

Quarry Days Committee Meeting  
March 8, 2022

Present: Sirena Samuelson, Kathy George, Kristi & Tyler Zemke, Joyce LaMere, Cassie Gaede, Karen Helwig

This was the second meeting of the new committee that has been formed to plan the 2022 Quarry Days festivities.

Highlights of the discussion included the following:

- The event will take place Friday and Saturday (August 12-13)
- Food vendors will be invited for Friday and Saturday and will be charged a \$100 vendor fee, which covers both days; **Kathy** will make up registration forms; **Tyler & Kristi** will coordinate food vendors; **Kathy** will check with the Dairy Association
- Northview Bank has typically provided a sound system for the parade – need to check with them
- Friday night after the Sandstone Royalty Pageant will be karaoke from 8:00 – midnight; it would be fun to have prizes; perhaps it can be sponsored by local businesses
- Bingo will take place Friday (5-10) and Saturday (11am – 10pm) – **Sirena** will coordinate; she will look into the possibility of offering purse bingo
- Crafters will be invited for Saturday only, no vendor fee will be charged – **Kathy** will create a form and get the word out
- Games will take place Saturday only and need to be coordinated; **Kathy** left messages for J&K Amusements (they do Rock Timber), but they haven't responded
- The band shell will be filled all day/evening Saturday – **Joyce** will coordinate events
- Tent – perhaps the All Class Reunion group will split the cost of a tent – **Karen** will check; location of the tent could be in the City Parking Lot across from Anytime Fitness or perhaps on the street adjacent to the Bingo pavilion
- Fun Run/Walk – Anytime Fitness – need to check with them
- Kiddie Parade – **Cassie** will work on this
- Parade – a database of past participants would be helpful to have – **Kathy** will coordinate and see if Julena can help; it was reported that the band teacher hopes to have the marching band in the parade
- Horseshoe Tournament Friday night – Chad Loew organized this last year; perhaps he would be interested in doing it again
- 3 on 3 basketball tournament was discussed; perhaps the new basketball court will be ready in Panther Park; otherwise, perhaps the PHASE parking lot could be used – someone needs to coordinate this
- Fireworks were Saturday night last year at a cost of \$3,000; perhaps businesses could sponsor the fireworks – MCCU, Northview, Ace, Lamperts
- Sponsors – in general – what were the levels of sponsorship in the past?

- **Sirena** will work on booking a band for the Street Dance Saturday night; there was discussion about charging everyone in the Train Park / Street Dance area \$5 starting at 8:00 p.m. Saturday night to help off-set the cost of the band
- North Pine Insurance handles the car show – **Kathy** will check with them
- **Kathy** will check with the Fire Department about the Fire Truck display
- The Lions are on board for the beer garden Friday and Saturday
- Bean Bag Tournament – **Cassie's** teacher friend coordinated it last year, she will check with him
- Is there a theme this year?
- Grand Marshal for the parade?
- Buttons were discussed – someone needs to coordinate

Next Meeting: March 21<sup>st</sup> at 5:00 p.m. at the John Wright Building – Community Center.