

## NHS Alumni Association Meeting

May 4, 2009

The meeting was held at the home of Kathy Keogh and was called to order at 7:10 P.M.

**In attendance:** Gail Chickersky, Monika Dougherty, Rick Gwinn, Bob Hairgrove, Kathy Keogh, Brad Lane, Deb Lindell, Kay Lutz, Jay Mahanna, Nancy Mahanna, Mary Lou McDowell, Pat Mroz, Gail Russell

**Secretary's Report:** Minutes from the last meeting were approved.

**Treasurer's Report:** The Treasurer's Report was shared with the committee. It was approved and accepted. Our Ending Bank Balance is \$6,724.31. We have \$4,599.95 earmarked for scholarships. Our Ending Operating Cash Balance is \$2,124.36.

### **Old Business:**

Website Advertising (Jay): Nothing new to report.

Website news (Deb): Everything is up to date. Kit Kudukis will be taking over this job from Deb. A list of trophies is posted on the website. Bob said that he would be willing to help out on the website or in some other capacity where he might be needed.

Wall of Fame (Rick): Rick is a former NHS biology teacher who retired in 2001. He had been in charge of the website at NHS. The Wall of Fame, which was created by Frank Hagen, is on it. Rick has it on a disc and will send it to Gail. We will try to get in touch with Frank.

Newark Nite (Gail): We plan to have our table at the same location as last year, in front of the 83 E. Main building. People have signed up for shifts. We will have a raffle for shirts. Hope to see a lot of people between 5:00-9:30 on Saturday, June 6!

NHS Athletic Council (Brad): The Golf outing at the Newark Country Club on Monday, June 15 is a fundraiser to raise money for renovation of the athletic fields. We need \$9,000 and only have \$2,000 so far. People can register for the event up until June 1. We need 72 people for the Shotgun (a foursome at each hole). The cost is \$400 per team (\$100 per person) and includes golf and dinner. Volunteers are needed to help paint the gym on June 17,18, 19.

### **New Business:**

Scholarships (Gail Russell): The recipients for the 3 scholarships have been selected by the committee. There were 7 applicants. The Classes of '66, '67, and '68 Scholarships will go to Dhara Amin and Lauren Aro, both of whom will be attending the University of Delaware. The Anne Maclary Munyan Scholarship

will go to Sarah Schwartz Glassner, who will attend Millersville. A member of the Maclary family will be giving out the awards at the Awards Assembly on May 28.

Facebook (Mary Lou): Newark High is now a member of Facebook and has 711 “friends”! Gail wondered if we could have a posting that directs people to our website.

Alumni Beach Bunch (Gail): The luncheon will be held at Jake’s Seafood Restaurant on Route 1 going in to Rehoboth on May 14. It is expected that 75 people will attend.

Our next meeting will be the Picnic at Gail’s house on Sunday, July 12 from 12:00-7:00 P.M. Families are invited. We hope to see our Scholarship winners there.

The meeting was adjourned at 8:15 P.M.

Respectfully submitted,

Pat Walker Mroz