Fourth Shrimporee Planning Meeting Notes July 27, 2010

The fourth Shrimporee planning meeting was held on July 27 at the JSC FCU from 5:30 pm to 6:45 pm. Those in attendance were Mike Dennard, Marilyn Musial, Art Oswald, Alan Wylie, Marsene Boldt, Billy Smith, Geoff Atwater, Brian Ellis, John Nugent, and Jerrold Dewease. Mike Dennard presided.

The committee decided to use raffle prizes from Ben Bridge Jeweler for one fundraiser and Lewis Jeweler for the other fundraiser. The value of the raffle prize should not be over \$2500.

The status of the open items and new ones are as follows:

Bill Lowes needs 5 more workers in the Brisket slicing area. Marsene said that she may work in this area or the auction.

A replacement is needed for Don Kirchoff in the hot dog area due to a conflict that Don has on Oct 16. Don will work on getting a replacement.

Mike has established the dates for the Shrimporee planning meetings after August and will send them to Jerrold to be added to the calendar

Mike will talk to Earl Maudlin about the equipment trailer, who owes, where to keep, etc.?

A chair is needed for the cooking equipment. There was discussion as to break the task up into several parts, one for storage, transporting and to fill the propane bottles; and a second to load and unload it.

Jerrold will contact the band used last year and ask them to perform again this year. They will perform from 10:30am to 1pm.

Confirm Marc Schneider will handle Children's activities again this year

Fletcher the Clown be used again if available

We will have safety, health and educational activities again this year. Phil Sandlin has agreed to do the kids IDing per Art Oswald. He will be approached about having the K-9 corp. and to do CPR training. Jerrold has action items.

The Teachers of the Year and the Firefighter winners will be asked to come, given meal tickets, and be recognized during the Shrimporee. The respective committee chairs and committees will handle invitations and guests while at the Shrimporee. It was suggested that a picture of the teachers be added to the proposed big screen monitor used to display the sponsors. Scott has lead on obtaining the big screen monitor.

Bill Geissler will work with Earl Maudlin to modify the shrimp cooking equipment. Earl will modify the equipment. Geoff asked for student volunteers to help with the shrimp cooking. Using Rotaract students (President is Stavan Vora and member of Club) was suggested as well as Stavan's father Bimal.

Teams similar to that of last year will be used again. Mike is to get with Billy Smith to set up the teams. Raffle tickets sales will be considered as part of the team concept.

Mike will confirm the Raffle ticket sales chair. Sheryl Berg was the chair last year.

Brian was asked whether Alice would be chair of the sweet table, he will ask her.

Price of soft drinks and bottled water \$1, beer and wine \$2

Mike will get with Kippy Caraway about doing the PR and the VIP escort. John Davis to help with VIP escort.

Adult and student volunteers will get meal plates. Meal tickets to be provided by members with excess tickets or arm bands will be used to identify the students for a meal.

Need a replacement for beer chair. Brian said that he would do if a chair can't be found.

A hot dog plate will consists of bag of chips, hot dog, and drink or bottled water

Off site signs and banners: Need to update the 4 large street banners. Jon McKinnie put them out last year. Will there be yard signs. 21 were returned. 100 were made 3 years ago. Part of PR job?

Cindy Harreld will help with the VIP invitations. Who to contact Cindy to work with Art?

Jack Lister is co chair for corn

Gerry Smith is co chair for live auction

John Nugent is co chair for food services