

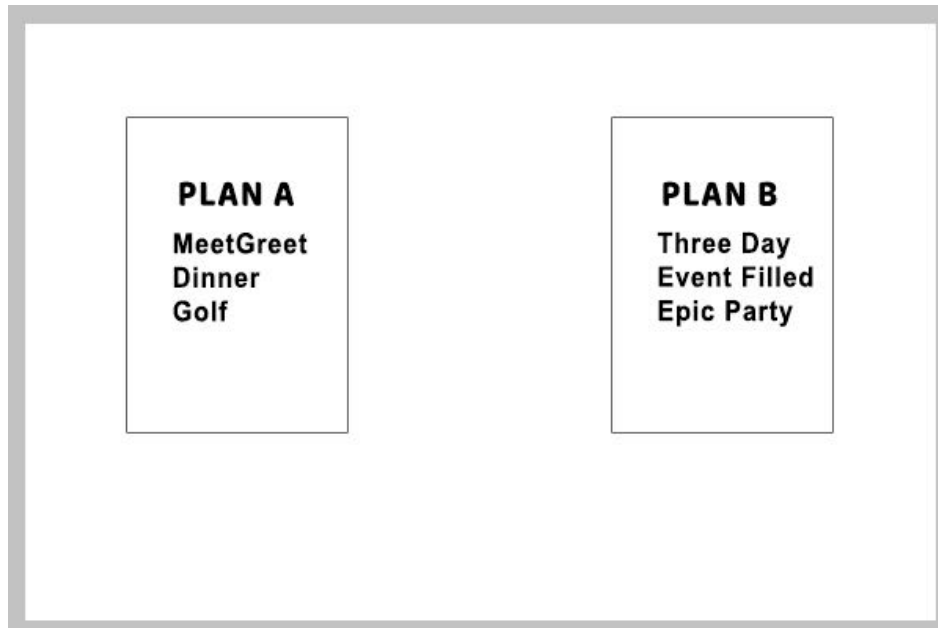
May 21, 2024

Aloha Committee Chair Ann ~

A couple weeks ago, Bob and I had a warm conversation about moving the 50th Reunion planning forward. He asked that we not have two efforts to update classmate information and intrude on classmates. We agreed such division would cast negativity over what should be a joyous and pleasant event.

Have requested updated classmate rosters. Committee members deny my request. I come to you as chair to resolve this obstruction. Contacted all of you initially with excited anticipation. Fun to work with each of you. Our first discussion made it clear — direction of planning committee would follow past precedent. Respect this plan, but believe the final decision should be left to classmates.

Wish we thought of this portion of planning to be an open whiteboard. Let every participant brainstorm and bring forward options. Consider the illustration below. At this time, we have two proposals: Plan A and Plan B



It appears the majority of committee members prefer Plan A. Susan claims I have divided the group, and “turned everything into a YOU vs. US.” This isn’t accurate. Doesn’t have to be a You vs. US. Other committee members are interested in exploring options. Susan initially expressed interest as well. I developed Plan B in consideration of her thoughts and suggestions to do more research.

Coming in open-minded, respectful and with aloha, I found the group pre-biased to past precedent. The group bullied, intimidated, shunned, slandered and libeled, even sexually harassed — simply because I advocate a Plan B. There are some criticisms about the website, which is part of Plan B. The committee had no website. I filled a gap. Members are free to submit content and ideas, and have submitted content and ideas. Not sure the tension here.

Members demand to lock in amenities or facilities related to Plan A, which constrains other options. All I have requested is to develop Proof of Concepts for both plans. Place both concepts before

classmates on the website. Let them vote and decide. Maybe Plan A, maybe Plan B or maybe our ideas will generate new possibilities. We owe our classmates the opportunity to be involved in the final design. The reunion is for them, not just us.



Committee of Jeff Waldron, Bob Brown, Ann Driever, Susan Mattivi Gierga, Kathy Williams and Barbra Kalivas Barrowman appeared threatened by the work of Scott Goold.

Feeling uncomfortable by the tension from members who seek to handicap the progress of Plan B, I've pulled away from committee daily activities. They can develop Plan A; I will work to develop Plan B. Any member interested in assisting this option is welcome.

To move Plan B Proof of Concept forward, I need updated classmate information. We can't provide one team information while denying the other. Have made this request many times. Do not wish to see clouds develop over our deliberations.

With respect, please have members provide to me the most recent classmate roster so I can program this information into the Plan B system. Plan A is a relatively simple data management project. Plan B requires far more sophisticated information management. Delay receiving this information obstructs development of Plan B and possibly injures our classmates.

This event is a priceless moment in the lives of some 440+ classmates, family, partners, spouse, children and grandchildren. We could involve over 1,000+ if the program is exciting and marketing professional. Reunion 50th is an epic event in our lives.

Second, members continue refusal to integrate social media with the website. Plan B requires a comprehensive marketing and event promotion campaign. Plan A enthusiasts go in one direction; limiting progress on Plan B. We need to be coordinated, not in competition. Develop both Plan A and Plan B fully. The class will decide.

I need your chair leadership at this time to move forward our progress. Please have the appropriate committee member provide the updated roster by 12:01PM MDT, Wednesday, May 22, 2024.

Believe Jeff manages the Facebook page. Do you have anyone working other social media? Jeff continues to avoid me. He spent quite a bit of time commenting on Facebook; won't return my calls. We are losing time and inefficiency harms classmates. Would prefer we put others first.

Thank you. Aloha ~

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Scott Goold
HHS Class of 1975 President