

## Cougar Council Meeting Minutes April 12, 2011 General Board Meeting

The General Board Meeting of the Cougar Council PTSO of Central Academy High School was called to order by President Luisa Morrone at 7:00pm on Tuesday April 12, 2011, in the Media Center. Members Present were: Adam Dailey, Christa Dailey, Elissa Sturdivant, Luisa Morrone, Karen Morgul, Agnes Florian, Principal Rod Miller. and Teresa Edwards.

The Minutes from the March 8 General Board Meeting were presented by Teresa Edwards. The minutes were accepted by unanimous vote after a motion to accept them by Agnes Florian and a second by Luisa Morrone.

The Treasurer's Report was presented by Christa Dailey, and accepted by unanimous vote after a motion to accept them by Teresa Edwards and a second by Luisa Morrone.

### BUSINESS

**Bus Drivers** – Luisa Morrone suggested that we purchase mugs from Dollar Store for the bus drivers, and see what kind of gift cards we can put inside them. Discussion regarding other goodies we could insert included the possibility of getting gift certificates from Karen Riley, leftovers from Panera or Krispy Kreme donuts. Elissa Sturdivant made a motion that we allocate no more than \$250 for Bus Driver Appreciation. Adam Dailey seconded this motion, which was accepted by unanimous vote. Elissa Sturdivant, Teresa Edwards, Christa Dailey and Adam Dailey committed to be at CATA from 7:30-9:00 am on March 25. Luisa will get the mugs. Elissa and Agnes will see what they can do about goodies. Teresa Edwards will see what we can do for gift cards.

**The Womanless Beauty Pageant** gained about \$1100, with Mr. Ghering topping out the Talent portion of the show. The Board sincerely thanked Adam and Christa Dailey for all their work in organizing this event. Christa prepared gift boxes and cards for each contestant and helper, and for Mrs. Aycock

**THE Nominating Committee** presented names for the 2011-2012 Executive Board as follows:

<b>Elissa Sturdivant</b>	- President
<b>Adam Dailey</b>	Vice President
<b>Christa Dailey</b>	Treasurer
<b>Teresa Edwards</b>	Secretary
<b>Agnes Florian</b>	Hospitality Chairman

These names will be posted on the CATA website, Cougar Council page, for one month. A vote will be held at the next meeting.

**Senior Week:** Mr. Miller reported that he met with Student Council to determine what the Seniors would like for Senior Week. They discussed many options, and Mr. Miller found a Yacht on which they could have a supper, but the Seniors decided that they would like to go to the National Whitewater Center for a day of whitewater rafting. The cost per student averages about \$50. The Student Council will be fund raising by hosting a Student-Teacher Volleyball Game, Selling Candy, and auctioning off "Teacher for a Day" opportunities for the last day before Spring Break. If they are unable to raise all the funds necessary for this trip, they will have to change their plans. Current plans for Senior Week are:

Monday	23	Senior Breakfast in the Courtyard
Tuesday	24	Crown Day – they decorate crowns and wear them around school
Wednesday	25	Lunch at Hilltop and "Wear Your College Gear" day
Thursday	26	Pajama Day
Friday	27	3 <sup>rd</sup> Block Senior Picnic and water slide on the soccer field. 4 <sup>th</sup> Block – Yearbook Signing Party and gift from Cougar Council delivery Our goal is to have everything donated for this picnic – no charge to students

**Teacher Appreciation Week** is May 2-6. Christa Dailey brought the schedule of gifts for teachers for each day of the week, including a Breakfast on Wednesday and a Picnic Lunch on Friday. Adam Dailey and Mr. Orr will cook the meat. Teresa Edwards made a motion to allot \$100 to purchase the meat for the Picnic Lunch. Motion was passed by unanimous vote after a second by Luisa Morrone. All other items which need to be donated were presented by Christa Dailey. She will be contacting all other members of Cougar Council by email. Agnes Florian volunteered to visit grocery stores requesting donations of gift cards to purchase needed items for luncheon.

**Spring Fling** - an event hosted by Athletic Booster Club will be held May 13. They asked Cougar Council to sponsor a booth. Teresa Edwards suggested that our booth be a preparation booth for a Flash Mob – teach everyone who comes by how to do the dance, then play the Flash Mob music at specific times during the Spring Fling. Everyone agreed.

Luisa Morrone made a motion that we adjourn our meeting, which passed unanimously, after a second by virtually all other members and unanimous vote; therefore, the meeting was adjourned at 8:22pm.

Next scheduled Meeting Tuesday May 10, 2011 in the Media Center 7pm.

Respectfully Submitted,

Teresa Edwards, PTSO Secretary