

BROKEN ARROW LIBRARY

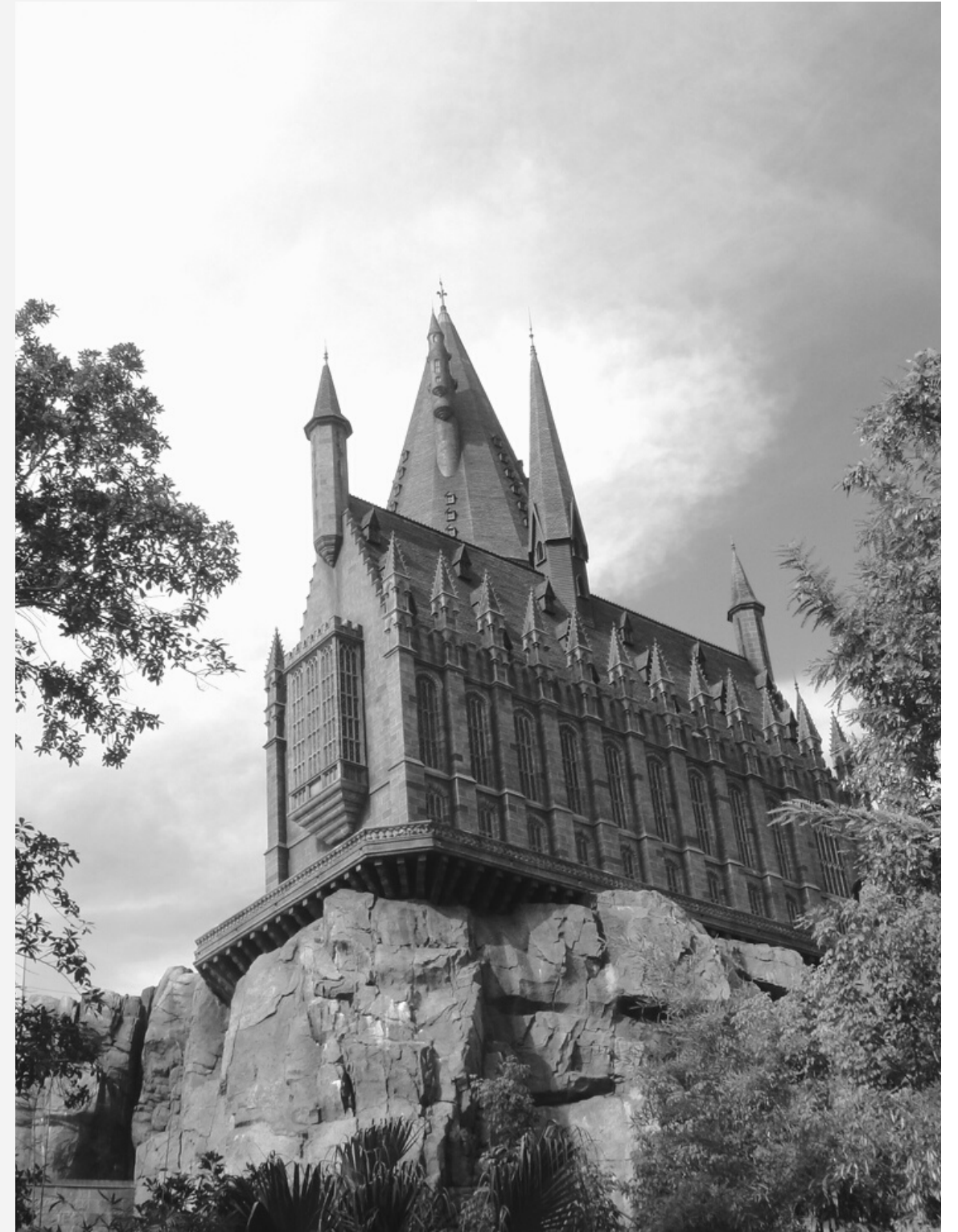


SUMMER EVENT PROPOSAL

EVENT SCHEDULE

THE NO-CONTACT TEEN
QUIDDITCH LEAGUE WILL
HOLD GROUP PRACTICE
ONCE A WEEK FROM
JUNE 3RD TO JULY 29TH,
AND CULMINATE IN A
FINAL MATCH ON
SATURDAY, AUGUST 3RD.

OVERVIEW



SPACE AND EQUIPMENT

LOCATION

THE LIBRARY WILL UTILIZE THE COOLER EVENING TEMPERATURES, EXTENDED SUMMER DAYLIGHT HOURS, AND AVAILABLE OUTDOOR SPACE.

SETUP

STAFF WILL BEGIN SETTING UP THE QUIDDITCH PITCH 15 MINUTES BEFORE PRACTICES START, UTILIZING TEENS WHO ARRIVE EARLY TO ASSIST. SETUP REQUIRES THREE HOOPS TO BE PLACED AT EACH END OF THE FIELD AND CONES ALONG THE PERIMETER OF THE SPACE. THEY WILL ALSO BRING THE REQUIRED GAME BALLS AND EXTRA "BROOMS".

MATERIALS BREAKDOWN

READILY AVAILABLE MATERIALS

THE LIBRARY ALREADY HAS A SET OF 10 SMALL CONES IN OUR STORYTIME INVENTORY THAT CAN BE USED TO MARK THE FIELD. THE OUTDOOR SPACE IS AMPLE FOR A SMALL 30FTX12FT PITCH, WITH ADDITIONAL SPACE TO SPARE. DRINKING FOUNTAINS ARE AVAILABLE IN THE LIBRARY AS WELL THE COMMUNITY CENTER. THE LIBRARY ALSO HAS SEVERAL BROOMS AND MOPS THAT CAN BE UTILIZED BY ANY TEENS WHO DO NOT BRING THEIR OWN. AN APPROPRIATE SOCK HAS BEEN LOCATED IN THE LOST AND FOUND AND WASHED BY STAFF FOR USE. A PORTABLE WHITE BOARD IS ALREADY AVAILABLE FROM OTHER PROGRAMS TO USE FOR SCOREKEEPING, AS WELL.

