

## Athletic Hall of Fame Advisory Committee

April 5, 2021

6:00PM

Meeting via Zoom

### Minutes

**Call to Order:** 6:09PM by A.K. Johnson

**Attendance:** James Worden, Danielle Thorne, Jacinta Green, Kamilah Lawson, Jim Lewis, Mark Wiedemer, Jim Lewis, Wayne Sanders, Roberta Speight (Newest Member), Annika Eelkema, Mark Eisenhour, Michael Johnson, A.K. Johnson, Tracey Roberson

**Absent:** Bob Trout, John O'Connor

**Others:** Susan Nielson (CoB)

**Committee Leadership Elections:** Kamilah Lawson, Recording Secretary (March, 2021 mtg)

#### Action Items:

##### Sub-Committee Assignments:

##### 1. Individual Athlete:

**(5 nominees) Pre-1965** – Jim Clark, **Danielle Thorne (Lead)**, Wayne Sanders, Jim Lewis, Jim Worden, Michael Johnson

**(10 nominees) Post-1965** – **Kamilah Lawson (Lead)**, Roberta Speight, Tracey Roberson, A.K. Johnson, Michael Johnson, Mark Wiedemer

##### 2. Team

**A. (3 nominees) Pre – 1965** – Mark Eisenhour, Jim Lewis, Annika Eelkema, Jim Worden, **Danielle Thorne (Lead)**, Jim Clark, Wayne Sanders

**B. (3 nominees) B. Post-1965** – Annika Eelkema, **Mark Eisenhour (Lead)**, Tracey Roberson, AK Johnson

##### 3. (3 nominees) Coaches/Admin/Contributors

Bob Trout, Tracey Roberson, **Jim Clark (Lead)**, Mark Wiedemer, Roberta Speight

## **Action Items Cont'd:**

**Discussions on ceremonies:** Waiting on football season schedule...

Ideas Presented: AK Johnson offered a Thursday before Homecoming Game for ceremony in TCW gymnasium.

\*\*Wayne Sanders will coordinate 71 Titans team, but is willing to move their ceremony to another time if dates/logistics don't align.

\*\*Danielle Thorne reminded all of fall sports practices that use gym during that time to consider.

\*\***Motions:** Kamilah Lawson moved to "Table the discussion on ceremony date until we receive word from TC Athletics Dept. Seconded: Tracey Roberson

Committee voted unanimously to Table discussion until May 3, 2021

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**New Business:** David Mercer: New Committee Member as of April 2021

\*\*Binders for majority of committee will be shared with rest of committee. Updates will be made by Susan Nielson – will be shared via Google Drive.

**Chair's Report:** Thanks to committee members for participation. Make sure you follow criteria for nominations. All sub-committee leads will contact their team this month to coordinate and go over applications for their group.

-Congrats to Jim Lewis on coordinating the Earl Lloyd statue unveiling at Charles Houston Recreation Center. Video of ceremony is available on City of Alexandria website. Search: "Earl Lloyd."

**Announcements:** Jacinta Greene: Soliciting opinions on new school name:

"The City of Alexandria High School" vs. "Alexandria High School." Please respond on or before April 8, 2021. Email: jacinta.greene@acps.k12.va.us

**Next meeting May 3, 2021 at 7PM via Zoom**

Review selections from sub-committees

**May 24<sup>th</sup>:** Final Votes

Mark Wiedemer moved to **adjourn meeting at 7:11PM**; Seconded by Tracey Roberson