



Help Shine a Light on Lead Safety at New Haven’s Lighthouse Point Park!

Sunday, June 11, 2017

10:00AM-3:00PM

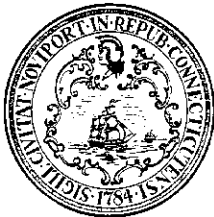


WHAT: Our 17th Annual Lead Education Picnic at Lighthouse Point Park. Free lunch & snacks. Fun entertainment including a magician, dancing & Mad Science Show. Learn about lead in our interactive “Dusty” the Dog lead exhibit & enjoy a fun learning experience with the New Haven Fire Department, CT State Police & American Medical Response. Participate in free activities such as carousel rides, face-painting, balloon animals, potting flowers & plants & tie-dyeing t-shirts.

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WHERE: Lighthouse Point Park, New Haven, CT
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WHY: Childhood lead poisoning remains a major environmental health issue in the United States. An estimated half a million children between the ages of 1 & 5 are living with elevated blood lead levels. Elevated levels of lead in developing children can cause damage to the nervous system & causes developmental, behavioral & neurological disorders, all of which could be irreversible. The only way to know if a child has lead poisoning is to have them tested, even if they seem healthy.



Toni N. Harp, Mayor

