

Minutes

GHS Alumni Association Meeting

September 29, 2016

The GHS Alumni Association met on Thursday night, 9/29/16, at the new Goodlettsville Middle School in the GHS Alumni Room! It is a beautiful room and we are so honored to be able to utilize this space for our GHS memories.

Assistant Principal Angela Deel welcomed us to GS and assured us that we are welcome anytime to the school and most certainly to the Alumni Room. She was very appreciative of our efforts and reminded us that they can use our help in several areas, either projects around the school or homeless children that attend the school. She promised a tour after the meeting ended.

Judy Adkins gave the financial Report. We awarded scholarships in the amount of \$13,000 for the school year beginning in August 2016, and for a total of five years we have awarded \$41,000 in scholarships. We have a little over \$6,000 in our general account and around \$12,000 in the scholarship account, for a total of \$18,000 in the bank. The GHSAA Golf Tournament gave us a profit of \$3,756.

We did obtain a storage unit for the purpose of storing GHS memorabilia at a cost of a little over \$100/month. Jenny asked for help next week to remove these items from the storage unit and bring them to the Alumni Room. We have rented the storage room until October 18, so everything should be removed prior to that date. Several volunteers with trucks were in attendance at the meeting and promised to help.

Also discussed were the pictures of the GHS graduating classes that are now on display at the Community Center. There was discussion if there is room to hang all of these pictures in our Alumni Room. Jenny will work with the school staff about proper hanging – whether they wish to hang or they want us to do so.

Ginny then brought up Christmas for teachers. It was decided to pick a day and we would have Firehouse deliver subs to the teachers.

Steve Winters was then asked to inform us about the Goodlettsville Community Band. The band originated after one of our reunions and they still meet and are willing to play for community events – at no charge. They may even be able to hold practices in the Alumni room.

Jenny then mentioned that the website needs to be updated and she is working on that. She also said that class representatives are needed for the following classes: 50, 54, 66, 70, 79, and 85.

The newsletter will come out sometime in December and Jenny requested topics for the newsletter. An article on the community band was suggested.

David Dalton was called on and he would like for the Alumni Association to consider a “Sports Hall of Fame” There are some people that should be inducted first – Tom Moore and Coach Burgess – and then perhaps a couple of people each decade should be inducted. He will chair a committee to set this up.

Ms. Deel, the Assistant Principal, then came to give us a tour of the school, which is very beautiful!
What a wonderful addition to our community!

We enjoyed refreshments donated by Jenny and Sonny Nichols, and the meeting was then adjourned.

Respectfully submitted,

Regina Workman
Secretary