



Automatic External Defibrillator (AED) Addition to Goddard Park



One of the identified risks within our community is sudden cardiac arrest (SCA). According to the American Heart Association, SCA is a leading cause of death in the United States. When a sudden cardiac arrest occurs if the heart rhythm is not quickly restored, death is imminent. An automatic external defibrillator (AED) is a small device that analyzes the heart and then prompts the user to deliver a shock to restart the heart. Having an AED close to the public will enhance a person's survival rate should an emergency arise.



London Grove Township Fire Marshal, Robert Weer recently secured a grant to reduce the cost of an Automatic External Defibrillator (AED) System that is now placed at Goddard Park. The Avon Grove Lions Club donated \$1,500 to cover the cost of the AED as well as a cabinet to secure the system. The system is placed between the restrooms at the park. The Avon Grove Lions Club meets Tuesdays at 6:00 p.m., every first and third Tuesday from September through June at the Technical College High School, Delaware County Community College, 280 Pennocks Bridge Road, West Grove, PA 19390 www.aglions.com. For any questions regarding this system please contact London Grove Township Fire Marshal, Robert Weer at rweer@londongrove.org or 610-345-0100.

