# **General Meeting February 17, 2021**

#### **Board Member Present**

Tina Blackman, President
Valerie Callaway, Vice President
Michelle West, Secretary
Emily Smith, Member at Large
Brad Qualls, PHS Activities Director and Treasurer

### **Committee Chairs Present**

#### **Committee Chairs Absent**

Janele Turner, Spirit Wear Alex Khu, Patriot Card Program

The Boosters general meeting was called to order at 6:30 pm.

# **General Topics**

- National Discount Card Program presented by Steve McCarthy
  - o Ability to make approximately \$15 profit per card sold
  - o Timeframe of 1.5-2 weeks to ramp up the program and get started
  - Recommendation to have an initial Zoom meeting with kids and coaches to kick-off the program
  - Discount cards can be used for athletic and other school clubs
  - o Can provide a breakdown by group and money earned for traceability
- Activities Director Update
  - Hybrid school starts 2/5/21
  - o Fall sports season is starting. Fielding Freshman, JV and Varsity teams.
  - o Approximately ⅓ of clubs are still inactive due to COVID-19
  - Governor Northam announced the outside sports spectators can increase to 250
    - Cheerleaders, band and dance teams are considered spectators by the Governor
    - Not feasible to sell concessions with 250 person limit
    - Will not charge a fee for tickets to sporting events this year (contactless admission)

## **Committee Reports**

- Broadcast Sports Program
  - 9 new business sponsors
  - o Booster website has been updated to reflect these new business sponsors
- Spirit Wear

- o Fathead fundraiser sold 20
- o Patriot HS Signs to line the field sold 12 to 14

Meeting was adjourned at 7:00pm.