

**GHS Band Boosters Meeting
November 5, 2007**

Meeting was called to order by President Michele Best. Minutes were read by Secretary Lawanna Hand. Treasurer's Report was given by Patti Flippo. Patti responded to a question about bounced checks.

DIRECTOR'S REPORT: Tracey Starnes

Spring trip letters have been sent out. There are copies at school if your child did not bring one home. Payment letter will go out with dates this week.

Podium skirt – still checking on prices.

Football Game this Friday in Decatur. Call time for students is 4:15 pm. We will load at 4:30 and leave school at 4:45 pm. Should be back here between 11:00 – 11:30 pm

Christmas Parade: Thursday, Dec. 6 at 6:00 pm. Call time will be announced later.

Christmas Concert: Dec. 4 at Bragg Middle School

All County Band: Thursday, Nov. 15. Practice is Tuesday night at Irondale Middle School

Nov. 12: No school for Veteran's Day holiday

FUNDRAISING: Becky Wells

Honeybaked ham orders are due

Candle sale will start soon

Long sleeve T-shirts can be ordered for \$10. Forms available at school

Zaxby's night is the 3rd Tuesday

OLD BUSINESS:

Coke trailer: will have one if there is another game at G'dale this season.

NEW BUSINESS:

Grant Larsen built 2 carts which will roll instruments on to the truck.

Michele Best sent gift baskets to 2 people in the hospital. (Dr. Jacobs & Ronya Martin's husband)

Officer Positions: need to be filled by Nominating Committee which we will choose in December. Volunteers will be needed.

Searching for a web master for our website. If you are interested in keeping the website current please email the band boosters.

Audit Committee: Nancy & Patty
Will audit the books after the meeting.

Band Banquet: Debbie Miller

Possibly May 3 (date has not been reserved yet) at the Wynfrey Hotel. Cost will be \$29.95 per person not including tax & 20 % gratuity (total comes to \$38.64). Ronya Martin's husband will D.J. the event. (There is a dance floor). We all need to ask for sponsors to help pay for this event. Janet Mitchell suggested that Debbie get the prices in writing. Voted to let Debbie continue planning the banquet at the Wynfrey.

Prom is April 4, 2008

Spring trip is April 23-27, 2008 to Orlando

Band Trailer Committee: Rick Houchins

Rick got approval from Dr. Vacca for a trailer. We will need to find a place to park it and Rick suggested that Lynn Hurst would probably let us park it.

After much discussion Rick made a motion that we purchase the trailer from Homesteader for \$5,865.00 plus cost for the title & graphics up to a maximum of \$7,000.00.

Description of the trailer: 6ft. 8 in. height, tubular frame support, rounded top for water drainage, bumper pull, 2 axles, electric brakes, 3, 400 weight when empty, 3 year warranty, gray color, interior lights, ramp door, rear loading lights.

Rick is also asking businesses for sponsorship.

Motion passed to purchase the trailer.

\$25 drawing went to Patti Flippo

Next Meeting is Monday, December 10

Adjourned

Lawanna Hand
Secretary