

**Northside High School PTSA
Executive Board Meeting Minutes
Tuesday, January 26, 2010**

In Attendance: Angie Anderson, Frank Dent, Paula Hutchison, Katrenna Sandy, Carol Cox, Marcy Gallagher, Susan King, and Cathy Hubbard.

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

Budget & Treasurer's Report: Looked over the Treasurer's Report and there were no questions.

Membership: One new member.

After Prom Happening:

Need Volunteers for:

A) Matchmaker / Heart-Attack – Feb. 8 – 12, Sell hearts the first three days for \$1 each. Last two day pay a \$1 to see what the hearts say. Hearts to be sold during lunch. Maybe sell hearts at the basketball games.

B) Cinderella's Closet – Promote at basketball games. Feb. 26 – 28. To be held at Brides House and Formals.

C) Basketball game to promote upcoming events – Father vs Son and Mom vs Daughter. Possible have chili cook off with this. March 6th from 5 PM to 8 PM.

E) Chili Cook-off and Rodeo – Cancelled. Possibly do chili cook off at basketball game above. Carol Cox will be coordinating.

F) 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.

G) After Prom Committee toured the Green Ridge Recreation Center. Looking at possibly holding After Prom here.

Funding raising for After Prom is down this year. Around \$ 8000 needs to be raised for the After Prom events. Thus After Prom committee is asking for assistance to help raise money. Each board member is asked to work to try and get at least one \$ 100 donation. If all board members can get at least one \$ 100 donation then this will bring in around \$ 3000. With all board members working on this it will level the playing field instead of just a few seeking donations. Paula Hutchison has the donation letters if anyone needs a copy.

County Council: Susan King went to County Council obtained a program that deals with Dating Abuse. She gave the program to Mr. Dent who in turn is going to give it to the SAPP coordinator to look over.

Old Business:

Trailer location, Mr. Dent will check on moving it. Football team is going to paint trailer green with a Viking head.

New business:

Need nominating committee to work on the PTSA Board for next year. Need two board members to be involved – Carol Cox volunteered and both Marcy Gallagher and Whitney Justice were nominated. Also, Melanie Scott and Kay Hambrick were nominated to serve on this committee.

Principal's Corner: Things are going well. Report cars were sent home on Monday. If things are going wrong the go and see Mr. Dent. He has an open door policy. He thanked the PTSA for selling snacks during exams. Tonight is registration/orientation in the cafeteria at 7 PM. Next Monday is Parent Teacher Conference from 12 PM to 7 PM. Northside High School is working on getting more students to take advanced placement classes. VESSA has approved NHS to participate in a program next year where a student that passes an advanced placement class will receive \$ 100 from VESSA. There will be two fire drills during February 2010. Still getting used to programming the Instant Alert System. There is going to be Wrestling Tournament in February at NHS. There is going to be a Ring Ceremony on February 14th at 3 PM in the auditorium to present each football play a ring. Everyone is invited to attend. The Football Team and the Cheer Leaders are going to the House & Senate on February 18th to be recognized and to have pictures taken with the new Governor. This year has been a Great Year for Sports from Football to Cheerleading, Volleyball, Golf, Cross Country, Swimming, Basketball, Wrestling, Baseball, Softball, Track, Tennis, Soccer, and ACE. There is a newsletter coming out shortly. Mr. Dent Thanked everyone for all they do to make Northside such a Great Place.

Next Board Meeting: February 23, 2010 at **6:00 PM** in the Library.