

Jonesborough Storytellers Guild



Application for Membership

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P. O. Box 996
Jonesborough TN 37659

Thank you for your interest in becoming a member of the Jonesborough Storytellers Guild. We have two kinds of active participation membership – Performing and Supporting. **Everyone joins at the Supporting Member level.** Both groups of members are important and essential to the operation and success of our Guild.

Supporting Members do not tell stories in JSG venues or at official JSG events.

Performing Members are available to tell on a regular basis in the Guild’s public performance venues and special events. They comply with the policies/code of conduct as outlined in the Guild’s Performing Member Guidelines.

All Members are Entitled to:

- ✓ Attend meetings and exercise voting privileges
- ✓ Hold offices and serve on committees and special projects
- ✓ Free admission as listener to regular weekly performances of Stories ‘n More*
- ✓ May bring spouse/partner or one guest to regular weekly performances of Stories ‘n More*

*Free admission is for regular weekly performances of Stories ‘n More only. Special events require regular admission fee unless attending as a performer or worker.

Any Supporting Member who wishes to go forward as an Apprentice and then to Performing Member of the guild should refer to the “**Steps to Becoming a Performing Member of the Jonesborough Storytellers Guild**” (available for download on our web site).

Successful operation of the Jonesborough Storytellers Guild requires the support of time and talents from all members. Please indicate your areas of interest and skills on the next page so we can best match these to the needs of the Guild.

Mail this completed form and your check for \$30 (payable to JSG) to: Jonesborough Storytellers Guild, P. O. Box 996, Jonesborough TN 37659.

Please note: If you are joining after September 30, your membership will include the rest of this year plus next year.

For use by JSG treasurer: Date payment received _____ Check No. _____ Amount \$ _____

I wish to apply for membership in the Jonesborough Storytellers Guild as a:

___ Supporting Member

___ Supporting Member ⇌ Apprentice ⇌ Performing Member

(Please Print)

Name: _____ Date: _____

Street or P.O. Address: _____

City, State, Zip: _____

Home phone: _____ Cell phone: _____

Email: _____ Web Address: _____

Name for your JSG name tag: _____

(First name tag is at no cost; replacements are billed to you at cost.)

Please check below all that apply for you.

Areas of Interest

Special Skills

- _____ Public Relations
- _____ Membership Management
- _____ Special Events
- _____ Staging Stories ‘n More
- _____ Inventory Management
- _____ New Member Orientation
- _____ Professional Development
- _____ Outreach
- _____ Guild Executive Board
- _____ Organizational Management (bylaws, etc.)
- _____ Information Technology
- _____ Media Management
- _____ Finance
- _____ Record Retention
- _____ Joint (Ad)ventures (Swapping Grounds/Bedside Storytelling)
- _____ Other (please specify)
- _____
- _____

- _____ Enthusiasm
- _____ Marketing skills
- _____ Friendly smile
- _____ Website Management
- _____ Know area well (geographically)
- _____ Graphic Design
- _____ Well connected to community
- _____ Event Planning/Management
- _____ Word Processing skills
- _____ Organizing information
- _____ Spreadsheet experience
- _____ Talking with people
- _____ Finance/Accounting
- _____ Presenting information
- _____ Inventory control
- _____ Internet Marketing
- _____ Other (please specify)
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