

Why I Belong to NAP

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Reasons for Belonging to NAP:

Lifelong learning
Professional friendships
Dues incentives
Current educational materials
Webinars
Professional certification
Re-energize
Networking
Access to specialized information

Learn best practices

NAP has education for anyone wanting to know more about meeting management and leadership training. Have you been on the NAP website lately? If not, check out the new materials and opportunities for leadership enhancement. Encourage your friends to attend an area workshop with you. Share the many opportunities for building life skills.





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Lifecycle of Membership

Awareness

Recruitment

Engagement

Renewal

Reinstatement



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PEER Award



NATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF PARLIAMENTARIANS® PEER Award September 10, 2013 to July 1, 2015

Good luck and enjoy your active participation in these activities!

The following eleven (11) items are designed to encourage our members to be actively involved in the education and enhancement of a parliamentarian. Please attempt to accomplish as many of these activities as possible during the next several months. Once the activities are completed, record them on the form below and by July 1, 2014 submit the form to the NAP Membership Extension-Retention Chairman Sandy Olson at solson15@msn.com to be included in individual recognition at NTC. Those who have completed at least 3 items by July 1, 2014 will receive recognition at NTC. Those who have completed 6 items by July 1, 2015 will receive recognition at the NAP Convention. Completion of ten activities by July 1, 2015 will be honored at the NAP Convention. You do not have to complete all activities, but when you have completed even three of the items within the time indicated, you will be rewarded.

1. Bring in two new NAP members (your name should appear on the membership application as their sponsor). Names: 2. Convince two former members to rejoin NAP (your name should appear on the membership application as their sponsor). 3. Be a member of a unit that maintains its current membership level through July 1, 2014. Membership on September 10, 2013: Membership on July 1, 2014: 4. Present a program as part of a new workshop to gain new members. Name of program: When/Where given: 5. Present a parliamentary program at a civic, fraternal, or church event. Name of program: Date/Place: _____ Organization: _____ 6. Serve as judge or instructor for a youth or youth partnership organization. Date/Place: 7. Write an article for an association or district newsletter or for the National Parliamentarian. Name of article: When published: Where published: 8. Present a program at an association, district or national meeting. Name of program: Date/Place: 9. