

Germantown Education Commission
Regular Meeting-September 21, 2010 – 6P.M.
Minutes

Attendees: Stephanie Van Arsdale, David Compton, Stacey Ewell, Carole Hinely, Eleanor Purdy, Debbie Dafferner, Laura Meanwell, Paul Mormon, Teresa Schwartz, Susan Sharp

The meeting was called to order at 6:02P.M. by Bonnie Lee. A quorum was established.

Consideration of minutes

August 2010 meeting minutes were approved by Laura Meanwell and seconded by Carole Hinely.

Guest Speaker – Dr. Roy Van Arsdale discussed the Battle of the Brains' judges and the rubric that was developed to assist the students. It was decided that there will be seven judges, two teams of three with the extra incase of a tie.

Old Business

Dr. Stephanie Van Arsdale reported that all materials except the rubric were delivered August 23 and now the rubric has also been delivered. She also reported talking to Barbara Harmon, coordinator at GHS, who said only IB students would be involved. It was explained to this coordinator that the purpose was for all interested students to be involved. She said she would take this information back to the group to consider. Stephanie said she will ask for clarification from Principal Michael McIntire on this situation.

Dr. Van Arsdale also reported that everything was going well at Houston with the Battle of the Brains.

Carole Hinely reported that the Battle of the Brains would be held in the Great Hall, paid for by the general fund of Germantown. Set-up will begin from 8-9A.M. with judging at 9. Service Master will sponsor the luncheon.

New Business

Bonnie Lee will take care of cookies for Education Week. Each person is responsible for getting the cookies to their assigned school.

David Compton discussed and passed out a hand out concerning funding for Battle of the Brains. David and Paul Mormon are working on funding and prizes for the event.

The meeting for October was rescheduled for Tuesday, October 12 because Shelby County has Fall Break on the regularly scheduled date.

Debbie Dafferner moved to adjourn at 7:05. This was seconded.

Respectfully submitted by Eleanor Purdy