

**Northside High School PTSA
Executive Board Meeting Minutes
Tuesday, February 23, 2010**

In Attendance: Angie Anderson, Katrenna Sandy, Carol Cox, Martha Barger, Erica Sharkey, and Cathy Hubbard.

Called to Order and Welcome: Angie Anderson welcomed everyone and called the meeting to order.

Budget & Treasurer's Report: Katrenna went over the Budget and Treasurer's Report, she asked After Prom to look at the changes she has made to several of the headings and see if they are alright.

Membership: Erica asked about the membership cards that were given to Mr. Dent and money received from the teachers. Angie going to ask Mr. Dent about and get back with Erica.

After Prom Happening:

- A) Matchmaker / Heart-Attack – Made around \$ 372 on this.
- B) Cinderella's Closet – To be held this weekend Feb 26 -28 and looking for volunteers to work. To be held at Brides House and Formals.
- C) Applebee's Pancake Breakfast – is scheduled for April 17, 2010 at Valley View Applebee's from 8 AM to 11 AM. Tickets are \$ 5.00 and Applebee's will get \$ 2.00 for each ticket that is collected at the door. The \$ 2.00 is being used to offset the cost for Applebee's. Need volunteers to work this.

Angie reminded board members that fund raising is down this year and for each board member to try and get one \$ 100 sponsorship to help raise the funds that are needed for After Prom. It was brought up that maybe send the sponsorship letter home through the Northside students to their parents to see if the company that the parent works for is interested in being a sponsor or maybe a parent owns a business and would like to be a sponsor. These sponsorships are tax deductible. Carol Cox will check with Mr. Dent and see if this is OK. Maybe could mail the information to parents. Need to keep a list of business' that have been asked to be a sponsor so that several individuals do not ask the same business – need to check with Paula about.

Brainstormed ideas to save money on After Prom. Cut back on decorations. Maybe rent the blow-ups for a couple of hours instead of the whole night. Maybe do not have blow-ups or not as many blow-ups and set up X-Box and/or Wii games for the students to use. Look at getting Carnival Games from Burlington to use. Let students play games and win tokens and then choose prizes. Question was asked are there Junior's or Senior's involved with After Prom. Good idea to get their input on After Prom. What did they like last year and what could be improved upon.

Labels: Martha has prepared 850 Box Tops to be sent and this will give NHS \$ 85.00. Martha is coordinating with Pat Williams with NMS to send all the Box Tops together. Keep collecting Box Tops, Campbell Soup labels, and Nestle water bottle labels and sending them into the school.

Programs: Karen Cole and Diane Woods will help organize Dessert with the Arts.

Nominating Committee: A nominating committee has been selected nominating Board Member for next Year's NHS PTSA. The members are: Carol Cox, Whitney Justice, Marcy Gallagher, Melanie Scott, and Jami Wiedmann.

Volunteers: Need to find a volunteer who will organize the exam snacks at the end of the year.

Old Business:

Trailer being moved and painted. Angie will check with Mr. Dent on the status of this.

Next Board Meeting: March 30, 2010 at **6:00 PM** in the Library with the General Meeting at 7 PM.