

Minutes of the August 21, 2021 Meeting of the Conotton Valley Alumni Assn.

The meeting was called to order by President Rindy Brace. Also present were Peggy Rutledge, Becky Caufield, Robin Shetler, Gerald Sanders, Nita Yager, Stacy Sanders, Tanner Berg, and Nancy Pearch.

Rindy welcomed everyone and thanked them for their dedication and continuing to show up. Becky offered prayer.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read by Nita. Rindy asked for any additions or corrections to the minutes, and there being none, Nancy made a motion to accept the minutes, seconded by Peggy, all in favor, motion carried.

Peg presented the Treasurer's Report. We ended our last meeting with a balance of \$5,715.04. It was reported we sold one T-shirt at \$13.50 and we paid \$25 for entrance into the car show, leaving us a new balance of \$5,703.54.

Old Business: Nancy reported we made \$125 in July in merchandise. It was asked if our website would be up all the time and she advised she did not know yet. Nancy is thinking of changing to long sleeve T-shirts.

Gerald reported the pies for the 28th are ready to go along with donated paper products. Rindy has gloves and Nancy has carry-outs.

Gerald advised his brother will get a stamp for the coasters donated from Flickinger Tool and Die. Brenda is waiting for humidity to drop to complete the coasters. Eric Enold stopped in and suggested we do pavers for fundraising.

Gerald advised that he figured we would get 96 pieces of pie at \$3.00 each at our 8/28 event; plus cake and water. Stacy will get four cases of water. It was decided we should be there at 10:00am. Gerald will bring utensils; Nita a bucket and water. Nita asked if we would have enough help as she has to leave at 12:30 for a couple hours and then will come back. It was felt that would work.

Rindy reported she met with Mr. Herman and discussed the tailgate. Stacy advised she tried to calm the booster club and explain we would be done at 6:00pm. Rindy will check with Pat for a paypal account for ticket sales as Mr. Herman said no tickets could go thru the school website. Rindy also learned that a bell will be placed on either side of the Rocket Center and that Mr. Herman felt we should have the alumni weekend event the same time every year. Rindy felt we should reach out to other organizations to do other activities that weekend also.

Stacy reported she will get player info for 1985 and 86 for the team recognition. There will be a committee meeting for the alumni weekend on August 25 at 2:00pm.

Rindy learned that we need to speak with Kelly Edwards or Shelly Walker who handle the "Leader in Me" program for career day information.

Nita asked for a volunteer to take the September meeting minutes as she will be out of town and unable to attend. Robin volunteered to handle the secretary duties.

Nancy reported that the teachers' grants will be handled the same this year as they were last year.

Linda advised she ordered six dozen cups. Carrie is doing the lettering; however, help is needed to put the lettering on the cups.

Stacy advised that the roof leaked at the Rocket Center and they need to do new drywall. They have their last inspection on 9/2/21.

Linda suggested we sell tickets at the library or Baxters or the bank or B&B for the Alumni Dinner. Peg will contact the businesses and see who can help.

Gerald reported that the Bowerston Elementary building is now gone.

Stacy felt our social media accounts including our facebook page are too personal and we need Twitter. Tanner will make it legit and more relevant and everyone felt that was a good idea to put Tanner in charge of our media.

Peggy moved to adjourn; all in favor.

Submitted,

Nita Yager