

#524 District 1-J 70 S. Llanos St. Cortland, IL 60112

August 3, 2023

Town of Cortland Mayor and Trustees,

The Cortland Lions Club has a busy summer of events planned for the community. In addition to SummerFest in August and the Parade in October, we are planning to celebrate our 50^{th} anniversary with a 1950's Sock Hop! The event is to take place on September 9^{th} , from 6:00-10:00 pm at the Lion's Den.

We would like to include an outdoor area in the park to include a beer garden (I have already spoken with the mayor regarding liquor licensing). We would be looking to temporarily fence off from the north and south ends of the building to the east, with the baseball field fence forming the east border of the enclosure.

We also have several owners of classic 1950's automobiles wanting to bring their cars for a 'cruise night'. Our hope was that we could utilize a portion of the baseball field for the vehicles, leaving the parking lot open for guests.

In addition, as the event will go past 9:00, we are also seeking a variance to the noise ordinance.

Attached is a flyer for the event.

Thank you for your consideration,

Dan Black Secretary Cortland Lions #524