

WINGS October 7th meeting minutes:

Attendees: Donna Biggins, Jo Porotovsky, Carolee Gilmore, Patricia Holland, Kim Beaty, Phyllis Burkhart, Carrie Milhous, Jean Potts, Allison Wiman, Tracey Maleszewski, Sharon Pilat, Beth Serio, Laura Morris, Donna Pailet, Melissa Sibille and Cheryl Ibarra

Meeting commenced with an opening prayer, Our Father and Hail Mary.

Treasurer's report: Pat Holland reporting

WINGS has \$4133 in our account. We also have \$300 in petty cash. We made \$3149 from the Kids Consignment Sale. The expenditures for consignment sale were \$894. Please contact Pat H. if you need to purchase something for WINGS or need to be reimbursed for a purchase.

Fall Festival:

New set-up: Donna Biggins reporting

Father Mike has asked us to relocate the FF to the side of the community center building and back parking lot to save on the wear and tear of the front lawns. All activities will be on the side of community center and in the back of the RE building. We will be using the loading dock as an entertainment stage.

Entertainment: Carrie Milhous reporting

After much discussion and better late than never information, the sound system will be provided by GSCC and Josh Kearney will be in charge of the system. The children's choir has chosen not to perform this year. We will be having a karate demonstration and a dance group for entertainment. The parade will start at 10:00 with a prize for the best costume. Karate demonstration to start at 11:30 and the dance group to follow.

Games: Beth Serio reporting

The games committee has looked over all games and all parts and pieces are accounted for and a map for placement has been marked out. Volunteers are still needed. We did acquire 2 more inflatables for a total of 5.

Volunteers: Phyllis Burkhart and Laura Morris reporting:

We did manage 25 sign-ups from Life Night and Donna B. gave Laura M. the sign-up sheets from the previous weekend of recruiting volunteers after each mass. It was later reported that Someone has been listening and we have 100 volunteers. Thank you Lord. Another announcement for sing-ups to be held this weekend after all masses.

Raffle/Donations: Jo Porotovsky reporting:

A few more donations have been obtained. If you have anything for the raffle or wish to donate something yourself, please contact Jo P., Diana G., Julie L., Sharon P., Kim B., or Allison W. Committee, please email Jo P. with a total number of your collections. Thanks for all your efforts especially in this economic time. Allison W. also commented on the need for great placement of the raffle booth to ensure good sales.

Cake walk: Pat Holland reporting

Pat H. has the necessary volunteers for the cake walk and a sign-up sheet was passed around for cake donations. Sign-up table for volunteers and cakes/desserts again this weekend.

Food: Donna Biggins reporting

Surf City Pizza will be serving pizza by the slice for \$1. The nacho machine will be rented from Funflates, hotdogs being cooked and assembled by MOGS, GSCC is donating the popcorn and supplies for the popcorn machine, we will be ordering cotton candy in bags this year, drinks will be in 5 gallon coolers and Pat H. will be taking Pat Beckett to do the shopping.

Dessert table:

There will be another announcement by the choir after each mass this weekend to request donations for cakes and desserts. Jean P. to call and remind parishioners of their donations.

Prizes: Allison Wiman reporting

The GSCC mens football team is going to help set up and hopefully break down the day of the event. The boyscout troop is also being actively recruited to help. We will be placing hand sanitizer outside the funflates this year. We will need to have a playground monitor to ensure the safety of all children. It was suggested to have a "height chart" in place so only kids under a certain height can be on the playground. There is a basket in the RE room for donations to still be made. Allison has found someone to do the balloon animals as well. Baskets are still in need so all of our donations can be arranged for the raffle.

Aprons: Donna Biggins reporting

The aprons have been ordered and should be in any time now. The cost of the apron is \$10 if you haven't purchased yours yet. Please contact Donna B. if you'd like to order.

UPDATE: The aprons are in and Donna has sent an email letting you know where she will be this next week in order to pick yours up or make a purchase.

WINGS bylaws: Donna Biggins reporting

A rough draft was handed out for all members to review and make any additions or deletions to before the next scheduled meeting. Please take the time to review these papers for this is our group and all of our opinions matter.

Next meeting: WINGS next regularly scheduled meeting will be Tuesday, November 3, 2009 at 7:30 in the community center. We will be discussing the outcome of the FF and sharing in fellowship and fun. I think someone mentioned wine this time!!

Closing prayer for strength, fellowship, unity and the request for more volunteers. Thanks to all who attended. And an early Thank You for every single one of you that has put forth your best effort this year to make the FF successful yet again.