

## Raffle

The raffle chair's responsibility is to obtain the prize and set the selling process in place. I will have the tickets printed when the major beneficiaries are approved by the Club's board. We have attempted to sell the raffle tickets to neighboring Clubs in the past, but unless last year was different, with very little success. I don't recommend this approach, but rather focus on our Club members and the day of the Shrimporee. However, you may do whatever you like in this regard.

The team concept initiated this year did not include the raffle, so you will have to solo, so to speak. You can give every Club member a book of tickets (usually 12 for \$100 or 6 for \$50 or \$10 a piece - you may want to price the tickets differently) to sell and continue to focus on the raffle during the Club meetings. Also quite a number of tickets have been sold at the Shrimporee. Making the guests at the Shrimporee aware of the raffle is the challenge. You will need a table to sell the tickets at the Shrimporee and perhaps someone to circulate around the pavilion area with the prize. This is also helpful at the Club meetings. Don't forget that the stub part of the tickets must be kept by the buyer. You will also need a credit card machine and some way to keep the checks and stubs from the sales both at the Shrimporee and at the Club meetings. Marilyn Musial has the credit card machines. You are responsible for getting the help you may need for the effort. I will help you with suggestions although I have been out of touch with the Club for a year. The first of August will be a good time to start since the tickets will not be available until the last of July. Of course you can start the awareness process and what the prize is ahead of that time.

Generally the raffle prize, the ticket format, and the plan are brought to the committee for discussion.