

MINUTES

BOARD OF DIRECTORS

GHS ALUMNI ASSOCIATION

JUNE 24, 2010

The meeting was called to order at 6:35 pm CDT by Jenny Nichols, Chair. First order of business was the treasurer's report, given by Judy Adkins. Judy reported that \$72 had been paid for a post office box for one year, which leaves a balance of \$255.

Rita Bradley read a draft of a letter that will be sent out regarding the reunion and joining the GHS Alumni Association. This had been discussed at the previous meeting. After discussion it was suggested that the letter also contain the purpose of the Alumni Association, which is stated in the bylaws. It was also suggested that the tear-off registration form that is to be returned for registration should contain the e-mail address and the class year. The goal date for mailing the letter is September 9.

Jenny next reviewed the list of supplies needed to print and mail the letters. Mrs. Sanders said that she would donate the paper for the letters. Dianne Harden is working on the data base and will do the labels. Dianne is temporarily providing this service until we can find someone to do it on a permanent basis. Jenny asked for donations for the envelopes with not much response and then postage was discussed. Ed Sloan said that we will take care of getting donations for postage. It was suggested that each class buy their own envelopes. Judy suggested obtaining a rubber stamp with the Alumni Association's return address to use on the envelopes and everyone felt this was a good idea. Jenny asked everyone to think about donations that we might be able to obtain – water, door prizes, etc. – and we can discuss this at the next meeting.

Committees were next to be established.

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| 1. Website – GHS Alumni.com | Sissy Thomas |
| 2. Food/Drinks | Ina Hitt, Lori Cordell & Rita Bradley |
| 3. Ice | Tim Garrett |
| 4. Registration (to include schedule & nametags) | Regina Workman |
| 5. Publicity (posters, flyers) | Jo Sanders & Jenny Nichols |
| 6. Program | Hank Abbott, Rita Bradley, Jenny Nichols |

7. Teachers (finding and contacting about reunion) Reatha Davis
8. Decorations & Signs (for each decade) Mark Allison will be contacted
Jenny suggested that we all decorate and everyone agreed.

Some logistical topics were discussed, such as where to place the decade signs (bleachers), etc.

Lori has obtained a photographer and everyone decided it is best if the photographer is totally in charge of handling the orders, money, etc.

We discussed a memorabilia table at the event and this topic was tabled until the next meeting.

Rita and Hank have a DJ for the event at the cost of \$250.

Jenny again reminded everyone to think about door prizes and this can be further discussed at the next meeting.

Clean up of the school after our event was discussed. It was thought that someone from Metro schools (a janitor) must be there to open/close when there is an event at the school. This will be further investigated.

Jenny asked that each committee bring a brief report to the next meeting. Class lists are due to Dianne no later than July 22.

There have been some people who attended our meetings for a few times and haven't returned to a meeting for a long period of time. Jenny asked for suggestions on what to do. Discussion followed, and it was felt that these people should be sent a notice to see if they are still interested in participating and if not, we can drop them off the Board.

Jenny asked Regina to update the Facebook page and Classmates.com to add the website address. Sissy asked for names of the decade chairpersons to post on the website.

The next meeting will be held on July 22.

With no further business to be discussed, the meeting was adjourned at 7:50 pm

Respectfully submitted

Regina Workman

Secretary