

## **PRIZE COMMITTEE VOLUNTEERS**

December, 2016

Please consider volunteering to assist with Prize Committee activities with the Destin Snowbirds.

Each week Snowbirds flock to the Roost to attend the Tuesday meetings. They get caught up on Snowbird news, enjoy excellent music by our local entertainers and eagerly await their names to be drawn for the valued door prizes, hoping to dispel the age old refrain, "I don't ever win anything". Of course, prizes must be available for the door prize drawing each week, and that's where you come in.

In keeping with the concept of "many hands make light work", there are lots of duties performed by the Prize Committee which can be shared among the volunteers and managed by the Prize Committee Chairperson. Below on page two, you can read a summary of the types of duties performed, as described within the Responsibilities of the Prize Committee Chairperson. Depending upon current needs, you may be able to select activities of both interest and time consumption to fit your personal abilities and availability.

We hope you will favorably / favourably consider getting involved with this worthwhile activity. To volunteer, or to learn more about the opportunity, contact the Prize Committee Chairperson or a member of the Board of Directors.

## **PRIZE COMMITTEE CHAIRPERSON RESPONSIBILITIES**

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The primary responsibilities of the Prize Committee Chairperson are to collect prizes from local vendors and distribute them at Snowbird Meetings and other Snowbird events, coordinate vendor participation in Snowbird Meetings and events, and coordinate activities in the Food Room at the annual BIG Registration.

The Prize Committee Chairperson recruits volunteers as required to assist in the performance of the Prize Committee duties, delegates volunteer assignments, and manages all related activities.

The Prize Committee Chairperson reports to the Snowbird President and prepares a year end report for the Board of Directors.

### **Collect and Distribute Prizes**

- Maintain a list of local vendors with contact information.
- Distribute a prize solicitation letter to vendors and follow-up with personal visits
- Receive vendor donations and maintain a list of donations by vendor
- Distribute a letter or certificate of appreciation to participating vendors
- Provide a participating vendor list to the webmaster for publication in the Destin Snowbirds website
- Manage the physical prize inventory, prepare prizes for distribution to the members at Snowbird meetings and other events
- Distribute prizes at Snowbird meetings and events

### **Coordinate Vendor Participation at Meetings and Events**

- Maintain appropriate communication with vendors who wish to participate in Snowbird meetings and events
- Coordinate vendor participation by meeting date, communicate vendor requirements and ensure tables are set up and assigned
- Be present at meetings and events to register and communicate with vendors and direct assignments
- Maintain a table for contributing sponsors' literature in the Community Center lobby

### **Coordinate Food Room activities at the BIG Registration**

- Invite sponsoring restaurants to provide food samples for the membership in break-out rooms at the Community Center
- Communicate vendor requirements and ensure tables are set up and assigned
- Provide coffee supplies and make coffee for the membership
- Be present at the event to monitor traffic flow and ensure things run smoothly in the Food Room