

MINUTES
GHS ALUMNI ASSOCIATION MEETING
FEBRUARY 6, 2014

The meeting was called to order at 6:30 pm by Jenny Nichols.

1. Financial Report: Judy reported the January report was corrected and shows receipts of \$7,375 instead of \$5,375 as previously reported. The February report shows that we have \$8,818 in the general account and \$15,000 in the scholarship account, which is up by \$1,800.
2. Jenny reported that 207 people so far have paid reunion registration fee. She said that the Presbyterian Church and Church of Christ were contacted and agreed that their parking space could be used during the time of the reunion. We will have police service 4-8:30 pm that day.
3. Sign colors: We were able to view two different sign types (colors) and all decided they are both nice and it doesn't matter which to use. Lori said that she will bring signs and flyers to our next meeting.
4. Motion made for our next meeting to be March 18, since Jenny will be out of town until that time. Motion was seconded and carried unanimously.
5. Jenny reported that we have so far received 12 applications for scholarship.

REUNION

Dr. Moore has agreed to post information about the reunion on the school sign.

Food: Ina and Lori will meet with Firehouse. They will buy chips and soft drinks at Sams. It was requested that everyone bring a case of bottled water. It was also requested that everyone bring a cooler and desserts. Linda Coombs suggested Kroger might donate the soft drinks and will investigate this possibility.

Registration: It is felt that we will have a very large crowd, so Jenny will purchase 1,000 nametags. Registration will be set up as before in decades and volunteers will be obtained to work the registration desk.

Decorations: Kim kept the decorations from the last reunion. Rita volunteered to furnish flowers for the tables. Kim & Lori will put out the yellow bows about 2 weeks prior to the reunion.

Publicity: Jenny asked that everyone distribute flyers about the meeting and asked to have the announcement put in their church bulletins. Lori will check with the "Ledger" and the "Hendersonville Star News" to try and get publicity from them. Lori will also check on the White House newspaper. Linda will contact Holly Thompson of Channel 4. It was mentioned that Facebook also is a great way to keep people informed about the reunion.

Jenny requested that everyone help with cleanup after the reunion. We will have to pay the school custodians and police that are helping us out that evening.

Program: Lori stated that the cheerleaders would lead a couple of cheers. Steve, a new Member of our group, was in the marching band in the 80's. We are very happy to have members from that decade! He has offered to put together a small band of former band members that he knows to play for us that evening. Reatha has also contacted the school and the pep band will play for us that evening as well.

We decided against a DJ and we will not have a photographer this time. Instead we will purchase disposable cameras to put on tables and let the attendees take pictures that may be framed in our "alumni room" of the new school.

Invitations for Teachers: Jenny said her list has not been updated. We had originally decided to meet on the 13th and work on the teacher list, but Jenny's list seems to be complete and others will work on obtaining teacher information to send to Jenny and Rita so that the invitations can be sent.

With no further business, the meeting was adjourned at 7:40 pm. The next meeting is March 18, 6:30 pm

Respectfully submitted,

Regina Workman, Secretary