

POUGHKEEPSIE



BASEBALL

Committee/Event leader fact sheet

Event/Project Name: Home Run Derby/Parent vs. Player game

Event/Project Description: Conduct a HR derby fundraiser partnering with local community organizations (in the past we have partnered with DARE, Army, Clear Channel Radio) . Along with the HR derby, organize smaller events to go along with it, such as a pitching speed contest (we have a radar gun), raffles, served food and drink, child ID packs. In the past, the Red Robin mascot came and ran a Lemonade stand, we sold baseball cards, ran a dunk tank. After HR derby we had a parents vs. kids game which was real exciting for the kids and parents involved. Pick a date in the Spring, get approval from the Board, add the date to the league calendar. Promote the event through radio, Chamber of Commerce.

Amount of time devoted and when:

Committee lead:

5 weeks before event: approx 2 hrs per week

2 weeks before event: approx 5 hrs per week

week before the event: approx 10

day of event: 10 hours

Committee members, parent volunteers:

Time Varies by jobs Getting sponsors/donations, snack bar(6 hrs),

Selling raffles (6 hrs), running and event(6 hrs), MC of event(7 hrs),

Field setup(5 hrs), Field tear down(1 hr),

Amount of people needed to complete project: More volunteers better. Minimum would be 16 (1 Lead, 2-3 people getting sponsors, 2-3 snack bar, 2 selling raffles, 1 MC, 6 running an event, 3-4 Field setup, 2-4 field tear down, 2 umpires)

Costs involved in your project/event: Baseballs, Umpires, Dunk tank (optional, not recommended), Baseball cards to sell, prizes and DARE donation.

Notes: This project needs a Rain date and exclusive use of Red Oaks to be worked out with the Town Rec Dept.