 2006. In their production of “America's Wartime Sweethearts: The Andrews Sisters,” the trio performs a delightfully entertaining tribute to the music that uplifted and unified a nation through the darkest hours of World War II.

The Legacy Girls performance is one in a series of six programs, hosted by the LaSalle Public Library marking the 70th commemoration of the end of World War II. From May through August, 2015, the Library will offer program topics that will both entertain and inform, about a time and the people who played such a significant role in defining who we are as Americans.

The Legacy Girls concert will be held at LaSalle’s Rotary Park, in conjunction with other Celebrate LaSalle activities. Share the experience! LaSalle Rotary Park is Americans with Disabilities Act compliant and an ideal venue for intergenerational sharing of such an important historic commemoration. This program is free and open to the public.

**Saturday, June 27, Noon
LaSalle Rotary Park**

Hegeler Carus Mansion

Sunday, June 7 Family Fun Day - Free games, bouncy houses, treats 11:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m.
Mondays, June 15 – August 31 Tai Chi 6:00 p.m. on west lawn

Summer Sunset Concert Series: Captivating sounds and beautiful grounds are an enchanting setting for a memorable evening.

Friday, June 12	Cody Calkins
Friday, June 19	Al and Jeannie Brown
Saturday, June 20	Old As Dirt Band
Friday, June 26	Bagshot Row
Friday, July 10	USO concert (featuring local talent from Stage 212, Engle Lane)
Friday, July 17	Written Warning
Friday, July 24	Rich Selquist
Saturday, July 25	Crossroads
Friday, July 31	Katie Belle and the Rangers
Friday, August 7	70's Rewind
Friday, August 14	Bagshot Row
Friday, August 21	Henry Torpedo Boys
Friday, August 28	Steve N' Steve
Saturday, August 29	Last Call Endless Summer Party

7:00 p.m. Hegeler Carus Mansion Lawn hegelercarus.org



Rules for All Parks

1. NO bicycle riding on park grounds.
2. Water fountains are for drinking only.
3. NO GLASS CONTAINERS.
4. Restrooms are not to be used as play areas.
5. Park personnel are to be obeyed at all times.
6. NO DOGS IN PARKS, for safety and sanitary reasons.
7. Absolutely no alcoholic beverages may be sold in parks. Beer and wine in picnic shelters only, with permit. Local and state regulations are strictly enforced. *No alcohol anywhere in parks October 1 through April 30.*
8. Anyone willfully damaging park property will be prosecuted.
9. Parks close at 10 p.m. No one allowed on park grounds between 10 p.m. and 7 a.m., except when activities approved by Park Board are in progress. Subject to \$100 fine.

Written copies of detailed rules for all parks, tennis courts, and alcohol restrictions are available for pick up at City Hall during regular business hours.

Swimming

Weather permitting, the LaSalle Veterans Memorial Swimming Pool will open for the season on Saturday, May 30 at 1:00 p.m.

Swim Safely and Healthy

Be sure to obtain a copy of the POOL RULES and HEALTHY SWIMMING guidelines from our pool office. Our pool is licensed and regulated by the Illinois Department of Public Health. We strictly follow their regulations, and have added additional rules and regulations to assure the safety and well-being of all of our swimmers.

It is YOUR RESPONSIBILITY to know and obey the rules.

Cell Phone Security Policy:

To ensure the privacy of our swimmers, ALL CELL PHONES MUST BE TURNED OFF BEFORE ENTERING THE POOL BUILDING AND MUST REMAIN OFF AT ALL LOCATIONS INSIDE THE BUILDING.

Special Pool Programs

Adult and Tot Swim

This special time is designed for pre-school children (age 4 and under) accompanied by a parent or other responsible adult. Only the zero depth, spray and splash pad areas are open for use, with no lifeguard on duty.

****Everyday, except Sunday (M, T, W, Th, F, S) 11:05 a.m. - Noon
FEE: \$2.00 adult admittance**

Adult Only Recreational Swim

This special time is for adults only to swim laps or just to enjoy the spray features, slide and/or diving board without the usual crowds of youngsters. No Lifeguard on duty. Participants must be at least at least 16 years old.

