

AMTA STANDING RULES

MEMBERSHIP FEES:

1. The fee schedule for annual state and national dues shall be as follows:
 - a. Refer to the MTNA website to obtain the correct amount for the state and national dues.
 - b. Refer to the CSMTA Standing Rules for subsequent membership fee information regarding senior members, student members, Patron and Corporate members, honorary members, and retired members.
2. AMTA dues will be included in the MTNA renewal notice.
3. Dues for first-time members joining after January 1 will be prorated at (50%). This does not apply to first time senior members.
4. Student members who apply for active membership upon graduation from college will receive a one-time 50% discount on national and state membership dues.
5. AMTA membership dues shall be set at:

a. Active Members	\$25.00
b. Senior Members (70 & older)	\$12.50
c. Associate Member	\$20.00
d. Student Member *	\$12.50

* (full-time college student currently involved in music study)

 - e. For those joining AMTA at the Active and Senior Member level, after December 31st, for the period from January 1st through May 31st, dues will drop to half of the above -mentioned amounts.
 - f. These prices shall take effect for the 2017-2018 fiscal year and remain as stated until voted otherwise.

SPEAKER FEES:

1. AMTA Members will not be given a stipend for an in-house presentation to AMTA.
2. Non-Members will be offered a \$200.00 fee.
3. Speakers will be given 1/2 fees if AMTA must cancel the program.
4. Speakers will not be remunerated if he/she cancels the presentation.

BUDGET ITEM, CONFERENCES

1. AMTA will budget for and reimburse registration and travel expenses for the current AMTA President to attend the MTNA National Conference and the CSMTA State Conference **when funds are available**. Reimbursement for the expenses will not exceed the current budgeted amount as indicated in the approved, annual budget.
2. Expenses may include any of the following but total expenses may not be more than the budgeted amount as indicated in the approved, annual budget:
 - a. Hotel Room:
 - National, up to 4 nights, budget permitting
 - State, up to 2 nights, budget permitting
 - b. Registration Fee:
 - National, full amount, budget permitting
 - State, full amount, budget permitting
 - c. Travel:
 - National, airfare round trip, or if driving own car, fuel expenses*, budget permitting
 - State, fuel expenses if driving own car*, budget permitting
 - d. Meals:
 - National, none included

State, Local Association Luncheon Meal ticket included

* *Fuel expenses shall be based on the stipulated IRS amount per mile for that year.*

3. These monies, if not used by the current President will be made available to the President-Elect. If neither the President nor the President-Elect is able to attend the MTNA or the CSMTA Conferences, the budgeted monies shall remain in the general fund, unless otherwise determined by the AMTA Board.
4. These changes shall be in place beginning in 2017.

BUDGET ITEM, JUDGES' FEES

1. Judges for AMTA-sponsored performance activities will be paid \$50.00 per hour with a minimum of \$50.00. Judges will not be reimbursed for travel expenses.
2. Judges for AMTA-sponsored composition activities will be paid \$20.00 per composition.

COMMITTEE MEMBERS

The following Committees will include these members:

- ***Student Awards and Scholarships:***
 - Appointed Chair*
 - Treasurer*
 - Immediate Past-President*
 - (President may join this committee)*
- ***Nominating Committee:***
 - Appointed Chair*
 - Immediate Past-President*
 - Member at Large or other officer (could be a volunteer)*
 - (President may not join this committee)*
- ***Finance Committee:***
 - Treasurer is the Chair*
 - President*
 - Immediate Past President*
 - President-Elect and/or VP for Website Management*
- ***By-Laws & Standing Rules Revision Committee***
 - Immediate past-President is Appointed Chair*
 - President-Elect*
 - President*
 - Secretary*