

Carlisle High School Alumni Association April 17, 2005

The Alumni Association met Sunday April 17, 2005 in the Community Room of BancorpSouth with 14 members present. President Mike Calvert called the meeting to order.

Minutes of the February 20, 2005 were read and approved.

Treasurer's report given by Gina Ingle with \$3,733.49 in the checking account. The C.D. in the amount of \$1,250.00 has been renewed at 2.75% due April 1, 2006, with a change of one step up if rates increase.

Membership report with 478 lifetime members, 12 honorary, 11 associate, and 10 one year members.

Scholarship Foundation report was given by Janet Pasley. She reported a total of \$510.00 was given in memory of Paul Rice from people outside the Carlisle area that he worked with through websites.

The scholarship committee report by Olivia Kegley that Steven Wagner was the recipient of the 2005 scholarship of \$500.00.

Mike reported one of the women that Paul worked with offered to take over all of Paul's accounts and is working free of charge for a time on our websites. The site is working and updates are being made.

Representatives from the classes of 1955, 1945, and 1935 were represented in the meeting and reported plans being made for their reunions during Homecoming weekend.

Mike has talked with class members of 1995, 1985, and 1975 and they are making plans for their reunions during Homecoming weekend. No one represented the class of 1965.

Olivia reported that the classes ending with "5" will be featured with their history and memorabilia in the Methodist Family Life Center during Homecoming weekend.

Mike discussed the "Welcome Home Heroes" day on May 14th to see if we wanted to participate. Motion by Carolyn Marek, second by Peggy Bailey, motion carried, to donate \$100.00 to help with expenses.

Mike reported that the time capsule will be resealed May 15th at 4.00 P.M. after our regular Alumni meeting.

Mike reported that we have received notice that the Alumni Association has a tax exempt status. This will help with grant opportunities and other donations people want to make.

The vacancy on the Board of Directors caused by the death of Paul Rice will be made from the recommendations received by Mike at our May meeting.

Discussion on whether to continue the newspaper articles before the Homecoming weekend met with approval from the group.

Peggy Bailey suggested that we have a talent show for different age groups before the weekend and then they could perform on Saturday at the park. She will check to see if the school still has talent shows and will report back in the May meeting.

Next meeting will be May 15th.

No further business, the meeting adjourned.

Bobbie Pryor