



2ND ANNUAL

# DINNER ON THE DIAMOND AT MUZZY FIELD

The Second Annual Dinner on the Diamond at Muzzy Field was held on Saturday, May 13, 2023. The fundraiser was held from 5:00 to 8:00 PM and featured live music, passed hor'dourves, buffet dinner, and drinks. In addition to raising proceeds for The Friends of Bristol Parks and Recreation Fund through the Main Street Community Foundation, the evening serves as a kick-off to the summer season and a celebration of Bristol's parks. Funding supports community driven projects, local initiatives, coalition and program resources, and future park projects.

## 2023 Impact Report

### RAISED

Ticket sales, table sponsors, and event sponsors generated over

**\$13,000**



**14**

**Total Sponsors**



**49%**

Increase in Attendance from 2022

### ATTENDED

**146 Total Guests**

Supporters included community members, partners, local businesses, committee members, park patrons and friends.



Guests returned from the previous year



**86% Increase** in sponsorship support over 2022

**93 % Increase** in dollars raised from sponsor support over 2022

**4 Returning Sponsors Increased** their level of support from 2022

### HIGHLIGHTS

The Second Annual Dinner on the Diamond served as the third ever fundraiser in the history of the Department of Parks, Recreation, Youth and Community Services' (BPRYCS) and prompted overwhelmingly positive feedback. The program began with welcoming remarks from BPRYCS Staff, Mayor Jeff Caggiano, and the evening's gold sponsors. Shortly after, BPRYCS presented the All Heart Parks Advocate of the Year Award and showed a preview of the department's 2023 national gold medal finalist video. Following remarks, the program moved into live music from local band, Southern Voice and guests enjoyed dinner catered by the Greenhouse Cafe and Tavern.



**88%**

Board of Parks Commissioner participation

