

Illinois Women's Basketball Birthday Party

Who: Community, all ages

What: Tables, chairs, table covering, streamers, plates, forks, napkins, items to give the party such as food, pom poms, programs, birthday cake, birthday card, photo of their party

When: During the game

Where: Birthday parties were seated at tables on the floor of the arena on either side of the court to fill the floor and add excitement near the court

How: We set up and decorated the tables before the game. The parties arrived 30-45 minutes before the game to take a picture with the coach. We also brought down the food at this time. During halftime the birthday girl/boy's name was on the scoreboard, the party was announced over the p.a. system, and we provided them with a knife, candle, and matches to cut the cake.

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