

**Cosmic Burn: New Beginnings  
A Burning Man Regional Event  
After Burn Report**

Cosmic Burn: New Beginnings (a.k.a. Cosmic) was held July 1-4, 2022, in Ithaca, NY.

**Summary Description**

The weather was beautiful, with only one evening of rain. There were no negative incidents or medical events to report among attendees and no sound complaints. The Center Camp hosted several events including a well-attended Variety Show and two weddings which were highlights for all. The generalized volunteer positions ('Sparks') worked well, and volunteer shifts were largely filled. We have found that combining specialized volunteer functions into scheduled, general volunteer shifts has worked well for a modest-sized event like ours.

Neighbors did show up at center camp late on Saturday night and expressed curiosity about the event. We gave them a brief overview of Burning Man and its principles and invited them to look around at the art. They stayed on the property for about 30 minutes, spoke to several people, asked questions, and then thanked us for the information and expressed excitement and admiration for what we were doing.

The landowner was satisfied with our LNT efforts and participants did an excellent job of MOOP sweeping the event grounds. DPW found extremely little MOOP left behind.

The landowner further stated he was very happy with our event and we are welcome back again.

A unique, 3D fly-through of the wooden effigy art at the event may be visited online at <https://launchedpix.nira.app/a/Srz2mPW-RcGw69FDlc7ztw/1> .

**Number of Attendees**

132

**Total Revenues**

\$11,571.00

**Total Cost**

\$9395.54

**Net Revenues**

\$2175.46

**How Net Revenues Will Be Utilized**

Net revenues will be saved to pay production costs and/or art grants at future Official Regional events produced by the team below.

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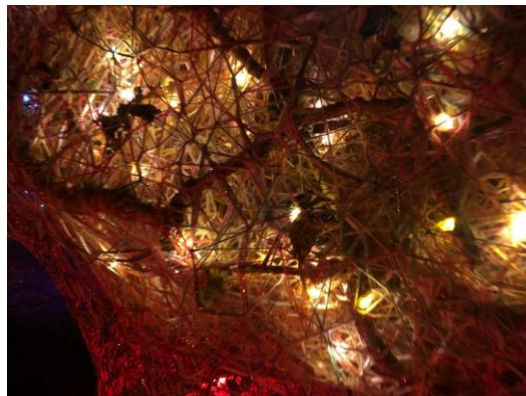


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