

# The Great Community of Lincoln Park

Did you know that at one time Lincoln Park had ...

1. A Woman's Club
2. Its own Fire Company
3. A tennis court
4. A corner grocery store
5. An ice skating rink
6. A K-6 Elementary School
7. Its own youth twirling corp
8. Its own youth cheerleading squad
9. Brownie and Girl Scout troops
10. Cub and Boy Scout troops
11. A Strawberry Festival
12. Block parties
13. Organized Summer Playground
14. Church pre-school
15. Santa arriving, driving through the streets on a fire truck
16. A Sunday morning church bell ring
17. A designated Sledding hill
18. A Christmas Light display decorating contest
19. A Post Office
20. A neighborhood directory?



Now it only has ....

1. Its own swimming pool with lessons and a swim team
2. A welcoming community church

Why has there been such a change?

1. Families are too busy /Both parents working
2. Kids on screens instead of playing outdoors
3. There are larger more widespread clubs and sports
4. No neighborhood elementary school