MATERIALS TO PURCHASE

PVC PIPE FOR HOOPS, ONE VOLLEYBALL, TWO DODGEBALLS, ONE TENNIS BALL

COST BREAKDOWN

PHYSICAL MATERIALS
TOTAL:
\$124.67

PVC CHARLOTTE PIPE (24 X 1.5IN)
\$1.86/EA X 24 = \$44.64

PVC 1.5" PIPE (3 X 10FT LONG)
\$6.12/EA X 3 = \$18.36

WILSON SOFT PLAY VOLLEYBALL
\$8.97

IKHAN SPORTS DODGEBALLS
SET OF SIX = \$28.99

PENN CHAMPIONSHIP TENNIS
BALLS
SET OF THREE = \$6.99

RUST-OLEUM GOLD SPRAY PAINT
\$4.18/EA X 4 = \$16.72

ADDITIONAL COSTS

STAFF TIME

STAFF SCHEDULES WILL BE MANIPULATED TO ACCOMODATE PROGRAM WITHOUT REQUIRING TIME BEYOND REGULARLY SCHEDULED HOURS. THEY WILL USE ALREADY-PROVIDED PROGRAM PLANNING TIME TO BUILD QUIDDITCH HOOPS AND PAINT THEM. ONLY ONE STAFF MEMBER WILL BE NEEDED DURING PROGRAMMING, AND VOLUNTEERS UTILIZED.

ADDITIONAL STAFFING COST:
\$0 (NO IRREGULAR STAFF TIME
REQUIRED)

BENEFITS

ATTENDANCE

● EXPECTED ATTENDANCE IS 10 TEENS PER PRACTICE SESSION (8 SESSIONS TOTAL), AND 20 FOR THE FINAL MATCH. IT IS EXPECTED THAT ADDITIONAL GUESTS WILL AVERAGE AT 4 PER PRACTICE SESSIONS (PARENTS, SIBLINGS, ETC), AND 40 FOR THE FINAL MATCH, TOTALING 172 ESTIMATED ATTENDEES OVER THE COURSE OF THE MULTI-DAY PROGRAM.

BENEFITS

COMMUNITY IMPACT

EVENING HOURS WILL MEAN A HIGH CHANCE OF TEEN ATTENDANCE, AS PARENTS WILL BE ABLE TO BRING THEIR KID AFTER WORK. IT WILL ALSO INCREASE EVENING LIBRARY ACTIVITY. THE PHYSICAL ACTIVITY COMPONENT IS IN LINE WITH THE COMMUNITY CENTERS SUMMER HEALTH INITIATIVE, AND THEY HAVE ALREADY AGREED TO ASSIST WITH RECRUITING VOLUNTEERS, ADVERTISING, AND ALLOWING US TO USE THEIR INDOOR SPACE (FREE OF CHARGE) SHOULD TEMPERATURES GET UNEXPECTEDLY HIGH/RAISE SAFETY CONCERNS. A STAFF MEMBER FROM A LOCAL SPORTING GOODS STORE HAS ALREADY AGREED TO ATTEND AT LEAST TWO PRACTICE SESSIONS TO VOLUNTEER THEIR TIME AND EXPERTISE ON SPORT SAFETY.

BENEFITS

TEEN ENGAGEMENT

THE HARRY POTTER THEME OF THIS EVENT IS APPEALING TO BOTH TEENS AND ADULTS. THE PHYSICAL ACTIVITY WILL KEEP TEENS EXCITED AND OCCUPIED, AND GIVE THEM AN OPPORTUNITY TO PRACTICE LEADERSHIP SKILLS AS PRACTICE CAPTAINS AND IN OFFERING IDEAS FOR NEW PRACTICE DRILLS, SETUP, AND TEAR DOWN.

THE COMPETITION ASPECT OF THIS PROGRAM WILL ALSO APPEAL TO MANY TEENS AND GIVE THEM AN OPPORTUNITY TO LEARN GOOD SPORTSMANSHIP IN A SAFE SPACE, WHILE MAKING NEW FRIENDS AND HAVING POSITIVE, ENGAGING INTERACTIONS WITH LIBRARY STAFF TO ENCOURAGE LIFELONG LIBRARY PATRONAGE.

CONCERNS

HANDLING SAFETY CONCERNS

TO ADDRESS THE SAFETY CONCERNS, THIS WILL BE A NO CONTACT SPORT. THE DODGEBALLS IN USE AS BLUDGERS (ITEMS TYPICALLY THROWN AT PLAYERS TO PREVENT THEM FROM SCORING POINTS) ARE APPROVED FOR USE WITH CHILDREN AND WILL NOT CAUSE SERIOUS INJURY. SUPERVISING STAFF WILL ALSO ENSURE PLAY IS NOT GETTING ROUGH IN A WAY THAT WOULD ENCOURAGE INJURY.

TEMPERATURE CONCERNS HAVE ALREADY BEEN ADDRESSED WITH AN AGREEMENT WITH THE COMMUNITY CENTER.

PARENTS WILL BE ASKED TO SIGN A SAFETY RELEASE ASSEMBLED BY THE LIBRARY'S LEGAL AND PR TEAMS AND PROVIDE ANY RELEVANT INFORMATION ABOUT HEALTH CONCERNS (SUCH AS ASTHMA), AS WELL APPROPRIATE MEDICATIONS (IE. INHALERS) WHERE NECESSARY.

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