

Roeland Park Community Engagement Committee

September 17, 2020

Agenda:

1. Discuss R Park Pavilion Celebration in spring
 - a. Carnival theme: dunk tank, popcorn stand, food truck, band (mr. stinky feet), balloon animals, face painting, etc....
 - b. Collaborate with parks committee
 - c. Celebrate pavilion and Davis'
 - d. ceremony/ribbon cutting
2. Discuss collaboration with RPCC on Halloween event
 - a. Purchase chalk and candy
 - b. 10-31 9:00-1, chalk drawings and come in for candy
3. Review progress of Pet Photo Contest
 - a. Melissa has collected 24 different photos for contest
 - b. Prizes--mugs, t-shirts
 - c. 9/30 ends, clarify who judges

From August

Online or Social Media Possibilities:

- *Day to day engagement with FB page 'randomness';* trivia; Scavenger Hunt around RP, hints given out online and post photographs to win

Have some trivia that is people based is super fun!

Kind of like the scavenger hunt, but photo contests

1. First person to post a picture of a very specific item that is rare but not impossible
2. First person to post a picture of a RP landmark

Comedy night on FB live

Cute pet contest; picture with the most "Likes" wins

- Submit pet pics via email by sept 30, then we put in an album, and then have public vote on the photos in the album--Melissa sends Michael a new email address
- Repeat for Halloween

Dance move video contest

- Matt posting landmark challenge
 - Need help posting--
 - Matt and Toan:
 - Purchase more t-shirts, insulated cups, mugs--"I love RP"--Michael
 - Partner with arts committee to find art pieces (
 - Statuettes
 - Landmarks--bishop miege, art studio, southridge church, community garden, gazebo, cedar roe library, nall park, cooper creek park (little statues), mountain bike trail entrance (west of community center)
 - Michael will coordinate with Katie
 - You can only win once per month...
- Connect with Allison about social media events
- Circle back about driveway dinner parties September when cooler: **Throw out a date and then have people commit to doing it--maybe elected officials can walk/bike/drive around--Michael/Katie**
- Sidwalk chalk--submit to an album then vote--Michael/Katie
- Daily events: for example post a pic of your family, or other fun ways to engage with the page and community,
- Fold Com Eng page with city page

JCPRD Collaborations

Candy Cane theme Bingo...?--**Libby will follow up with that**

"Bingo Baker"-- virtual Bingo, e-newsletter JCPRD; maybe as an option instead of candy cane them bingo--**Libby will follow up**

Halloween event Spooktacular, planning on changing that regardless.

--maybe a drive-through event?-- **Libby will follow up with us**

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Other Priorities

- *Voter to Voter: Matt is establishing our community engagement voter to voter team--Michael will collect through city email*
- *47 Foodie Fest Collaboration*

Future In-person or Outdoor Event Plans:

- *R Park shelter grand opening--Tony talk to Katie about livestream. Tentative 10/7; Toan looking into a couple bands (**spring 2021**); Tony timeline update, Michael check budget, generator;*
- *RPAC family night or grand opening--maybe 1 week before pool opens. Early june; Tony has possible budget \$, Comm. eng. Provide people, start at 8:00? Day of event help; toan/melissa DJ connection*
- *Potential expansion of the 4th of July event. Tony has spoken to Fairway--Tony will follow up Bands? Inflatables? 2021; Involvement of comm eng? Gauge buy-in from westwood and fairway--collaboration*
- *Dog swim at the end of next summer. Sept. 2021, way to promote other things as well; Toan-Humane Society Greater KC*