

Why go to the usual places for lunch in La Crosse, when you can sit in Riverside Park and listen to good music?

The park department and the Valley View Rotary are working together to provide lunch-hour concerts called 'Noon Tunes' on Thursdays at the Riverside bandshell. City park director Steve Carlyon is hoping for a large turnout for the noon entertainment. The concerts will be free, and people attending will be encouraged to bring their own lunch from home or from downtown restaurants. Area musician Bill Miller will lead off the Noon Tunes programs on June 14th. With a few exceptions, the weekly concerts will continue every Thursday through Oktoberfest.