THE EMANONS, INC. MEMBERSHIP INTAKE PACKAGE



Criteria

<u>Membership</u>

The organization shall be composed of no more than thirty (30) members, and shall consist of three classes of membership: Active, Associate, Inactive and Honorary.

Membership applications are accepted throughout the year; the induction of new members will take place in September of each year.

Eligibility Requirements

Any Active or Associate Member may submit an applicant's name for consideration for membership. Any applicant not recommended by a member of the organization must be interviewed by the membership committee.

All applicants must be approved and voted on by the members and inducted into the organization. Upon becoming an active member she must subscribe to the purposes and guidelines of the organization and meet all of the financial requirements set forth in the by-laws.

As described in the by-laws, members who do not fulfill the requirements and responsibilities of the organization may be terminated.

Application Process

- Complete the Membership Application Form (Instructions on application)
- Attach additional pages if needed
- Return the application to the Membership Committee Chairperson at <u>bea.theemanons.org</u> or mail it to the address below. (Or you can give it to your sponsor to forward to the Membership Committee).

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Note: After your application has been received and reviewed by the Membership Committee Chair, you will receive a copy of The Emanons By-Laws and will be invited to attend a social meeting

Requirements and Responsibilities

1. Attend Monthly Meetings

a. Meetings are held the 3rd Saturday in each month, September through May.

2. Host a Meeting

- a. Meeting dates are rotated among active members until each member has hosted, then the rotation will repeat.
- b. Send a meeting notification to each member at least 7 days in advance of the meeting.

3. Participate in the Emanons activities

- a. Sell, or purchase yourself, at least 10 tickets each year for the Black and White fundraiser
- b. Support The Emanons' Programs Committee's activities to raise funds for scholarships, book awards and charitable donations
- c. Support the Emanons, Inc, in their efforts by volunteering to assist other charitable organizations through donations and/or participating in their activities.
- d. Chair a committee and/or join at least one committee; share ideas, respect and support group decisions

4. Meet all financial obligations

- a. Pay annual dues by September 30 of each calendar year, but not later than May 30th.
- b. Meet deadlines for submitting monies for tickets and other assessments that may be authorized by a vote of active members.

5. Exceptions for not meeting financial obligations

Any request for an exception for not meeting financial obligations will be brought before the executive board and a determination will be made on a case by case basis.



The Emanons, Inc Application for Membership

Name	Spouse (if a	Spouse (if applicable)	
Address	City	State	Zip
Phone # Home	Cell	Work	
Email Address			
Write a brief description of y	ourself and your family		
	ng the reasons you would like		
		(Use add	ditional page if needed)
Please complete this applica Requirements and Responsi	tion and sign below to indicate bilities.	e your willingness to ab	ide by the Membership