



## Special Events Committee

**Tuesday, September 12<sup>th</sup>, 2023**

**11:00am via Zoom**

1. Welcome and Introductions
  - Eric Sloyan – Palos Heights
  - Dyana Metheny – Homewood Flossmoor
  - Laurie Murray – Pleasant Dale
  - Brenna Bowers - Mokena
  
2. Summer Events Recap
  - Palos ran their 3<sup>rd</sup> of July Festival, Movies and Concerts in the Park, and Ice Cream Socials.
  - Pleasant Dale ran their Unplug Illinois event, 3<sup>rd</sup> of July Fireworks event, and an end of summer Back to School event.
  - Mokena also ran their 4<sup>th</sup> of July fireworks event as well as their concerts and movies.
  - Homewood ran their Brew and View event and is planning for their Grandpa Garage Sale event this weekend.
  
3. Upcoming Fall Events
  - Palos is planning for their All the Fall Things event and their Touch a Truck and Treat events in October.
  - Mokena is planning for their Family Camp Out, Halloween Hallow, and Truck a Treat events.
  - Pleasant Dale is planning for their Octoberfest and Boo Bash.
  - Homewood is planning for their two Community Bon Fire Events and their Trick or Treat Trail.
  
4. Marketing Ideas for Garage Sales and Markets
  - Each agency discussed the best ways to market their garage sales or indoor market events. These ways include; social media, flyers, word of mouth through senior programs, and advertisement through the local community newspapers.
  
5. Adjournment

**Next Meeting Date: Tuesday, October 17<sup>th</sup> @ 11:00am Via Zoom**