

# **Essex County Parks Archives**

**Essex County Department of Parks, Recreation. and Cultural Affairs** 

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### **Upcoming Events:**

# **Archives and History Day at Monmouth County!**

On October 11th visit our booth at Archives and History Day. We will be showcasing our efforts to make the history of the Essex County Park System more accessible to the public.

Join us from 9 am to 3 pm at the Monmouth County Library Headquarters, at 125 Symmes Drive, Manalapan, NJ.

#### **News:**

#### **History at your fingertips!**

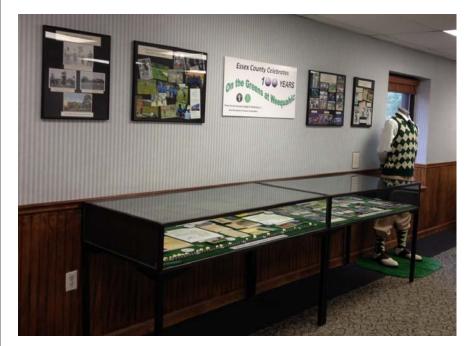
The Archives recently joined the History Pin application for smart phones and web browsers aiming to reach a broader audience. You will find historic photos and informative captions pinned to a local map allowing park visitors to instantly access our park system's history from their smart phones.

Find us on HistoryPin.com or the History Pin smart phone app under "Essex County Park System."

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## Weequahic Golf Course's 100th Anniversary



This summer, the Essex County Parks Archives presented an exhibit to commemorate Weequahic Golf Course's 100th Anniversary. Weequahic Golf Course was the first public golf course in New Jersey.

The first display case highlights the development of Essex County's public golf. The second display case explores the experience of public golf in the county. The framed collages celebrate the people who have been a part of the Weequahic Golf Course. The mannequin represents typical golf attire worn in the early 20th century.

The exhibit is available for viewing at the Weequahic Golf Course Clubhouse at 1 Thomas Carmichael Drive in Newark, NJ until the end of the year.



Essex County Executive Joseph N. DiVincenzo, Jr. and the Board of Chosen Freeholders

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