

# Membership Privileges

(WSDAA Bylaws)

- 1) **Regular Membership**: individuals who have attended WSD or graduated from WSD. They shall have and enjoy all rights and privileges, including the right to vote, make motions, and hold office.
- 2) **Supporting Membership**: individuals who are supporters or friends of WSD; parents and family members of former or current WSD students; and former or current employees or staffers of WSD.  
They shall have and enjoy all rights and privileges, except the right to hold office. They also make motions and vote on non-election related matters, and serve as either chairpersons or members of standing or Ad Hoc committees.
- 3) **Affiliate (Group) Membership**: agencies, organizations, corporations, associations, clubs or businesses who support the mission of the Association.  
Each affiliate limited to one (1) representative and honorary members shall be entitled to all Association privileges as may be specified from time to time by the Board, except the right to hold office or chairpersons. They also can make motions and vote on non-election related matters. They can serve as members on any standing or Ad Hoc committee, but they cannot be the chairpersons.
- 4) **Honorary Membership**: individuals who have made significant contributions to the Association or Washington School for the Deaf as determined by a three-fourths (3/4) vote of the Board.  
All members received WSDAA Newsletter subscription.
- 5) **Hall of Famer Membership**: individuals who are WSD Hall of Famers.  
Hall of Famers shall get free lifetime membership.
- 6) **Complimentary Membership**: WSD seniors shall receive free one-year membership, only if they submit a completed WSDAA annual membership form before the graduation day.
- 7) **Annual Membership Dues**: it shall be determined by the Board.  
The dues shall be paid to the Treasurer, and shall become due and payable on the month you start. For example, if you pay in March then you would pay annually in March or if you pay in June then you would pay annually in June. You will be billed by the Membership coordinator if your dues would be coming up a month in advance.
- 8) **Membership List**: it shall be kept in strictest confidence.
- 9) **WSDAA Newsletter subscription**: all members shall receive the Newsletters at least 3 times a year.
- 10) **Alumni Shop Discount**: all members shall be honored to have 10% – 20% discount at the big events like reunions, homecoming....