

THANKS TO EVERYONE WHO HELPED WITH THE 26TH ANNUAL SIESTA KEY TRIATHLON!

We had a record turnout out of participants Sunday and thanks to Shark volunteers, we ran a safe and a fun race. Feedback coming in is positive with **rave reviews about food and athlete support** from Shark parents and swimmers. Athletes will come back next year!

We also had a profitable race and expect to net in excess of \$35,000. We will provide the team with a financial report in the next two weeks after final expenses come in.

Areas where we can improve are being noted, and we hope to get other key people involved in planning.

Special thanks to:

Janet Clark, Event Manager

Steve Theofanous & Judy Kiyonaga, Hospitality

Eileen Everhart & Linda Averett, Volunteer Coordinators

Kim Motta, Treasurer

Angela Caldwell, Registration Coordinator

Randy Averett, Equipment Set Up

Peg Rauch, Awards

Jami Kellogg, T Shirts

Bob Clark, Volunteer web site coordinator

Bill Wall, SYS Parent Support Group President

Key volunteers handled race day challenges in a swift and efficient way. We really appreciate the course set-up dads who worked all afternoon Saturday, came back and set up transition Saturday night, and then came back for more Sunday at 5 a.m.

The expo ran smoothly even though it was a long day for volunteers. They made the athletes feel welcome and informed.

Thanks to all of the parents who helped at the expo, the race, and throughout the year!