

GHS Band Boosters
Monday, December 10, 2007

Meeting called to order by Michele Best. Last month's Minutes read by Dale Brown, approved and filed. Treasurer report was given by Patti Flippo. Present balance of \$32,166.37. Approved and filed.

DIRECTORS REPORT:

Jan. 26, 2008: All State Tryouts at Hoover.

Feb. 12-14: District Festival at Homewood or Vestavia.

March?: State Festival we have 3 different dates, Mr. Starnes is not sure which one we will be attending.

April 29: Ensemble Festival

April 17-19: All State Festival

FUNDRAISER REPORT:

The candle sell was due today. Becky apologized for the short notice. We will offer it again after the first of the year. We will also hopefully have some new fundraisers after the first of the year.

Continue to support Zaxbys.

Honeybake Ham sell is over. We made more profit selling the gift certificates than the actual product.

A suggestion was made from the floor to send an email out with these different fundraisers since all the information is not always getting home.

OLD BUSINESS:

Attention brought to the two portable carts that Grant Larsen made, which will fit nicely into our new trailer.

Tim Vines is doing a great job on the web site.

The audit committee found no problems with the books on the audit that was done in Nov.

Michele asked for volunteers to serve on the nominating committee. She informed the group that there are already several people interested in the majority of the positions so the committee would not be starting from scratch.

Band Banquet update was given by Debbie Miller. The dates are still up in the air: May 2nd or May 9th were proposed. The cost will be around \$40 per guest; the band student cost will be covered by the band boosters. Debbie really emphasized getting sponsors and donations from local business even a small amount of \$25 would be helpful. She encouraged all present to talk to the people we do business with and ask for a donation. She will get a letter and thankyou together by the next meeting for our sponsors.

NEW BUSINESS:

Our new band trailer was parked outside for a tour/field trip after the meeting. Lyn Hurst has agreed to house it his business behind a locked gate. The trailer will need a special cover to keep the mold and mildew off it. The band boosters gave Rick Houchins permission to purchase one.

Next Meeting Jan 7th, 2008 @7pm.

Angel Land won the \$25 drawing.

Following the meeting we toured the new band trailer.