

We had everything on Wednesday. Key Clubbers, Circle Kers, sandwiches, pizza, lots of members and three old farts with gas. We made NOAH bag lunches with the young ones working on sandwiches while the old ones pretended to be looking for something in the bar. Very little meat got dropped and all of it was picked up in under three seconds so it was still useable.

The next day we had nine Kiwanis members, seven Key Clubbers, one mother (Richards) and one Dearborn Baseball guy help hand out the lunches and clothes at Central Methodist Church. There were so many extra workers I just sat in the back of the kitchen with Richard drinking coffee and eating donuts. Special thanks to Jerry for organizing the whole thing, Kevin and Adrienne for donating meat and cheese and drumming up donations of fruit and vegetables, and a big "Thank You" to Doctor Paul for donating all his used latex gloves for the sandwich making.

On Friday the Key Clubbers had a face painting tent at the Dearborn Farm Market behind the Bryant library. Adrienne set up the tent and eight Key Clubbers painted faces and had a great time from 9 am to 2 pm (Actually it rained for the first hour but they still had a great time). Then when the Farm Market was done the whole shebang moved across Michigan Avenue for the Food Truck Rally from 5 pm till 10 pm.

The Key Club had a tent doing face painting, the Circle K had a tent doing temporary tattoos and the Kiwanis Club had a spot right in the middle of the whole thing selling five kinds of Bores Head sausages. It was a lot of work, mostly done by Adrienne and Kevin, but a complete success.

Larry helped set everything up then spent most of the rest of the evening making sure the beer tent was giving an honest measurement of beer to its customers (the people of Dearborn thank you Larry). I handled the money while my daughter Jeanine helped Adrienne and a lady that works for Kevin dish up sausage dogs. Kevin handled all the sausage grilling and most importantly, the Wayne County Health Inspector, a stickler for hot food, clean hands and sanitary conditions. I still think it would have been easier to just bribe him, but Kevin and Adrienne wanted to do things properly, they never would have lasted in the Union. Renea kept bouncing back and forth between the Key Club, Circle K and our spot and Ray and Jane showed up later in the evening after a funeral.

I'm telling you, the place was hopping, men women, kids, babies and dogs all over the place, Old and young, hundreds of people, maybe thousands. It made you feel good about the city and the people that live here. We're doing the same thing on July 28th and August 25th and I encourage all our members to come out and be part of this. We could really use the help and you can have a very good time.

This week we have a guest speaker from Beaumont Health that will be talking about the rash of spontaneously exploding testicles plaguing the senior community this summer. Committee meetings and a Board of Directors meeting to follow.

Love & Kisses  
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