



POTLUCK

By the Numbers

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August 23, 2018

Hi Everyone,

This is a two week report again since I failed to get one out last week. Two Sundays ago we finally had a cooler day. I was real close on the count for the second week in a row. 434 ticketed guests joined us of the 425 projected. Last Sunday was a different story. I told Barbara to expect around 500. We ran out of the 600 tickets I brought just as Curtis was calling the last numbers. I don't know where they came from. The weather was hot again, but it stayed just below 90. The smoky haze helped keep it bearable.

NEXT SUNDAY

Since we have been passing out handbills about the anniversary for two weeks I expect a good crowd next Sunday. I'm planning for **700 guests**. So far the weather forecasts are calling for cloudy and 70-72 degrees. If that remains the forecast we will not be putting up the canopies.

ANNIVERSARY MEAL

It looks like the only special items we will have are burgers, hot dogs and sausages grilled by the Knights of Columbus team and fresh corn on the cob. The corn is fresh picked on Saturday and donated by Sauvie Island Farms. Unless I decide at the last moment tomorrow to spring for it myself we probably won't have ice cream this year. Of course, if someone else wanted to donate toward that I might still be able to get dock pricing at Alpenrose.

Meal Service Supervisors: Since I'm not sure if any of you have been here for an anniversary event before you should plan on using two of the bigger tables for condiments with servers behind them to assist. Any time we serve burgers the condiment tables are always the choke point in the line.

We will be cooking the corn on site. It will be ferried to the line in Cambros. There will be pans of melted butter on the two serving tables that whole ears of corn can be dipped in by the servers using tongs. We do not want guests dipping their own corn after they have handled it.

I hope you can all make it to the party. Thanks again for everything you do.

David

Month	Week	2017		2018		+/- Prev. Yr.
		Day	Count	Day	Count	
July	1 st	6	347	5	362	4%
	2 nd	13	487	12	434	-11%
	3 rd	20	694	19	600	-14%
	4 th	27	655	26		
	5 th					
Month Total			2,183		1,396	
Month Ave.			546		465	-9%

Anniversary Celebration

Potluck in the Park

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