

**CHS Alumni Association
Minutes
August 19, 2007**

President Mike Calvert called the meeting to order with 25 members present. Introductions and welcome were done.

Bobbie Jean Pryor made a motion to accept the minutes from the last meeting. Motion seconded and carried.

Treasurer Gina Ingle reported a balance of \$4691.03 in checking and a \$1250 Certificate of Deposit. The checking account balance includes \$1203.59 for history. Treasurer's report accepted.

Membership Chair Bobbie Jean Pryor reported a membership of 597 (556 life members, 9 one-year members, 13 associate members, and 19 honorary members). Updates are being made to the web site so it appears that the class representative committee is doing some work.

OLD BUSINESS

History Update – The Association has received/purchased several historical items since the last meeting. Featured tables will be FHA, FFA and Journalism. Several from the highlighted years (1907, 1917, 1927, 1937, 1947, 1957, 1967, 1977, 1987, 1997, and 2007) will have displays.

Class Representative Committee – Peggy Bailey reported she had called a list of people regarding this committee. Work is being done and it is moving.

Newsletter – will hopefully be out by September 12, 2007.

NEW BUSINESS

Homecoming Date – Homecoming will be October 12 and the day in the park will be October 13, 2007.

Queens' Luncheon – Carolyn Marek, Nancy Kittler, and Sharon Hillman are working on the queens' luncheon. The charge will be \$15 this year. We expect about the same as we had last year (16 queens and 8 maids).

Entertainment – Peggy Bailey, Marla Cunningham, and Carolyn Marek met and decided to go with music from the late 50s, bluegrass, and country.

Tents – We need to know how many tents will be going up in the park.

Donuts and Coffee will be in the park early morning the same as last year.

Dance on Saturday night was discussed. Individuals will do more checking and report at the next meeting.

BBQ Friday Night – will be sponsored by the Chamber of Commerce.

Fish Fry Saturday Night – will be sponsored by the Chamber of Commerce.

Fund Raising – Several ideas are being tossed around for fund raising (plates, laminated sheets, or something along this line. Also long sleeve gray t-shirts and the chambray shirts, and a raffle of some kind. We still have lawn chairs for sale.

Vendors – Possible list of vendors are the Booster Club hamburgers, Riviana, and Travis Hunt barbeque.

Honorary Alumni Members – There have been four nominees—Kathy Scarborough Plafcan, Ray Glover, Bobby Glover, and Harold Reed. A written ballot was conducted. The announcement will be made in the newsletter.

Graduating Class Composites – With the construction of the new high school, plans will begin for storage and moving everything to the new building. President Calvert asked for approval to write a letter the Superintendent requesting permission for the Alumni Association to take the composite pictures of previous graduating classes and to preserve them until they are placed in the new high school. The Alumni Board gave approval for the letter to be written.

The next meeting will be September 16, 2007, at the BanCorpSouth meeting room.

Respectfully submitted,

Mary Linn, Secretary