

St. Katharine Drexel Parish School
Fall into Fun 2022 Wrap Up
Thursday, November 3rd 6:30pm
SKDS, Catacombs

Call to Order

Attendees: Heather Whitman, Jodi Mohns, Sara Beecher, Vicki Hafenstein, Tina Steele, Marybeth Schessow

Opening Prayer

Fall Into Fun Event Notes

First Deposit of the Day - \$4976

End of Day Deposit - \$5734

Total - \$10,710

Marco's total on site - \$355 (20% will be coming back to us - \$71, as well as 20% of sales from their store on 9/24 - amount unknown) - **\$91.47 was the donation check we received**

Total Bingo Sales - \$524

50/50 Raffle

First total - \$772 Payout \$386

Second total - \$479 Payout \$240, which was donated back to us

Silent Auction (21 items) - \$603

Ticket Totals -

American Food - 1,608

Hispanic Food - 2,057

Bake Sale - 1,517

Beer - 1,184

Kids Games Total - 1,481

Breakdown of each game -

Spinner - 235

Guessing Contest - 66

Cougar Bean Bag Toss - 145

Bowling - 182

Rubber Ducky - 251

Ping Pong Toss - 134

Face Painting - 74

Bulls Eye - 137

Balloon Pop - 177

Ring Toss - 80

Sponsorships - \$9135 includes non-monetary sponsorships & the \$1,000 match from Catholic Financial

Final results for the first year of *Fall into Fun!* was \$14,217.65 !!!

Fall into Fun! 2022 Discussion

Feedback Received

Positive - areas to remain the same

Challenges and areas to improve

- Hispanic food went over well. Group seemed pleased with results and likely will want to participate again.
- Vendor feedback seemed positive.
 - Discussion is to repeat this again next year.
- Time of Event
 - Consider condensing hours to end before dark
- Bingo
 - Should we repeat this? Cut down on how many hours
- Other ideas
 - Consider bags tournament for evening hours
- Food
 - Lunch was strong, 2/3pm slowed down a lot.
 - Consider not having brats. Maybe too many brat fries over the summer
 - Add more appetizer type foods
- Consider location of ticket tables to be closer to food
- Consider selling wristbands at beer table (many people didn't realize they were at ticket tables)
- Add more leads to dedicate to each area
- Consider adding a fence to grass and relocating beer there
- Saw horses to better block parking lot (too many ppl trying to park inside the event on accident)
- Too many bartenders - cut down sign ups
- Switch to can beer if possible; add White Claw or alternative to beer option; add Modelo or Corona
- Use second fridge for beer (if in garden area, how do we lock overnight?)
- Kid games: games seemed to go over well
 - Good amount of games
 - Face Painting: maybe consider a bit more which kids are selected
 - More adult supervisors to help manage kid workers and older players
 - Consider adding older kid games or additional games
 - Dunk tank was requested by event guests
- Scouts: popcorn went okay, not huge sales but seemed happy. Older scouts didn't sell anything.
- Maybe don't need to invest in porta potties
- Tents from chamber were great for the free price
- Set up and tear down went smoothly.
- Large banners around town didn't all wear well (due to weather and time installed)
- Add extra help for clean up to deep clean parish hall
- Committee to add donated supplies to the excel so that all needs are accounted for and planned for future years

Member involvement for 2023

Confirm Next Years Date: September 9, 2023

Get DJ & Polka Band scheduled ASAP

2023 Event planning to begin in the spring; March?

Fundraising Subcommittee:

Next meeting December 1, 2022 6:30pm Catacombs

Adjourn

Closing Prayer