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HERRON ISLAND BOOSTERS, A WA STATE NON-PROFIT CORPORATION - INCORPORATED JUNE 12, 2011

Saturday BOOSTERS Labor Day Events Summary

What a wonderful weather weekend. Members, their families and guests came out in great numbers to enjoy the wonders of Herron Island. What a delight to see, feel and experience!

The day started with community trunk sales, apparel sales and cinnamon roll sales... all were well attended. There were treasures and lots of useful items being sold at bargain prices. Hot rolls and beverages were consumed with pleasure.

The BOOSTERS officers presented Anita Bray with a certificate of appreciation for her continual commitment and valued support to our Herron Island community.

At noon it was the start of the sailboat and kayak races. With no discernable wind it was a slow start for the sail boaters. So the kayakers made it around the island before the sailboats could get around Packers Point.

The events then moved to the Goodpastor Park ball field. One young man, who has possibly played every year since he could walk, was the first player to arrive running across the field towing his baseball gear in a wagon. The first thing he asked Dallas was, "how can I help?" As a spectator one could sense the passion players had for the game when the audience seemed to disappear as the players focused on the game. The enthusiasm of our baseball players is infectious. They love it! They make us love it.

And then in the evening our Tommy Boy did it again. Tom's love of music shows in his ability to play just the right tunes. The dance floor was filled with members kicking up their heels and enjoying the last event of the summer. Thank you Tom Tighe! It seemed few on the island this weekend missed this event.

Thanks to everyone for your continued support of the BOOSTERS and our community. Special thanks to our event chairs and invaluable volunteers: Dallas & Rondi Amidon, Tracy Anspach, Anita Bray, Jan Burdett, Mike Clingman, Carole Crowley, Kathy Deuster, Toostie Duback, John Farris, Chris Mohr, Diane Rohrbach, Carolyn Snyder, Mike Shettlesworth, Tom Tighe, Gary Wanzong and Jack & Nancy Wells.

We appreciate ideas and feedback. Email us at HIBOOSTERS@yahoo.com with your comments and suggestions. Be sure to attend our BOOSTERS meeting and potluck, next Saturday, September 10, 2011 at 6:00 pm at the Community Center. We'll be discussing our plans going forward and we need your input.