Queen Anne’s County High School
Sports Hall of Fame

Mission Statement:

The purpose of the Queen Anne’s County High School Sports Hall of Fame is to honor and recognize those individuals who through their accomplishments have brought pride and distinction to our school and community as either an athlete, coach, administrator or as a contributor to the development and success of the Queen Anne’s County High School athletic program.

Officers and Members of the Hall of Fame Committee:

A. The Hall of Fame Committee will consist of twelve (12) members. The members will consist of the following:

- 1. Current Principal of Queen Anne’s County High School or their appointed representative.
- 2. Current Supervisor of Athletics for Queen Anne’s County Board of Education.
- 3. Current Athletic Director of Queen Anne’s County High School.
- 4. A member from the Queen Anne’s County High School Sports Boosters. (President or their appointed representative)
- 5. A member from the Queen Anne’s County High School Football Boosters. (President or their appointed representative)
- 6, 7, 8 & 9. Current Queen Anne’s County High School coaching staff members. (Selected by the athletic director and principal with equal number representing female and male sports at the high school)
- 10. Current non coaching faculty member of Queen Anne’s County High School appointed by the Principal and Athletic Director.
11 & 12. At-large community representatives who are appointed by majority selection from the Hall of Fame Committee

B. All committee members (12) have full voting privileges concerning committee action.

C. The committee shall elect within itself the following officers on an annual basis: Chairman, Vice-Chairman, and Secretary. A simple majority of those in attendance is necessary to elect an officer.

D. The Treasurer’s position will be the current Athletic Director at QACHS.

E. Terms of membership to the committee shall be three (3) years. The original process will fill vacancies or unexpired terms. The only exception to this rule is that the Chairman’s positions can be renewed annually.

F. The official year for the committee will be April 30th to April 30th.

G. For the Hall of Fame Committee to conduct official business, a quorum of (8) members is necessary.

H. The purpose of the committee is to find nominees for the Hall of Fame and select inductees into the Hall of Fame. This committee shall also review the constitution and bylaws on an annual basis to see if additions or corrections should be made.

**Qualifications for the Hall of Fame:**

A. A person can qualify for the Hall of Fame by falling into one of the following categories:

- Those who participated in Queen Anne’s County High School athletics having earned a letter in particular sport or sports for at least two years. In addition received “All – Shore-Conference-District-Sectional-State” Honors. The athlete must have graduated from Queen Anne’s County High School and been out of high school for a minimum of five (5) years.

- A Queen Anne’s County High School graduate who participated in Queen Anne’s County High School athletics and competed in college athletics or has attained a profession in athletics. This person must have been out of high school for a minimum of five (5) years.
Coaches who coached at Queen Anne’s County High School are only eligible if they are no longer coaching at the high school. Coaches also must have coached for a minimum of five (5) years as a head coach at the high school to be eligible.

Those who have given meritorious service or a loyal friend to the athletic program.

Any individual that wins a state championship and is a QACHS graduate, is automatically nominated after a minimum of five (5) years from the championship.

Any team that wins a state championship is automatically nominated after a minimum of five (5) years from the championship.

**How to Make a Nomination:**

A. Nominations may be submitted by members of the Hall of Fame committee, members of the community and the general public.

B. Nominations are made by completing a Hall of Fame nomination form. The forms are available at Queen Anne’s County High School and at all home games at the ticket booth.

C. Nomination forms should be mailed to
   
   Sports Hall of Fame
   Queen Anne’s County High School
   125 Ruthsburg Road
   Centreville, MD  21617

   D. Nomination forms will be accepted throughout the school year.

   E. Nominations will be re-nominated upon agreement.

**Criteria for Induction:**

A. The significance or stature of the nominee’s accomplishments as a Queen Anne’s athlete as determined by statistical records or the number and stature of the awards received.

B. The nominee’s degree of recognition as a Queen Anne’s County High School athlete, coach, administrator or active supporter with the Boosters and the general public.
C. Distinctive or unique accomplishments which attracted public attention and acclaim to the nominee or Queen Anne’s County High School.
D. The Athlete’s success or prominence in life, including his/her professional career, stature in the community, and service to the school and the athletic program.

Selection Process:

A. In the initial year the Selection Committee will choose the Charter Class.
B. In the following years the following criteria will be followed.
C. Name for nomination can be submitted to the committee by anyone or by a committee member.
D. All nominees will be reviewed by the Hall of Fame Committee.
E. To become a member of the Hall of Fame, the nominee must receive a minimum of 75% of the votes of those present. This vote will be secret.
F. In the event that a committee member or family member is being considered as a candidate for the Hall of Fame, they are not to vote when their name comes up and they must receive a minimum of 75% of those voting.
G. A minimum of 5, a maximum of 9 of any combinations will be enrolled in any one year. A team or relay counts as 1. It is not necessary that the maximum number be given each year.

Induction Ceremony:

A. The Queen Anne’s County High School Sports Hall of Fame Committee will notify each candidate of the results of the voting process as soon as possible.
B. The inductee(s) will be recognized at the Induction ceremony and at the pre-game of the Homecoming Football Game in the next school year.
C. Each inductee will receive a plaque to be given to them at the induction ceremony.
D. Each inductee will also be honored with a plaque in the Hall of Fame located in the hallway by the gymnasium in the High School.