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PLAYGROUND ASSOCIATION**

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Constitution

The name of this organization shall be the Playground Association of Fort Wayne.

OBJECTS OF THE ASSOCIATION

1. To urge the establishment and maintenance by the municipality of a complete system of playgrounds and recreation centers at convenient districts throughout the city.
2. To establish and operate, under competent supervision and with adequate equipment, a model playground until such a time as the municipality shall undertake the work.
3. To secure the erection of one model recreation center, for winter and summer use, adequately equipped for bathing, games, sports, recreation and social meetings.
4. To investigate city conditions with reference to the playground needs, and

plan a complete system of playgrounds and recreation centers for the future.

5. To study and promote the playground efficiency.

6. To promote the play spirit through festivals of play, sport and games.

7. To encourage, through organized effort, all manner of healthful outdoor exercises.

MEMBERSHIP

Any person may become a member by signing its constitution and paying \$1.00.

DUES

The dues shall be \$1.00 a year.

OFFICERS

The officers shall consist of President, two Vice-Presidents, Secretary and Treasurer.

EXECUTIVE

The chairmen of the standing committees with the officers, shall form the Executive Committee.

MEETINGS

The regular meetings of the Executive Committee shall be held the first Monday evening of each month.

STANDING COMMITTEES

The work of this organization shall be carried on through the following standing committees.

1—Ways and Means.

2—Model Playgrounds.

3—Sites.

4—Teachers.

5—Equipment.

6—Finance.

7—Athletic.

8—Membership.

9—Publication.

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CONCLUSION

The Playground Association of Fort Wayne shall co-operate with the city government, churches, labor unions, philanthropic societies, educational bodies, clubs and athletic organizations.

The membership of all such groups shall be asked to join in the work of this Association.

This Constitution may be amended by a majority vote of the Association.



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