

2007 NCBA HONORS NOMINATION FORM

PLEASE TYPE OR PRINT VERY CLEARLY

Director's Name _____ E-mail _____

School Name _____ School City _____

Mailing Address _____
For All Certificates _____

(Street) _____ (City) _____ (State) _____ (Zip) _____

Please Check One

_____ ELEMENTARY CONCERT BAND _____ JAZZ BAND (ELEM. and H.S.)
_____ HIGH SCHOOL CONCERT BAND _____ STRING ORCHESTRA (ELEM. and H.S.)

I hereby nominate the following outstanding members of my groups for the *2007 NCBA NATIONAL HONORS BANDS and ORCHESTRA*. (Be sure to indicate whether this is a Concert Band, Jazz Band, or Orchestra nomination. If you print, make very sure that we can read the names. **DO NOT** combine nominations from different schools or for the Concert Bands, Jazz Band, or Orchestra on the same form. Make separate copies of this form.)

Director's Signature _____

1. Student's Name _____ Instrument _____
Year in school _____ Chair played in ensemble _____

2. Student's Name _____ Instrument _____
Year in school _____ Chair played in ensemble _____

3. Student's Name _____ Instrument _____
Year in school _____ Chair played in ensemble _____

4. Student's Name _____ Instrument _____
Year in school _____ Chair played in ensemble _____

FRIEND OF THE BAND AWARD: I would like an award certificate sent to me for (limit 2 per school):

Name _____

Position/Contribution _____

Name _____

Position/Contribution _____

SCHOOL MEMBERSHIP CERTIFICATE: If you would like a School Membership Certificate for your school please indicate below. Note that certificates are not issued annually, but are good as long as a director is a member of the NCBA.

School Name: _____

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RETURN BY MARCH 1, 2007 to: Pam Potter
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2007 NCBA HONORS BANDS and ORCHESTRA

The *NCBA NATIONAL HONORS BANDS* and *ORCHESTRA* exists as a way for NCBA to provide you, the members, with an opportunity to honor your outstanding students by having them named as members of a select National Honors group. The Honors groups are not thought of as actual playing groups but as strictly honorary groupings of truly outstanding student musicians from NCBA member schools.

PLEASE NOTE the strict deadline date of March 1 on the nomination form. There will be no extensions. A roster of the HONORS GROUPS with a certificate of honor for each member of the 2007 HONORS GROUPS will be mailed to you by April 15. The presentation of this award can give you an opportunity to publicize your program while honoring your best students.

It is important that each student nominated be really an outstanding student in the mind of the director so that the standards of this group may remain high; and so that it will be truly a national “HONORS” group. Students selected should be truly outstanding members of your ensembles, considering primarily musical achievement but also involving “citizenship” considerations.

PROCEDURE FOR SELECTION:

1. Each member of NCBA may nominate from 1 to 4 students for the Concert Band (grammar school or high school). If you teach in more than one school, you may nominate from 1 to 4 students from each school on separate forms (make needed copies of the form for each school). If more than one member teaches in the same school, only one nomination form should be submitted from that school. The award is available for students from either grammar or high school, for students from either Catholic or public schools. We will have both a grammar school and a high school Honors Concert Band, a combined Jazz Band and a combined Orchestra.
2. HONORS JAZZ BAND and ORCHESTRA - You may nominate from 1 to 4 students. Rank them in the same manner as concert band nominees. Copy the form and indicate which group your nominations are for by checking ELEMENTARY CONCERT BAND, HIGH SCHOOL CONCERT BAND, JAZZ BAND or STRING ORCHESTRA at the top of the form. DO NOT COMBINE nominees for different groups or schools on the same form.
3. Rank all students nominated in the order of your evaluation or preference for selection from 1 to 4. This is important since the number of students selected from each school will depend on the response of the membership and we will select from your ranked order of preference. Since this is not a playing band, instrumentation will not affect our selection and no “chair” positions will be assigned.
4. For those of you with nominations from multiple schools, please provide one mailing address for all certificates. This will save us time and expense.
5. There is NO CHARGE for participation in the Honors Groups. We urge all of our high school and grammar school members to participate (especially our new members) so that the Honors Bands and Orchestra may be truly national in scope.

REMEMBER THE DEADLINE DATE . . . MARCH 1, 2007

We will not be able to accept names for publication after that date.