



MI501st - Rebel Legion - Fan Force

Star Wars night with the Grand Rapids Griffins - (March 31st 2007)

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Attendance List:

1. Susie E Leopold - Leia
2. Jay M Shimko - Tie Pilot / Storm Trooper
3. David Gates - Boba Fett
4. Brent L Ashcroft <Helper Griffins Liaison>
5. Michael G Karp - Clone Trooper
6. Jon C Leopold - AT-ST
7. Brooke L Merva - Officer / Sand Trooper
8. Jason J Ujvari - Sand Trooper w/Skates
9. Donavon D Larabel - Officer
10. Phil R Font - Darth Vader
11. Pat Dawson <Helper>
12. Mike Dawson <Helper>
13. Lou Rodriguez - Sand Person
14. John B Blizzard - Clone Trooper
15. Brien L Skinner - Clone Trooper
16. Carl Nelson - Royal Guardsman / Jedi
17. Robert A Amid - Tie Pilot
18. Carrie C Ivey - Storm Trooper
19. Jason Ivey - Storm Trooper
20. Rome Ohnui - Officer / Storm Trooper
21. Janette Rodriguez - Jawa
22. Brendon J Ewers - 2nd Darth Vader / Storm trooper
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23. Bloodfin - Brad - Scout Trooper
24. Bloodfin- Josh - Sand Person
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25. Shannon Trinbley - Rebel Trooper
26. Matt S - Count Dooku
27. Michael Peacock <Help>
28. Joel Aldrich - Jedi
29. Scott Scharke - Jedi
30. Linda P - Jedi
31. Richard Bishop <Help>
32. Lisa Bishop <Help>
33. Dave Raymondo <Help>
34. Amanda Raymondo <Help>
35. Matt Coleman <Help - photo booth>
36. Karen Larabel - Jedi
37. Doug Larabel <Helper> ?
38. Mike <Help>
39. Jason Hetherington - Jedi
40. Jennifer Bowden - Darth Revan
41. Lori Ashcroft <Help>

General Event Information:

Where:

Van Andel Arena
130 West Fulton
Grand Rapids, Michigan

When:

Sat. Mar 31st, 2007
5pm - Game End (Arrive between 3pm - 5pm)
Set-up either Friday night or after 12:00pm Saturday

The event will consist of:

We will be raising money for "The Grand Rapids Griffins Youth Foundation"

The Grand Rapids Griffins Youth Foundation was established in 1995 to expand the opportunities for participation in ice skating and related sports and activities, and to encourage academic excellence, community involvement and healthy lifestyles among the youth of West Michigan.

["http://griffinshockey.com/community/youthfoundation/"](http://griffinshockey.com/community/youthfoundation/)

During the game:

The whole night is going to be geared towards a Star Wars theme. They will have video segments for use at the open and during the game. It's going to be a fun night.

They are setting us up with:

- Huge banquet room to change in and store our totes. Griffins will also supply a cooler of free waters, Gatorades and food. The banquet room is located on the main level past the escalator.
- Darth Vader will be dropping the ceremonial first puck at center ice.
- Multiple inner period games. TBD
- Star Wars trivia going on throughout the night on the big screen inside the arena.. Just like the Whitecaps... Somebody from the arena roving the stands with a wireless mic...the in-house spotlight will stop when a person is asked the Star Wars trivia... if that person gets the question right, they'd win a nice prize. The Griffins people said they would look into getting autographed Red Wings stuff to have as gift, Red Wings tickets, obviously

Griffins memorabilia, and whatever Star Wars stuff we bring (Griffins are in bed with Meijer so maybe they can get some Star Wars DVD sets donated or some new Star Wars Toys).

Photo Booth Information:

The space on concourse for photos will be front and center. Photos and such will be available between 6:00pm - 9:00pm. Vader will arrive for photo's after first puck is dropped.

Display Table:

Various 501st and Rebel Legion items will be on display. Tattoos will be passed out along with flyers and activity books. If there are any other display items you would like to display please bring them to our attention.

Parking (Loading and Unloading) - “Area 3 - #13” and “Area 5 - #15.” Area 3 is the loading and unloading location. If Area 3 is full you can still pull in and unload and then go park in Area 5. There will be security in the lot who can watch your bins while you park. ["http://www.vanandelarena.com/parking.asp"](http://www.vanandelarena.com/parking.asp)



Captains:

1. **PRINTING BOOTH CAPTAIN (Donavon Larabel)**- In charge of taking and printing pictures. Costume support staffers (2)... one in charge of monitoring paper and ink... the other in charge of positioning fans for photos... Finished pictures are to be taken to 501st display table where those staffers will be responsible for handing them out.

2. **LINES CAPTAIN (Blasty and Mike)** - In charge of making sure fans stay inside the stanchions. Tell fans the photos are available for a suggested donation of \$5. If fans have their own camera, still suggest a \$5 donation for a picture with the characters. Make sure if line gets to a certain point, it gets cut off (capped). Griffins will make signs that will detail a timeframe for pictures on 3/31. This captain is responsible for keeping an eye on the clock and "capping" the line so photos end when the Griffins want them to end. Photo's will be taken between 6pm and 9pm. **The line must end at 9pm.**

3. **GAMES CAPTAIN (Brent Ashcroft)** - In charge of bringing selected costumers to designated locations for intermission events. Kevin from the Griffins will dedicate a Griffins staffer to work with Brent to make sure costumers are where they need to be. Brent will have an itinerary for the evening events. The hope is to assign troopers to events so everybody knows who's doing what. The assigning of events will take place during orientation (4-5pm). All costumers should stay around the photo area so Brent can find them easily for the selected games.

4. **DISPLAY TABLE CAPTAIN (Shannon Trinbley)** - In charge of handing out flyers and coloring books. Keep an eye on 501st video, rewind and start it over when it ends. Answering fans questions about our club. Will need reps from all clubs present to help at display table. Charity rep will also be here. They will be the source of information for the charity and help pass out photo's.

***Everyone will be assigned to one of these groups. If you have a preference please let us know.**

GAME DAY INFO YOU NEED TO KNOW:

Hotel information - Check in time is around 3pm (Kevin is checking into getting a 12pm check in time for us)

Event Staff we will have - 2 Foundation reps and 1 Arena usher

Arrival time - Please be to the arena no later than 5pm. The meeting with Kevin and his assistant will begin promptly at 5pm. If you are not at this meeting you may not be able to help with certain activities. This is a must attend meeting. Kevin will give out everyone's ticket at 5pm.

Photo's - We will begin taking photo's by 6:00pm and go until 9:00pm. Vader will begin taking photo's after first puck drop.

Michigan Squad Event Code of Conduct

- Star Wars Night With The Grand Rapids Griffins (March 31st-2007) -

1. We will be participating on behalf of Grand Rapids Griffins Youth Foundation .
2. This will be a **BUCKETS ON at ALL TIMES** event. Keep your Just don't kill yourself!!! If you need to take a break out of public view, return to the changing area. Drinks and food will be available there.
3. Enjoy the fact that today you'll be putting smiles on kid's faces. 😊 Hopefully, with the money we raise there will be more smiles in the future.
4. Remember to be professional and stay in character during the event. To kids, you are that character, so do your best to keep up the illusion.
5. If you see any costumer acting unprofessionally, inform the event coordinators ASAP.
6. Please take the time to thank the organizers and contacts of this event for making today possible.
7. Last but not least remember to thank our charity reps if present. They are the ones we are doing this event for!

Thank you to everyone that has volunteered to work this event to help raise money for this wonderful charity!