

BALD KNOB CROSS OF PEACE

MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION

Date _____

Name _____

Address _____

City _____ State _____ ZIP _____

Phone _____

E-mail _____

Type of Membership (Circle):

(Please fill out one form per person)

Individual - \$50 OR Married Couple - \$75 OR Volunteer – 10 hours

- *Please make checks payable to 'Bald Knob Cross of Peace' – Indicate 'Membership' in memo line*
- *Memberships can also be done online by donating securely through Paypal via our website. Indicate 'Membership' and please include all of the same information contained on this form.*

Are you interested in volunteering at Bald Knob Cross? (circle) **Yes** **Not at this time**

Would you be interested in serving on the Board of Directors? (circle) **Yes** **Not at this time**

Signature _____

(Your signature indicates that you are at least 18 years old)

Membership renewals will be sent out in July each year. Regular membership renewals run from August 1st to August 1st each year. New members may join at any time. To vote in the annual February election (occurs if a board vacancy exists), you must be a member in good standing before January 1st of each year. **No matter when a new member joins, they will be given the opportunity to run for / vote in one board election cycle during their membership period.**

Examples

Regular membership renewal – August 1st, 2012 through August 1st, 2013 (votes in one election, if vacancy exists)

New membership on October 15th, 2012 – valid through August 1st, 2013 (votes in one election, if vacancy exists)

New membership on January 15th, 2013 – valid through August 1st, 2014 (votes in one election, if vacancy exists)

**Submit completed application to: Bald Knob Cross of Peace
c/o Membership
P.O. Box 35
Alto Pass, IL 62905**

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Dear Bald Knob Cross of Peace Supporter:

If you are interested in becoming a member or continuing your current membership, please complete the 'Membership Application' on the back of this page.

Current benefits of being a member of the organization include:

1. Supporting the continued restoration / improvement of the Bald Knob Cross of Peace and its grounds.
2. Members of the organization elect the members of the Board of Directors by mail-in ballot in the annual election if any board vacancies exist (more below).
3. The opportunity to include your name on the annual election ballot for a board member position if a board vacancy exists and all other requirements are met.
4. Receiving a newsletter at least bi-annually via e-mail or U.S. mail in the months of June and December.

Please help us save on postage by providing us your e-mail address, if you have one. Any informational updates or newsletters will be sent via e-mail if possible, while election ballots will always be U.S. mailed.

Upon receipt of the signed, completed membership form and your donation, you will receive a document indicating your membership.

Membership Dues

To become / remain a member shall be \$50 annually per person or \$75 per married couple (which may be paid in installments). An investment of at least 10 hours of volunteer service may be made in lieu of dues. This volunteer service must be approved in advance by the membership committee or a representative whom they designate and must be documented by the same in writing and submitted with the minutes of the next membership committee meeting.

If a board vacancy exists:

1. The membership of the organization shall be notified of upcoming Board vacancies no later than November 1st of each and every year.
2. Any eligible member of the organization who wishes to be considered for a Board position shall indicate his or her desire in writing to the Board, by sending a letter to the Corporate Office no later than December 1st.
3. All members wishing to be nominated who are eligible pursuant to the requirements of the bylaws shall have their names entered on a personalized member ballot which will be distributed by mail to all members by January 1st with a return requirement of February 1st.

Annual Meeting

The Board will conduct an Annual Meeting the second Tuesday of February each calendar year. The Annual Meeting shall be open to all members.

As always, please visit our website: **www.baldknobcross.com** for the latest information.