

Fun Fest Meeting Minutes

Wednesday, May 22, 2024

In Attendance: Ann Simonson, Rita Franko, Mike Franko, Mia Franko, David Connolly, Mike Nichols, Stephanie Long, Fr. Matt

Meeting Began with Prayer at 6:40 pm

Review of Minutes from Last Meeting

Follow Up from Last Meeting:

Ann will follow up with Tricia Tauss to see if they can find an additional can for the milk can toss game. If their searching becomes futile, Ann will ask the St. Joseph Church Broadalbin community to borrow their can. Not to be confused with can can dancing.

Ann: Adam is attempting to build a prize wheel so our shared parishes will have their own instead of needing to borrow St. Joseph's (St. Joseph's is a back-up).

Ann: Preston Gillis is still working on building a skee ball table but will not be able to be present for magic tricks and balloon making due to a family Disney trip.

Ann: Will order balloons for the balloon game. Parishes already have dart board and darts.

Ann will contact the Gloversville Police Department for security purposes within two weeks of the event.

Ann checked with Shawn Beebie about a coffee truck. The proposal will be to charge Shawn a squatter's fee. Is it realistic to charge a \$50 fee? Survey says yes!

Mia & Fr. Matt will check on the volunteer form for the Fun Fest and insert the link (from the shared parish google drive) on the respective parish websites and parish facebook pages

Mia & Fr. Matt will work on the welcome to the parish flyer/ministry brochure

Committee decided to not look into updated aprons for 2025

Fr. Matt will ask Tricia Tausz if she would like to create an easel/chalkboard with food and drink prices

David Connolly already spoke with Antonucci's and was advised that 2-3 weeks advance notice will work with their scheduling needs.

Advertising – Contact Leader-Herald, Fb posts, WENT AM (email it to them), Flyers for Parish Bulletin Boards, Stewart's (Mia and Fr. Matt)

Committee Reports:

Stephanie Long: Spoke with Diane at Rosito's for pastry pick up. Pick up date and time is day of fest itself. 50 eclairs, 125 cannolis, 100 sfogliatelles, 50 chocolate pastries, 50 vanilla pastries. Will charge \$3.00 per pastry instead of \$4.00 like last year.

Mike Nichols: There was some left over food last year from the Men's Group table. Leftovers were donated to Friday's Table. Will look into a lead he has regarding a milk can.

Question about Stuffed Animal Prize Costs: Can spend up to \$150 on stuffed animal prizes.

Suggestion for "building up prize equity" – give children milk club card-esque tickets that can be punched after qualified game wins in order to win higher-cost prizes.

Rita has neon colored index cards that can be donated towards this rewards system. Office has hole punchers that can be used.

Next Meeting: Wednesday, June 26, 6:30 pm at Holy Trinity Hall