Block Party Planning
Minutes from last Social Committee Meeting
July 10, 2017

Theme:

- In honor of the 75th anniversary of the GDCA, we selected the theme "Around the Downs Through the Decades". Each street will be assigned to a different decade (40's - present). Tables will provide food, music and other decorations inspired by the theme to make it festive. Outreach and Street

Rep Volunteers:

- We have 9 streets with street reps now, but still have a few missing (Bolling, Summerfield, Woodlawn, etc.)
- Megan will be emailing 2 board members that live on Summerfield to ask for suggestions and feel free to add the others as well.
- Sara also hand-delivered flyers seeking volunteers to every house on those streets.
- Agreed we will assign decades to streets using by drawing names from a hat DRUM ROLL PLEASE . . . FOR LISTS OF ASSIGNED DECADES BY STREET -- PLEASE SEE THE ATTACHED (and let me know if you have any questions or concerns)

Food and Supplies:

- Jenny agreed to see if the board can give $350 to support purchase of some food, waters and paper products for the event -- NOTE: we learned late last week that this request was approved.
- Committee members agreed that some kind of food should be ordered to supplement the appetizer food at the tables -- plan of action on this to be determined at the next meeting

Music and Other activities:

- Agreed that music must be available again and that we need to start now to look for speakers
- Agreed we should look for speakers to borrow before having the board invest in some -- Sara agreed to post an inquiry for large speakers for GDCA to borrow on NextDoor.
- Agreed we should have a kids area again this year -- logistics and planning to be decided at our next meeting
- Dana Graham and her husband agreed to sell the remaining Greenway Downs T-shirts at a table where folks can also sign up to be members of the GDCA.
- Have $25 gift certificate from MHG (Trio, Circa, Open Road) - agreed we could raffle it off during the event by having folks that buy T-shirts get 2 tix