Daily 11:05 a.m. - Noon

Arts and Crafts

Macramé Knots

Learn simple macramé knots to make this beaded bracelet made with hemp cord.

Wednesday, July 8 12:30 p.m. - 3:30 p.m.

Fee: \$10

Techniques of Jewelry Making

Learn basic techniques of jewelry making and more using a variety of materials and tools. For those who have taken our classes before, this will offer new challenges.

*Class fee must be paid at the time of sign up.
If you have questions, call Leesa at 815.224.1604.*

Wednesday, July 29 12:30 p.m. - 3:30 p.m.

**Fee: \$10 Earrings and Necklace or
\$10 Earrings and Bracelet**

***Beginner basket classes will be offered for any age
if there is enough interest. Fee \$15***

** Note: all craft classes must be pre-registered to assure
enough material will be available.*

Please check our website at

www.lasalle-il.gov

for updates and new programs that will be added through the year as well as a calendar of shelter reservations.

Use the interactive website to plan your summer activities and to keep up on what is going on in the LaSalle Parks and Recreation Department.

Adult Activities

Sand Volleyball

Adult 18 and Over League

FUN IN THE SAND AND SUN!! For more information contact Dan Weber at 815.343.0904 or call the LaSalle Parks and Recreation Department at 815.223.5077.



Every Sunday May 17 - August 30
4:00 p.m. - 10:00 p.m.

Farmer's Market

Enjoy locally grown produce from local vendors along with many craft and decorative ideas amongst other locally produced items at the La Salle Farmer's Market. The market will be located at the North East corner of Hegeler Park this year. Come out and enjoy some fresh air and the great local products.



Every Tuesday June 2 - September 29
3:00 p.m. - 6:00 p.m.



Euchre

A great time to play some cards socialize and enjoy a great afternoon in the newly refurbished center. Weekly prizes will be given to the top teams and some refreshments will be provided. Come join in on the fun.

Every Tuesday
1:00 p.m. - 3:00 p.m.
Fee: \$2 (Includes refreshments and prizes)
Ninth Street Program Center

Swimming

POOL HOURS

Tot Swim Mon thru Fri, Sat	11:00 a.m. - Noon
Monday thru Friday	Noon - 7:00 p.m.
Saturday, Sunday, Holidays	Noon - 5:00 p.m.
Adults Only Mon. thru Fri.	11:05 a.m. - Noon.
Adults Only Sat. and Sun.	11:00 a.m. - Noon

ADMISSION PRICE

\$2.00 per person per session - all ages

Season pass books (50 passes per book) \$75 per book.
Pass books may be purchased at the pool ticket window.

Special group rates for qualifying agencies may be arranged by contacting the Park and Recreation Director, 815.223.5077.

Swimming Lessons

Ages 6 and up

(We Will Not Be Offering Swimming Lessons for Younger Children.)

Indicate dates and time on Registration Form. Maximum 50 per time slot. Note: Water slide and spray features will not be turned on during lessons.

June 8 - 25 or July 6 - 23
10 - 10:45 a.m. (M, T, W, Th)

FEE: \$1.00 per child per day, payable daily at pool
Do Not Pay Swim Lesson Fee in Advance

Private Swimming Lessons

Scheduled by appointment, depending on the availability of instructors. Fee for private lessons is \$10 per ½ hour lesson, payable directly to the instructor. For more information about private swim lessons, phone the pool 815.223.4379 or Park and Recreation office 815.223.5077.



Pool Parties



LaSalle Pool Summer Celebration
Swimming, games, crafts, prizes, music and fun, watch for more details! Sign up at the pool by Friday, July 13 to attend!
Saturday, July 11, 2015
1:00 p.m. - 5:00 p.m.
Fee: \$2 per person

LaSalle Pool End of Summer Celebration
Hang out with your friends, swim, listen to music and win prizes, watch for more details!
Saturday, August 1, 2015
5:30 p.m. - 7:00 p.m.
Fee: \$2 per person



**All regular pool rules and Illinois
Department of Public Health
regulations must be followed at all times.**

**Make your private party even more
worthwhile by reserving a shelter also!**
For more information on availability of the shelters
close to the pool, call 815.223.3755.

