NATIONAL BAND ASSOCIATION

Enrollment Guidelines for NBA Student Chapters

The National Band Association (NBA) offers annual, individual Student Memberships for only $10.00. Benefits include a subscription to the *Instrumentalist Magazine*; access to electronic formats of all *NBA Journals, NBA Member Directory,* and *NBA Music Lists* (*Concert Band, Concert March, Jazz Band*); and video material available on the NBA website.

Student chapters are also encouraged by NBA—providing valuable pre-service and networking opportunities for future band educators. Faculty advisors/sponsors currently have two options for chapter enrollment. See below. In addition, the separate document, *National Band Association Student Chapters Guidelines and Suggestions*, will serve as a helpful resource.

Option 1: Students Paying Individual Dues for Their Memberships

a) Hold your chapter's membership drive—collecting names, email addresses, and chapter dues (if any).

b) Provide chapter members with a deadline to register and pay their NBA dues on the NBA website ($10.00 individually):
https://nationalbandassociation.org/register/student-one-year/

c) Confirm your chapter's NBA memberships through the NBA online *Member Directory*. (Advisors: Search by your school name or students' names when using the directory to verify membership.)

Option 2: Schools/Sponsors Paying Collective Membership Dues for Their Chapters

a) Hold your chapter's membership drive—collecting names, email addresses, and chapter dues.

b) Prepare a single check that covers NBA membership dues for all enrolled students ($10.00 each).

c) Send to Dr. Scott Tobias (NBA *Executive Secretary*):
- Chapter name and school/institution of your NBA student group.
- A complete list of student members and their email addresses.
- A single check for NBA membership dues.
- Your name (as chapter advisor/sponsor) and contact information.

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Note: Dr. Tobias will contact individual students—on receipt of your payment—to complete the online registration process. If any questions exist about the payment process for Option 2, please contact Dr. Tobias at nbaexecsec@gmail.com. Students who miss their chapter's initial membership drive can join later by registering online (Option 1 above)—paying their NBA membership dues at that time and any remaining chapter dues directly to the student organization.

Please contact Dr. John Stewart, University of Wisconsin – Eau Claire, with any questions or concerns: stewajo@uwec.edu. Thank you!