

STUDENT TEACHER PARENT ORGANIZATION

The Houston County High School Student Teacher Parent Organization (STPO), met on October 5, 2009 in the media center, 920 Highway 96, Warner Robins, GA 31088.

Those in attendance were Wesley Martin, Brenda Rivera-Brignoni, Mary Jo Mazick, Wendy Jones, Dr. Shirley Fisher, Bailey Fisher, Andy Rodriguez, Patricia Rodriguez, Debbie Nuclo, Barbara Matheny, Michael McKiver, Jordan McKiver, Mr. Pryby, Perrin Love, Shelia Williams, Stephen Williams, Taylor Williams, Dr. S. Fisher, Karl Griffin, Mortimer Floyd, Adrienne Ray, Isaac Stevens Jr., Brandi Burgess, and Mary Etta Hinesley

Barbara Matheny opened the meeting at 6pm.

Mr. Floyd and Mrs. Matheny thanked volunteers that helped with the senior bbq. Mr. Martin was thanked for his power point presentation.

Andy Rodriguez will be meeting with Mrs. Martin about the STPO t-shirt design and deadline submission.

Taylor Williams, a student representative, is working with Mrs. Martin on the bulletin board and asked for more student volunteers to help out.

Adrienne Ray spoke about the fall festival and the possibility of changing it to a winter festival on January 23, 2010 if that date is available. More time is needed to get sponsors on board.

The group discussed STPO participating in upcoming activities. These include the upcoming Bear Ball on October 24, the Bear Brawl basketball tournament during the winter break, the computer classes offered to the public in January 2010, a Meet and Greet with teachers during lunch periods, and a student-teacher volleyball game. Details will be emailed to members as more information arrives.

Mr. Martin talked about a possible program that we could start at the school called "When There's a Will, There's a Way". This program gives students the opportunity to win prizes for their good grades and behavior, including a new car. At other schools, this is partially funded by the teachers. More discussion will take place on whether or not this program could work at HOCO.

Barbara Matheny ended the meeting at 7:05pm.

The next meeting will be Monday November 2, 2009 at 6pm in the media center.