Youth Camps/Activities

Three Day Art Camp-Printmaking 101

Learn how to make reproducible images using unique printmaking techniques. Conventional and unconventional printmaking will take place. All students will leave this class with new and innovative ways to create large and small prints using a variety of art making tools. Grades K-2 will use simple tools for printing (apples, potatoes, pans, and hands). Grades 3-5 will learn basic printmaking techniques (foam plates, sponges). Grades 6-8 will learn basic and advanced techniques (lino/block printing). Dress to experiment. All projects will be sent home on the last day of class.

Session 1: Grades K-2nd 9:00 a.m. - 9:45 a.m.
Session 2: Grades 3rd-5th 10:00 a.m. - 11:00 a.m.
Session 3: Grades 6th-8th 11:15 a.m. - 12:15 p.m.
July 6 - 8 M, T, W
Fee: \$20
Hegeler Carus Mansion

Spring Egg Hunt



The Spring Bunny will again appear in LaSalle. There will be lots of fun, prizes and of course a ton of eggs!! Watch the Parks and Recreation Website for more details as the event approaches.

Sunday, March 20, 2016

Summer Reading Program

This summer reading includes great programming, stories, crafts, art workshops, music, reading, science, and lots of fun.

LaSalle Public Library
305 Marquette Street

More information can be found on the LaSalle Public
Library website: www.lasalle.lib.il.us

Youth Camps/Activities

Soccer Camp

This year we are excited to be offering a Youth Soccer Camp out at our new Soccer Fields at Rotary Park. This camp will feature instruction in the fundamentals of soccer, drills and game play and will be taught by current and former La Salle-Peru High school varsity soccer players.



Ages 5-12 and of any skill level 9:00 a.m. - 11:00 a.m.

July 6 - 10 M, T, W, Th, F

Fee: \$20 per child and will include a shirt and prizes.



Football Camp

This one week camp will cover some of basic techniques and strategies of playing football. Players will be introduced to drills, positions and other elements of the practice and game day scenarios. Area coaches and high school players will help each child to advance their football knowledge at their own pace in a fun environment. Use the form in back of book to register in advance and make sure to include shirt size.

Boys (Grades of 2nd - 8th) 10:30 a.m. - Noon

July 13 - 17 M, T, W, Th, F

Fee: \$20



BB Gun Club

The club will meet for 17 weeks. The competition will consist of each child shooting ten shots at three targets from 33 feet away. The kids will be broken up in teams and a running score will be kept for each team and individual. At

the end of the year awards will be given to top teams and individuals based on score and special awards will be given to shooters that score a perfect 100.

Advanced registration by September 15, 2015

is required for equipment reasons.

Wednesdays, November 11, 2015 - February 17, 2016 6:00 p.m.

Fee: \$10 per child

Private Pool Parties

How about hosting your next party at LaSalle Veterans Memorial Swimming Pool? Various packages and prices are available, based on the number of people and areas of the pool used. Saturday and Sunday early evening hours available, based on availability. LaSalle Veterans Memorial Pool is available for up to 2 hours of private:

- Splashing, spraying and swimming
- Certified Lifeguards and manager on duty
- Open concession stand in pool area for purchase of drinks, chips, freeze pops, frozen candy bars, etc. - OPTIONAL

Packages Available:

Spray and Splash: 1 Lifeguard and 1 Manager

Use spray and splash areas only.

Up to 10 children: \$50; 11 - 20 children: \$100

Spray, Splash and Swim I: 4 Lifeguards and 1 Manager

Use of all areas and amenities of the pool.

Up to 10 swimmers: \$150

Spray, Splash and Swim II: 6 Lifeguards and 1 Manager

Use of all areas and amenities of the pool.

11 - 30 swimmers: \$200

Dates and Times Available:

Private parties may be scheduled on open Saturdays and Sundays from 5:30 - 7:30 p.m. **WE CANNOT SCHEDULE PARTIES FOR TIMES LATER THAN 7:30 p.m. DUE TO HEALTH DEPARTMENT REGULATIONS REQUIRING UNDER-WATER LIGHTING.**

NO SWIMMING SESSIONS CAN CONTINUE BEYOND DUSK.

