

ABC Feb Meeting Minutes

February 12, 2007

Attendance: Maureen Hargrove, Jude Makulec, Vic Verni, Sandy Schwartz, Janice Schmitt, Sue Flemming, Rich Jancek, Marilyn White, Randy Wilt, Stephanie Whittington, Leslie Montgomery, Pertina Porchia, Laura Powers, Carol Kloppman.

Minutes from January 8, 2007 meeting were approved unanimously without change or abstention.

Guest Requests:

Coach Lowe presented a request for \$453 for a pole vaulting pole.

Vic Verni for Epilepsy Foundation Mud Volleyball Tournament - Date is Saturday August 12, 2007. Assist begins on Thursday night with court prep. Looking for volunteers to pump water onto courts, and put up nets, signage, sound system, stage, etc. Volunteers needed Thursday night and Friday day for set up. 10 people to man water (hoses) and 5 to assist with other areas. ABC will get \$3000 for volunteering. Located at Kelly Meyer Park in Roscoe, corner of Door and Hononegah Roads. Mr. Verni will set up a schedule with 4 hour shifts which ABC will fill with volunteers before the end of the school year.

Principal's Report

Spirit Competition: RRStar presented \$1000 First Place Awarded at the Winter Spirit Week Assembly on Friday Feb 9, 2007.

Football: Coaching position nominee will go to board for approval in the near future, perhaps tomorrow night.

Wilson campus update- awaiting BOE vote tomorrow Feb 13. Auburn is losing 2 classrooms to special needs next year. Wilson would have to be a self contained building. If freshman at Wilson doesn't go through to fruition, Auburn will have to go to 5 lunches. Proposal has been made to expand commons into the courtyard to seat more for lunch. Have costs for portables as another alternative. Shared some of the background for the development of the concept of a separate freshman campus. Wilson Freshman Foundation will have 3 required classes: English, Speech and Math.

Scheduling for next year underway. ABC requested line be inserted on registration form indicating if student wants a zero hour.

CAPA Performances: ABC concerned because of lack of attendance at events. Poorly advertised, poorly coordinated with other school events. What can be done to market?

NIC 9 principal's meeting (Feb 12): Motion for signage for student and adult seats. Discussed problems with the Bball game on Friday night at Boylan.

Dance: Spring Bling, Sat March 10, 8-11 PM in Auburn Gym. Guest passes will be accepted, turn in to the student office or at the door so long as accompanied by an Auburn student.

Mayor Morrissey will visit Auburn on March 9 from 1-3, would like ABC to consider presenting him with an Auburn sweatshirt.

AD: Auburn is only HS with part time AD. Will need to increase to at least a full time position if Wilson goes through.

Treasurer's Report

Updated accounts. Recommended we give away at least 90% of our funds. Recommended support for the arts. On behalf of ABC, Janice will submit a letter to the RRStar requesting better coverage of musical, theater and art events. Suggestion made to form a committee to research facility upgrades ABC can offer. Marilyn White and Sandy Schwartz will meet with the principal.

President's Report

Jefferson concession: Made \$820.55. Give \$100 to wrestling and \$250 to class of 08.

Scholarship Applications are available in the counseling department, not being handed out by English teachers as was done in previous years.

Soliciting Applications for Board (ABC) positions for 07-08 school year.

Dance: Report given by Laura Powers. Key Club to decorate- given \$50-\$100 budget. Will give student beads. Still finding a DJ. Looking for chaperones. Tickets pre- \$5, \$10 at the door.

Spiritwear: Need help selling; Spring Sport's sign up Feb 28 from 6-8 PM; PTC 3/8 and 3/13 from 4:30-6:30 PM.

Concessions: Candy still being stolen, installed new locks on cupboard.

Weight Room: No contact from large donor.

Airshow: Submitted request to participate and would like to make at least \$3000.

New Business

Band Concert 2/22/07- Solicited volunteers to carry water into the stands.

Mud Volleyball: Discussed participation. It would be a guaranteed source of income. Maureen will follow up with Terry to make sure there is a man power pool.

Voting for spending opportunities are as follows:

Button Maker: Motion made and seconded to purchase a second button maker to be in the care of Vicki Benson. Motion passed unanimously with no abstentions.

ROTC: 5 students participating in rifle competition in Colorado Springs. Motion made to give 6 sweatshirts and \$500 to ROTC to support their trip. Some of the money will be used to put names onto the shirts. Motion passed unanimously with no abstentions.

Library: Request for matching funds for book purchase (company will match our donation). Sent back to librarian to be presented at the May request meeting unless it's a time sensitive opportunity.

Coach Lowe's request for pole vault pole for \$453 passed unanimously without abstention.

Meeting adjourned at 8:45 PM

Next meeting scheduled for March 12, 2007. Laura Powers will take minutes at that meeting in the secretary's absence.