

Encke Park
Playground
Dedication

Wednesday, July 29, 2015

The playground at Encke Park was installed and opened in the Fall of 2014.







Community members in attendance enjoyed watching the Phillie Phanatic as he joined in anxiously awaiting the ribbon cutting ceremony!







In the mid-1940's, Encke Park was the site of the Radnor Township Sewage Plant. When the plant was phased out, the land was filled in and made a park site. The Township purchased the land in 1965.

Formerly called Iven Field, the park was renamed to honor Ethel G. Encke in 1974. Encke was the founder of the Radnor Recreation Department and ran the department before there was a formal director. She retired in 1972 after serving the Radnor Township School District for 44 years as a physical education teacher and coach.

The 10.7 acre parcel of Encke Park also comprises the Township Building and Radnor Skate Park.

Thankyou for attending!



