

Special Events Committee
Tuesday, October 12, 2021
11:00am @ Zoom



1) Attendance

- Eric Sloyan - Palos Heights Parks and Rec, Laurie Murray - Pleasant Dale PD , Tracy – New Lenox PD, Andrea – Park District of La Grange, Toni – Lockport PD, Jennah – Homewood Flossmoor PD

2) Fall Events

- Palos Heights held their Mother Son Bags Tournament. They had 16 participants come out.
- Pleasant Dale had their Family October Fest. They had a variety of games and vendors.
- La Grange had their Zombie Candy Cane hunt event. The children who hunted for candy in the soccer fields using their flash lights.
- New Lenox had their Community Bon Fire Event.
- Homewood had their Brew and View event. They showed the movie Ferris Bueller Day Off and had a variety of wine and beer vendors.

3) Fall Events

- Palos Heights is planning for their Touch a Truck and Treat Event and their pumpkin decorating event at the end of October.
- La Grange is planning for their Trunk or Treat event. They currently have 21 vehicles.
- New Lenox is planning for their Big Bad Pumpkin party. They will have a variety of games and activities for the kids.
- Pleasant Dale is planning for a few different pop up events.

4) Other Topics

- Different vendors each district uses for their pumpkins, DJ, and balloons.
- Finding new ways to hire more part time staff members.

5) Future Meeting

- The next SSPRPA Special Event Meeting will take place on Tuesday, November 9th at 11:00AM.