

# **GNODCA**

## **2010 Tuition Assistance Information**

The Greater New Orleans Drum Corp Association was established to foster positive experiences for all students by promoting education, creativity, and freedom of expression through the drum corps activity. The GNODCA Tuition Assistance Program provides funds to help offset the cost of fees for young performers of our activity who pursue to perform with competing junior drum and bugle corps.

All GNODCA members who are also part of a competing junior drum and bugle corps are invited to submit **one application**. A five member committee made of 3 GNODCA Performing Unit Directors and 2 members of the GNODCA Board of Directors will review these applications and select students who are in need of funding and stand out in qualities of artistic and personal achievements. Tuition assistance will be awarded to a single recipient in each of the horn line, percussion, and color guard.

Applications for 2010 tuition assistance must be submitted by mail to GNODCA, P.O. Box 23582, New Orleans, Louisiana 70183, **NO LATER THAN January 31, 2010.** All required paperwork must accompany the Tuition Assistance Application Form.

The Board of Directors has established the following guidelines regarding the Sponsorship(s).

1. Membership to the GNODCA is recommended but not required for applying for tuition assistance. Recipients of the award will automatically gain membership. The yearly \$25 dues fee will be waived for the recipient's first year of membership.
2. The recipient must be a member of a competing junior drum and bugle corps.
3. The recipient must participate in two GNODCA qualifying activities to be determined by the GNODCA.
4. Tuition assistance is paid to the recipient's drum and bugle corps. Any unused tuition monies, from the student leaving the competing drum and bugle corps before completing the season, will be returned to GNODCA.
5. Tuition assistance is based on the amounts raised in the Tuition Assistance Fund, currently \$1,500. During 2010, each student will be awarded \$500
6. Tuition assistance is granted for one year only, but recipients may re-apply the next year if he/she remains active with a unit and meets all the other requirements.
7. A family member of an individual on the Tuition Assistance committee or corporate sponsor may not apply for tuition assistance.
8. Monies awarded will not be dispensed to the drum corps until the recipient fulfills their commitments outlined in item 3 noted above

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## **2010 Tuition Assistance Application**

### **PERSONAL DATA**

Name \_\_\_\_\_  
Address \_\_\_\_\_  
City, State, Zip \_\_\_\_\_  
Phone \_\_\_\_\_ Date of Birth \_\_\_\_\_ Age \_\_\_\_\_  
E-mail \_\_\_\_\_

Father's Name \_\_\_\_\_ Occupation \_\_\_\_\_  
Address (if different from above) \_\_\_\_\_  
City, State, Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Mother's Name \_\_\_\_\_ Occupation \_\_\_\_\_  
Address (if different from above) \_\_\_\_\_  
City, State, Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Are you employed \_\_\_\_\_  
If yes, list the name of your employer \_\_\_\_\_  
Name of Contact \_\_\_\_\_  
Telephone Number \_\_\_\_\_

### **EDUCATION**

High School \_\_\_\_\_  
Year in School \_\_\_\_\_  
City & State \_\_\_\_\_  
College (if applicable) \_\_\_\_\_  
City & State \_\_\_\_\_

### **DRUM & BUGLE CORP INFORMATION**

Name of the Drum & Bugle Corps \_\_\_\_\_  
City & State \_\_\_\_\_  
How long have you been a member of that corps? \_\_\_\_\_  
How much is tuition for this corps? \_\_\_\_\_  
Name of Director \_\_\_\_\_ Phone \_\_\_\_\_  
Name of Caption Head \_\_\_\_\_ Phone \_\_\_\_\_

What other Drum & Bugle Corps have you performed and the dates of your membership?

Signature of Parent or Guardian \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Signature of Applicant \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

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