

June 14 Committee Reports

Springfield of Dreams Charity Cup

1. **Management** (Gene reported)
 - a. The Tournament rules, FAQ, and “About” are posted on the website.
 - b. The website map has been improved
 - c. The OSYSA tournament list now has a link to the tournament website.
 - d. Cleve and Ty have improved the sign at Eagle City with the tourney website address and phone number.
 - e. No applications have been received .
2. **Program/Promotions**
 - a. No report received by 6/14.
3. **T-shirt/Awards** (reported by Paul M & Ty)
 - a. Paul M - Ty has made note of the quantity of t shirts. He will be getting quotes on quantities starting at 400 to 1000. In addition, he is including the bobble head trophy and patches. His targets include those in Springfield and Dayton. He is also aware of the synergy we may have with the one vendor that Jeff is considering for the programs - the Your Design Here folks.
 - b. Paul M - Results of the request will be forwarded by Ty, but I haven't asked him when that might be. This email will have the dual purpose of informing you and asking Ty how things are proceeding...
 - c. Paul M - I also have the unfortunate circumstance of having to leave town Thursday and Friday for the funeral of a second cousin. She was 19...and to make matters worse, her brother died last year in a car accident, he was around 23. My cousin, their mom, must be a wreck. My greatest fear is seeing her tomorrow.
 - d. Ty - I have received one quote back from Primary Spirit. It is an inclusive quote that includes all items. As far as for Jeff & the programs, my concerns are not to leverage the programs against the t-shirt bid but to leverage the trophies and the patches. It is truly difficult to find someone who can do the shirts and print programs. Where as it is much easier to find someone who can do shirts, trophies and patches. I am getting quotes for an ash t-shirt for the boys and a sleeveless ash for the girls per Paul's suggestion. Sleeveless shirts are a little more than sleeved. "Less material-More money Go Figure?". Gene can you please e-mail me the tourney budget again. My system crashed & I lost the data. I read in your email to try & find a company that is willing to print an initial batch for Saturday & a second batch of shirts Saturday night or Sunday morning for Sunday. This is a difficult request due to the fact a lot of print companies will not be willing to open shop on Sunday or Saturday night and if they are willing they will tack that additional labor on to the front end of the quote. Unless we are looking to have an on-site t-shirt vendor and Paul this is where I will need your Help. With your tourney experience, you may want to contact some on-site vendors or email me there numbers. Gene can you give me an update on tourney registration as well.

4. **Facilities** (reported by John Berry)
 - a. Home City Tent and Awning did fax over a written proposal in regards to the big tents that are needed for the tournament. The proposal is as follow:

2 - 20x20 tents @ \$195.00 per tent for total of \$390.00	
2 - 20x30 tents @ 235.00 per tent for total of \$470.00	
<u>Discount of</u>	<u>-\$160.00</u>
Total of \$700.00	
5. **Registration**
 - a. Hotel Info has been posted on the website by Paul Cross
 - b. No report received by 6/14.
6. **Concessions**
 - a. No report received by 6/14.
7. **Special Events** (reported by Tony & Crystal)
 - a. Crystal and I have not spoken since the last meeting. We favor keeping things simple and not starting a small circus the first year. We've discussed two balloon type jumpers for the kids, speed kick, and maybe one or two other soccer skill events. I hope to make some progress next week.
 - b. I have someone who might bring about 500 gallons of water on a truck. We could setup a mister to cool down the kids. It would cool to have some sort of fountain or wading area. I might talk to the fire department for ideas. Should I pursue finding ways to cool the kids down?
 - c. I spoke with Jim Weiss, owner of Weiss RV. He promised to check his schedule, insurance, and staffing and let me know next week if he is interested in providing RV's. I told him we would allow a sign and ad space in the program.
 - d. I manually submitted the tournament site to Google. It now makes the first page list for most common words.
 - e. There was a big increase in hits following the parade. We got a total of 143 hits the five days following the parade. About 60 would have been normal. From June 1-6, nine people have used the link from our site to the tournament site.

Reminder: All committees are to submit weekly reports from now until Tourney by 5 pm on Wednesday to Gene and he will produce summaries the next day. This is the first such report. I waited for the rest of the reports to come in over the weekend.

Next Meeting: June 22 7 PM at City Center Office on West High Street.