

# Ready to Open \$7,000 Field at Vaughnsville

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VAUGHNSVILLE --- As the fruition of a community-wide project directed by the Sugar Creek Athletic Association, softball and baseball teams in this area, will soon have a \$7,000 lighted softball-baseball diamond.

Dedication of the new field, set for early June, is to be an impressive affair, with the Governor of Ohio on hand, it is hoped, reports association president Clyde Stemen. Lights – 80 of them, ten to a pole are being installed at the field now, and workers hope to try them out within a week. New bleachers and a new backstop have also been added at the field, located on Vaughnsville school grounds.

Money for the field improvements was raised by contribution from area residents, alumni, and business establishments, with men of the association also providing considerable free labor.

**This field was used by the Vaughnsville high school baseball team until its consolidation with Columbus Grove in 1963. The field is still in great shape and used by many youth baseball and softball teams in the area.**