

# Hawthorne Caballeros Alumni Drum & Bugle Corps, Inc.

## Application for Membership

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Date of Birth MM \_\_\_\_ DD \_\_\_\_ YY \_\_\_\_  
Address \_\_\_\_\_  
City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_  
Phone: **Cell** \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_ **Home** \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_  
E-Mail: \_\_\_\_\_@\_\_\_\_\_  
Occupation \_\_\_\_\_ Instrument \_\_\_\_\_

### **Requirements for Membership:**

Applicant must be a minimum of twenty-one (21) years of age, or eighteen (18) years of age with a guardian who is currently a marching member in this Corps. The applicant must have been a member in good standing with previous experience in a marching and maneuvering organization. **Participation at all rehearsals and scheduled appearances, except for absences excused in advance, is MANDATORY.**

Years marched: \_\_\_\_\_ Name of Organization: \_\_\_\_\_

### **Costs:** (please read carefully)

**Initial Membership Fee - Each member is required to purchase his or her own uniform for \$350.00 (due with this application)**, which includes a sombrero, shirt, sash, pants and sombrero rain cover, but *does not* include plain-toe black patent leather lace-up shoes (NO sneakers), and black gloves, which must also be purchased by the new member. If a member should leave the Corps for any reason, the uniform remains the property of the member. **Annual dues are \$180.00, payable in full, or in \$15.00 monthly installments**, beginning the **second** season of membership. Overnight hotel stays and meals on the road are at each member's expense.

**Uniform Fee Paid:** \_\_\_\_\_

### **Code of Conduct:**

At all times while in corps uniform, jacket or clothing otherwise identifying you as a member of the Hawthorne Caballeros Alumni Drum & Bugle Corps, all members will adhere to a code of personal conduct that will reflect the highest standards of the overall Hawthorne Caballeros Organization. Fighting, stealing, public intoxication, use of any illegal substances, use of profanities and obscenities in public, or insubordination to administration, instructors, staff, or other members will not be tolerated and will be considered grounds for immediate separation from the Corps.

I am aware that participation in the drum & bugle corps activity often involves unusual physical exertion in hot weather and therefore carries with it a potential health risk. I understand and accept that risk. I have recently consulted my personal physician, who has determined that as of this date I am adequately fit to engage in this activity. If requested, I will produce a written statement from my physician to that effect.

**I agree to abide by the aforementioned Code of Conduct. I also agree to purchase my uniform (\$350.00) upon signing and pay my annual dues (\$180.00) starting my second year of membership.**

**X** \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_  
Signature of Applicant (please sign and return to the Director, or Assistant Director)

### **Accepted for Membership:**

**X** \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_  
Corps Director or Assistant Director

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