Saturdays: June 6, 13, 20, 27 July 11, 18, 25

Sundays: June 7, 14, 21, 28 July 5, 12, 19, 26

For More Details, or to SCHEDULE A PRIVATE POOL PARTY:

After May 30: Phone the pool at 815.223.4379

Parties will be scheduled on a first come first served basis.

Special Pool Offer

PLAN AHEAD AND SAVE

Purchase your swimming season pass book in advance so you'll be ready when the pool opens. Each pass book costs \$75 and contains 50 tickets. Each ticket admits one person to the pool one time. Anyone in the family can use the tickets. *(Pass books are good for one season only - unused tickets cannot be saved to use next year.)*

Purchase your season pass book before May 22nd and receive a \$5 coupon for our pool Snack Shack. (1 coupon per pass book)

To order your season pass book(s),
complete the form below, clip and mail with fee to:
LaSalle Park and Recreation; 745 Second St.; LaSalle, IL 61301

Name _____

Address _____

City, State, Zip _____

Phone _____

Number of pass books _____ @\$75 Amount (\$): _____

Postage & Handling (\$1 per order) Amount (\$): _____
(For mailed orders)

Total amount enclosed Amount (\$): _____
Make checks payable to LaSalle Park and Recreation
(Check one option)

_____ I will pick up my pass book(s) at the pool on or after May 30th

_____ Please mail my pass book(s) (add \$1 for postage and handling)

ANOTHER SAVINGS TIP

Do not use your season pass tickets for swimming lessons.
Pay only 75¢ admission for each day of lessons.

Youth Camps/Activities

Basketball Camp

This camp is open to boys and girls grades K-8 and will be broken down by skill level. Basic fundamentals will be emphasized during this five day camp along with games and lots of fun! Use the form in back of book to register in advance and make sure to include shirt size. **Bring water bottles and wear tennis shoes!!**



Boys and Girls (All Ages) 10:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.
June 15 - 19 M, T, W, Th, F
FEE: \$20
LaSalle Northwest School Gym

Volleyball Camp

This camp is open to girls age 7-15 and is designed to teach basic fundamentals along with game action. Camp will be run by L-P volleyball stand outs. Use the form in back of book to register in advance and make sure to include shirt size.



Bring water bottles and wear tennis shoes!!
Girls (ages 7 - 15) 10:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.
June 22 - 26 M, T, W, Th, F
FEE: \$20
LaSalle Northwest School Gym

Cheerleading Camp

This one week camp is for aspiring and current cheerleaders. You will learn the skills needed to become a cheerleader from some of the current local high school cheerleaders in a fun and relaxed atmosphere. Come and show your spirit and be part of the fun. Use the form in back of book to register in advance and make sure to include shirt size.



Girls (Grades 2nd - 8th)
June 8 - 12 10 a.m. - Noon
Fee: \$20
LaSalle Northwest School Gym

Youth Camps/Activities

Tee-Ball For Boys and Girls Ages 4 - 7

Tee Ball is a fun, learning experience for young beginners in the game of baseball. The basic fundamentals of the game and ball handling skills will be taught. This is a learning program, not a league! Tee Ball meets at the Hegeler Park Little League and softball diamonds (north end of park). The first four sessions will be training and teaching sessions before the games begin in week three. Week six all games will be scheduled in the evening instead of the morning to allow working parents to have a chance to watch their children play. Participants should bring their own glove and wear tennis shoes, with laces tied. The registration fee includes a shirt, which will be given out before first game. The players will be divided into 6 teams and siblings will play on the same team. Use the form in back of book to register in advance and make sure to include shirt size. *Register by May 25*



Tuesdays and Thursdays

June 9, 11, 16, 18, 23, 25, 30 July 2, 7, 9

9:00 a.m. – 10:00 a.m. (Except last week at 6:00 p.m.)

FEE: \$15/6 weeks

Swim Camp

This year we are excited to be offering a Youth Swim Camp at the swimming pool; the camp will include numerous swimming activities such as laps in the various strokes, diving and other competitions.



Every Friday June 19 - July 31

10:00 a.m. - 11:00 a.m.

Fee: \$10 per child, includes a t-shirt and prizes for competitions and levels reached.

