The Benefaction Original Project Proposal

SURVEY RESPONSES

1. What is your group number?
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2. What is your team name?
Benefaction

3. What is your Thursday 5pm meeting location?
Milner Library- First Floor (until we find a permanent location)

4. Who is your team Liaison?
Zach Parker, Tim Ferguson & Tyler Pawish

5. Who is your team Recorder?
Oscar Domiguez

6. Who is your team Historian?
Tim Ferguson & (Asst) Tyler Pawish

7. Who is your team Webmaster?
Tyler Lubbers & (Asst) Kevin Prigge

8. Who is your team Treasurer 1?
Kevin Prigge

9. Who is your team Treasurer 2?
Tyler Lubbers

10. What role will your 7th team member fulfill?
Team No-Show

11. What role will your 8th team member fulfill?
Does Not Exist

12. What is the URL for your team's portfolio site?
benefaction.tylerlubers.com

13. What is your team's charter and code of conduct?
See Team Charter

14. What is your PRIMARY SMART GOAL? What are the instrumental objectives to this goal? What are your criteria for evaluating success on this goal?

Our monetary goal is to raise $450 as a group; our volunteer goal is to spend at least 5 hours each working at the Boys & Girls club (~$300).

That would equate to $750 from our group of 6 members.

15. What is your FIRST SECONDARY SMART GOAL? What are the instrumental objectives to this goal? What are your criteria for evaluating success on this goal?
To install all of the licensed software owned by the Boys & Girls club by October 1st.
We will also research and install antivirus software onto all the Boys & Girls computers by November 1st.
We will also raise $450, enough money to purchase the licensing, for Web Protection software (K9) by the end of the project.
If the previous goal is met with enough time, we will update our goal to have the Web Protection software installed on all Boys & Girls club computers by the end of the semester.

16. What is your SECOND SECONDARY SMART GOAL? What are the instrumental objectives to this goal? What are your criteria for evaluating success on this goal?
To come up with a fundraising project we can do as a group by October 3rd. After a fundraising project is agreed upon, we will complete our fundraising project by the 2nd week of November.

17. How will your goals / plan to achieve those goals help the Boys and Girls Club? Which of their many problems are you trying to target and why?
The Boys & Girls club want all their computers running with the most up-to-date software; they want their computers to be protected to increase the life of the computers and to protect their members from inappropriate websites.

18. How do you plan to reach your goals? Describe what fundraisers your team plans to try out. Please note what, if any, work you've already done to enact your plan.
We have discussed a couple fundraising techniques, so that all members will be able to participate equally. We will be discussing and finalizing our fundraising project at our next meeting, but in the meantime all group members will be setting up a "CauseVox" account, as directed by the Boys & Girls club.

19. Would your team like to be considered for any volunteering options if/when they become available?
If another group would need assistance, especially in IT, we would be willing to assist (as long as we have enough time to schedule it in parallel with our project).

20. What is your proposed timeline for achieving your goals? Be as specific as possible when indicating prep work and fundraising achievement dates.
October 1st- Have all Boys & Girls Club owned licensed software installed.
October 3rd- Have an official fundraising project & all members have their CauseVox accounts active
November 1st- Research and install antivirus software on all Boys & Girls club computers.
November 8th- Complete fundraising project.
End of Semester- have purchased and installed K9 web protection software on all Boys & Girls club computers.

21. What potential problems do you anticipate in executing these tasks? What are you doing to prepare to overcome these problems?
Problem: Not having enough money to finance a fundraising project.
Solution: If not enough money is raised, group members have agreed to loan the group money to jump start our project.

Problem: Not having enough money to purchase a full year subscription for K9 Web Protection software.
Solution: Talk with the proper member at the Boys & Girls club and see if they would like us to continue with our installation, but on a monthly subscription instead of yearly. If this does not work for them, we would discuss with them other investments they would prefer for our group to make to the club.

22. What fallback plans do you think you could execute, and what is your "point of no return" situation and date when you think you'd make the decision to implement the fallback plan? (Ex: "If we don't have $X in by March 1 we'll implement fallback plan Y").
If we don't have enough money raised by November 8th to fund the yearly subscription for K9 Web Protection software, we will extend our fundraising until November 15th.

If we do not have the money secured by November 15th, we will discuss with the Boys & Girls club our future action (Proposal #21)

23. Please list any team members who did NOT participate in creating your project proposal, or contributed very little. A quick explanation of what they did/didn't do would be helpful. This isn't to get anyone in trouble but to verify that everyone in the group has had a chance to comment on the plan you're turning in (and if they didn't, why not).
Jaclyn. We no longer believe she exists, despite the 1 email response she gave us to this point. Perhaps she has joined group 30.