



# **PMHS ATHLETIC BOOSTERS GENERAL MEMBERSHIP MEETING MINUTES November 15, 2021**

**CALL TO ORDER:** The meeting was in the Patterson Mill High media center. Maya Shertzer called the meeting to order at 7:06 p.m.

**ATTENDEES:** Maya Shertzer, Julie Bechtel, Alison March, Karen Pickard, Al Dethlefsen, Charlie Tangires, Maria Jennings, Amy Karwatka, Mike Jennings, Bryan Matson, Laura Snyder, Nate Karwatka

**REVIEW OF MINUTES:** The minutes from the October 2021 meeting were reviewed. A motion was brought and seconded for approval of the minutes. The minutes were approved unanimously.

**FINANCIAL REPORT:** Maya Shertzer provided the financial update through mid-November because Jenn Heymann wasn't able to be present. The cash balance on hand is \$43,940 as of tonight's meeting. Deposits were made this past month for concessions (\$3838), merchandise (\$3050), football 50/50 raffles (\$330), sponsorship (\$1780) and membership (\$812). \$41,692 was the balance last month. Payments were issued for the softball banners (\$584), membership incentives (\$120), merchandise (\$3719), Huddl for football (\$900), Huddl for basketball/wrestling (\$900) and concessions (\$1339). A motion was brought and seconded for approval of the financial statement. The statement was approved unanimously.

**ATHLETIC DIRECTOR UPDATE:** Coach Clark was unable to attend due to the first night of basketball tryouts. Covid testing was done for unvaccinated winter athletes today and will continue to happen every Monday through the season. The Winter sports meeting is virtual and will be held on November 29 in the evening.

## **COACH UPDATES:**

**Cross Country:** Coach Dethlefsen came to express thanks from the cross country team for the new uniforms that they wore this season. His runners created a video to thank the Boosters which was played at the meeting.

## **COMMITTEE UPDATES:**

**Community Relations:** Bryan Matson gave an update. He and Laura Snyder have been reaching out to past sponsors and new sponsors. They have several committed so far. They are working on getting other sponsors, having signs made and creating a Google Doc with a list of all the businesses that

they've reached out to so far. Alison will take down the signs that are currently up on the fence outside. We'll have a day where we hang banners in the gym. We brainstormed some ideas about reaching out to alumni about getting involved as sponsors.

**Merchandise:** Maya Shertzer gave an update for Tina Tolliver who wasn't able to . Online store is open until November 18th. She has items to donate to the PTSA Bingo event. More long sleeved, black shirts are in and will be sold at basketball games. She is opening the school store this Friday to sell in stock items also.

**Concessions:** Amy Karwatka gave the update. \$3324 deposit brought tonight so \$11,715 brought in total this fall with a profit of \$8201.68. We will likely not be doing concessions during the winter season because they are not allowed to sell in the building due to continued HCPS regulations.

**Membership:** Karen Pickard gave an update. We are a little behind on membership numbers from past years. We need to reach out to coaches to push the memberships. Coach Dethlefsen suggested that we remind senior athletes that they have to be members to apply for our scholarships in the spring. There is a need for some money allocated to order and embroider more stadium seats. She will also need to order more decals to use as incentives.

**Team Liaisons:** Karen Pickard gave an update on the liaisons. Winter liaisons will be identified soon as tryouts will be over at the end of the week.

**Bingo:** Alison March gave an update on the upcoming bingo event. Fall teams have already turned in a ton of donations for baskets. We will start to have separate bingo meetings in January. Building use request has been submitted for March 18th but hasn't been responded to yet. We will explore other venues in case we aren't able to use the school building.

**Ravens Update:** Charlie Tangires reminded us that the next game is Sunday, November 28 at 8:20 and we have 2 volunteers so far. One more game in January too. We will get the word out that we need more volunteers for November. We will also consider offering this opportunity to FCA or Band Boosters.

**FINANCIAL APPROVALS:** The following financials were voted on and approved...  
\$1100 concessions  
\$900 membership

**CLOSURE:**

Next Board of Directors meeting to be held on Tuesday, December 21st at 6:30pm.  
Next General Membership meeting to be held on Tuesday, December 21st at 7pm.

The meeting adjourned at 8:25 pm.  
Minutes prepared by Alison March