

DEPARTMENT PRESIDENT'S SPECIAL PROJECT

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HEY THERE FLORIDA FAMILY? HOW YA DOING??

September brings us to the 25th anniversary of 9/11. What better way to honor the Heroes from that day and the many days to follow than to organize a HUGE fundraiser for President Kathy's Special Project, Esophageal Cancer Research and the National Joint Special Project Operation Bring Them Home ??

How about organizing a "BLANKET TOSS" with a dinner beforehand? I'VE OUTLINED TWO DIFFERENT WAYS TO DO IT BELOW:

OPTION #1

1. NEED ONE QUILT, (HOMEMADE AND PATRIOTIC IF POSSIBLE) .
2. EVERYONE WHO WISHES TO DONATE COMES TO THE BLANKET WHICH IS STRETCHED TIGHT BY VOLUNTEERS.
3. ANOTHER VOLUNTEER RECORDS THE NAME OF THE PERSON DONATING AND HOW MUCH. THE DONOR THROWS THEIR MONEY INTO THE MIDDLE OF THE BLANKET.
4. OTHER VOLUNTEERS SHOULD BE WALKING THROUGH THE CROWD WITH A COLLECTION BUCKET TO GATHER DONATIONS FROM THOSE UNABLE / UNWILLING TO COME TO THE BLANKET.
5. WHOMEVER THROWS IN THE MOST MONEY GETS THE QUILT.
6. DON'T FORGET TO INVITE THE PUBLIC

OPTION #2

1. NEED ONE QUILT, (HOMEMADE AND PATRIOTIC IF POSSIBLE) AND A CARD TABLE OR OTHER SMALL STAND .
2. PARTICIPANTS "BUY" A CHANCE TO TOSS THE QUILT ONTO THE STAND. YOU CAN SET THE PRICE LEVEL WHEREVER YOU THINK YOUR GROUP WILL PARTICIPATE. \$5 PER TOSS? Or 2 TOSSES FOR \$5?
3. THE DONOR TOSSES THE QUILT ONTO THE STAND. A "SUCCESSFUL" TOSS IS ONE THAT STAYS COMPLETELY ON THE STAND.
4. SUCCESSFUL TOSSEES RECEIVE A SMALL PRIZE.....A CERTIFICATE, A DRINK TICKET, ETC.
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Donations go under Americanism and must be accompanied by the required donation form. AND.....The actual report for the event report goes under Veterans and Family Support Program.

TOGETHER, ONE TOSS AT A TIME, WE CAN "WRAP OUR PROJECT IN SUPPORT AND CONTINUE "GROWING STRONGER FOR OUR VETERANS".

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