**Team Alleghenies Transplant meeting at CORE –January 20, 2018**

Rich Morgan our team President made the announcement that:

Colleen Yost has resigned from the Team and UPMC and has moved to Florida with her husband.

New Team Managers are **Diana & Mike Natale**!

**Are you going to the games?**

If you are not registered, you are not going!

**Registration:**

Early Bird: Athletes $150.00 and Non Athletes $30.00 **Ends March 1st**

Regular: $170.00 Athletes and Non Athletes $40**.**00 **Ends June 21st**

**Medical Waivers:**

You can download the forms from the website. Must be filled out and signed by your Doctor in order for you to participate in any events.

**Joe Weber – Board of Director & the Team’s Finance Committee**

Joe stated that with the tables being closed $18,000.00 will be lost.

The only Fundraisers we have at this point is:

Bowling

Murder Mystery

The Mulligan

These make roughly $9,000.00

Using just these 3 fundraisers by 2022 we will be bankrupt.

So we need to start up different fund raisers. ASAP

 This is based on paying for 30 Hotel rooms for Athletes in 2018, 2020 & 2022.

**If you did not attend the meeting. Please do This it’s Important!**

There is a short questionnaire attached, Please fill it out and send it back to Georgene M. Thomas at secretary@teamalleghenies.org

**Hotel Rooms:**

We will be staying at the Radisson. Rooms are about $1,100.00

The team has reserved 30 rooms and is paying for 30 rooms only.

Everyone is encouraged to buddy up with a teammate who is an athlete. If you are new to the team and need a roommate let Diana know and she will work on finding you a roommate.

If you decide not to room with a teammate **you will be** responsible for half of the room charge $555.00

**Hint:** To make thing easier have just one person call and make the room reservation and list the names of who will share the room.

Donor Families will get one room.

You must be registered for the games by **May 5th NO EXCEPTIONS!**

In order to get one of the rooms.

**Do Not** try to registerfor the room **YET!**

After you register for the games you will be put on a team list and Rich Morgan will call or email you will the **code you will need** to get one of the rooms.

The room block ends on **June 4th** so there is plenty of time to get everything done.

The Radisson is the closest the team has ever stayed to where most of the events take place. (The Hub) you will hear the Hub a lot.

Out the back door is the Salt Palace where Opening Ceremonies will be.

Out the front door and across the street will be the Hub for transportation and the Convention Center where most of the events take place.

The Radisson has: Indoor Pool, Restaurant, and Refrigerator in every room. Microwaves can be requested.

There is no free breakfast, but they do offer a Breakfast for $19.00

Parking is $15.00 a day.

If you are flying there is a Shuttle loop that takes you from the airport to the hotel.

Diana is looking into group flight price, so hold off on making flight reservations

**Fundraising:**

Bill Cornell spoke about Corporate Sponsorship.

There are two letters one for Corporations with different levels.

Bronze $3,500

Silver $6,000

Gold $10,000

The other letter is for small businesses to be able to donate what they can afford.

Each letter can be geared toward who you are sending it to, for a personal touch.

Team Alleghenies Transplant – has formed new committees in order to get everyone involved with team spirit.

The committees are:

Fundraising - John Staniszewski - fundraising@teamalleghenies.org

Community Outreach - Michelle Christenson - mchristenson@core.org

Website & Social Media - Julietta Mangino –

Webmaster@teamalleghenies.org

Planning Committee – Georgene M. Thomas –

secretary@teamalleghenies.org

If you would like to participate on a committee please contact the committee chair.

Submitted for Approval,

Georgene M. Thomas

Secretary for Team Alleghenies Transplant