Tennis

Group tennis lessons for all ages will be offered at the newly remodeled Frances Coutts Tennis Courts in Hegeler Park. If you are 2 to 100, skilled or have never even picked up a racquet, we have a tennis program for you. Check the schedule below, and **REGISTER IN ADVANCE FOR ALL TENNIS LESSONS**. Use the form in back of this book and indicate t-shirt size.



ALL PLAYERS MUST FURNISH OWN RACQUETS.

Each registrant should bring own water, wear tennis shoes and also bring 1 can of balls to the first class. This will help hold down costs in our program.

Grade and High School

Beginners: 9:30 - 10 a.m. This class is for children 5 - 9 that are just beginning. Ball skills and basic strokes will be taught. It is a class to learn the lifelong fun and love of tennis.

Intermediates: 10 - 11 a.m. This class is for students that have some experience playing tennis. Basic strokes and learning the game of tennis will be taught. Ages 9 - 11.

Advanced: 11 a.m. - noon This class is for students that have more tennis skill. It is a class to teach strategy and more in depth tennis skills.

June 8 - July 31 M, T, W, Th, F

FEE \$20/8 weeks plus 1 can of 3 tennis balls

(Wilson or Penn balls are preferred, no practice balls.)

Tennis

Adult Men and Women

Adult tennis lessons are for anyone interested in learning to play tennis. Some players will be more experienced, while some will be learning. All in all it's a time for EXERCISE and FUN.

June 8 - July 31 8:30 - 9:30 a.m. M, W, F
FEE: \$24/8 weeks plus 1 can of balls

Tot Tennis Ages 2 - 5 (An adult MUST stay with each child)

A 4-week class, teaching basic ball skills and basic tennis strokes. It is a fun way to introduce your child to tennis. Use racquetball racquets. Use form back of book and indicate t-shirt size.

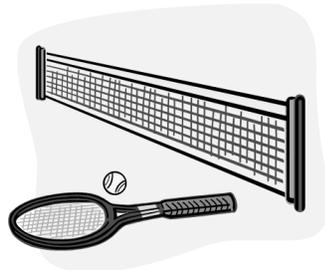
June 10 - July 29 5 - 5:30 p.m. W
FEE: \$10/4 weeks (pay for child only) plus 1 can of balls

Tennis Excellence

A 5-week class for advanced grade and high school players. A time to learn strategy, play other tennis players, and learn more about the game. An excellent program for those who want to be on high school or college teams.

June 11 - July 30 5:30 - 6:30 p.m. Th
FEE: \$20/5 weeks plus 1 can of balls

Afternoon Tennis Lessons: The Tennis program will continue with afternoon classes to help to accommodate those who have trouble coming in the morning. These classes will be offered Tuesday thru Thursday from 1 p.m. to 2 p.m. and skill level will be based on need. All levels including adult classes will be offered.



Tennis Tournaments will be held throughout the summer for those in our programs.

Youth Camps/Activities

Fishing



12th Annual Kids Fishing Expo

A FREE beginning fishing "How-To" clinic for boys and girls age 6 and up. Sessions will start every 15 minutes and run continuously all day! Learn to cast, tie a knot, bait a hook, identify your catch, clean a fish, and lots more! Casting contests! Free fishing games with prizes! Live fish displays! Bait provided! A limited number of fishing poles will be available for loan.

Saturday, May 16 9:00 a.m. – 2:00 p.m.
Baker Lake, Peru

24th Annual Lock 14 Kids Fishing Tournament

FREE! FREE! FREE! 2 different age groups: 4 - 12 and 13 - 15. Bring your own tackle (1 pole and 1 hook) No artificial lures. Bait provided. Snacks and soda provided. Prizes Awarded.

Saturday, June 6

Registration on site: 8 a.m. Fish: 9:00 a.m. – 11:00 a.m.
I & M Canal Lock 14 - LaSalle

These two activities are sponsored by: Better Fishing Association of Northern IL, Illinois Dept. of Natural resources, Illinois Valley Sunrise Rotary, in association with City of LaSalle, City of Peru, and Peru River Rescue.

For more information call
815.220.3901 or
815.223.3671
or visit
www.better-fishing-
assoc.org

