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ilyse@ripplepublicrelations.com**WEBSITE:**www.celebratehighwood.org/project/garlic-fest/**FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE***--photography available--***HIGHWOOD'S 10TH ANNUAL GARLIC FEST GUARANTEED TO BE
A STINKING GOOD TIME***August 18, 2021, 4:30-9:30 p.m. in the Newly Renovated Everts Park*

HIGHWOOD, IL (AUGUST 18, 2021) — The intoxicating scent of garlic and the promise of a stinking good time will once again bring the crowds back to Highwood's 10th annual Garlic Fest on Wednesday, August 18th from 4:30-9:30 pm in the newly renovated Everts Park (111 North Avenue). Held in conjunction with Highwood's Evening Gourmet Market, this foodie fest showcases a plethora of dishes with the ever-popular taste (and scent) of garlic, with live music and plenty of family-friendly activities to entertain all evening long.

Festival attendees will have the opportunity to sample various garlic creations from out-of-the-ordinary garlic-infused chocolate, cookies, ice cream funnel cakes, and garlic-infused cocktails, to the classic, savory options like pastas, sandwiches, sauces and spreads. In addition to garlic offerings, a wide range of local produce, gourmet cheeses, homemade pastas, baked fare, assortments of breads and pastries, an array of ethnic delicacies and local artisan wares will also be on-site to enjoy! Not to worry, there will be plenty of mints on hand and recipes will be available to take home!

[Celebrate Highwood](#)'s smelliest event will showcase the beloved flavor of garlic, known for its culinary and medicinal purposes. An esteemed panel of judges and the people will come together to vote for their favorite Sweet and Savory Garlic Creation in the People's Choice and Judge's Competitions. Winners will be announced from the Stage at 8:30 p.m.

The event would not be complete without an incredible live music offering and from 6:00-9:00 pm, Celebrate Highwood is honored to present Bill Pantle & The Tribute To Old Blue Eyes Trio, classic Sinatra and selections from The Great American Songbook, plus some jazz instrumentals too.

A special thanks to Celebrate Highwood Sponsors that help make producing Highwood Garlic Fest possible including [Highland Park Bank and Trust/Bank of Highwood-Fort Sheridan](#) and [Michael Goldstein Senior Residential Lender Wintrust Mortgage](#). For more information on Garlic Fest, please visit www.celebratehighwood.org/project/garlic-fest, follow Celebrate Highwood on [Facebook](#), or call 847.432.6000.

ABOUT CELEBRATE HIGHWOOD:

Celebrate Highwood is a 501(c)(3) non-profit public charity established in August 2016. Managed and operated by volunteers, its mission is to bring the community together to raise funds for local and national charities. Through producing events that cater to the citizens, businesses and visitors of Highwood, their goal is to give back, build strong community spirit, and establish Highwood as THE prime entertainment destination for dining, festivals and events on the North Shore. For more information on all of Highwood's festivals, please visit www.CelebrateHighwood.org, www.facebook.com/celebratehighwood, or call 847-432-6000.