

Food Committee Meeting 11-19-14

In attendance: Jason, Danye, Amy (Recycling), Larry, Sue, Saman, Charlie, Brandelyn, Louise, Sleeve (recycling)

Website update: we need to send Charlie minutes, call letter, application completed cc Norma. *Charlie will submit to the Fair Family News. Jason will send application; *Brandelyn will send minutes/call out letter.

Food opening draft: soften first line. Replace with:

“We are now accepting applications with the possibility of installing new food booths”

Applications must be received by Jan. 15th.

*Brandelyn will type up and email out.

Discussion with Amy from recycling regarding a possible bulk buy on cups.

What is the next step? How do we facilitate this process for our vendors?

Consistent answers across committees would be helpful regarding compostables.

Bulk purchase? We would like to team up with recycling to bulk buy compostable cups.

Cold cups and hot cups are the primary issue. Maybe start with hot cups?

*Amy will update compostables list and get the sku numbers of approved products.

1. Need to get pricing information on hot cup options (*Amy will look into pricing options)
2. *Amy will check on the common sizes that most booths use. She will ask what is a quality hot cup?
*Amy will ask about what different vendor's inventory is for the fair. We would like to purchase directly from the distributor.
3. Timeline: cup form by ??? _____ ????
4. Contact Charlie regarding process and timeline (*Louise will contact today). New business for Dec. board meeting.
5. Handout for Feb. packet compiled.
5. By Jan. 5th we need: comprehensive packet, proposal, pricing, etc.

Durables discussion:

1. Why are they using plastic wrap?
2. Cutlery was delivered in dirty buckets.
3. Maybe recycling could require a deposit for the buckets to help recycling get the buckets back.

Onsite walk with Charlie: anchor booths were selected.

Incident reports and letter to probationary booth should go out before January.

*Jonah will call booth regarding probation for food voucher issue, recycling issues (Styrofoam plates, plastic forks, Styrofoam bowls, red plastic cups)

Geo has not responded. Discussion with Amy regarding thoughts on next steps.

*Brandelyn and Louise will compile Geo's data into incident letters. Wednesday morning compile with Louise.

*Amy will talk with recycling crew about signing off in place of Geo on these forms.

*Danye will fill out infraction reports and give to Sue or present at the Dec. 3rd meeting.

Guideline Changes:

*Jason will create floor and roof guideline.

Guideline changes: "approved beverage containers" and Use of plastic and Styrofoam is prohibited.

Probationary booth discussion:

On hold until after December 3rd

Additional booth infractions:

Booth stayed open on Monday until 3:30 p.m. reported by FC member and Recycling.

Next Meetings:

Dec. 3rd: Compile and mail infraction letters, guidelines finalized, probationary booth discussion, check in with probationary booth agreement.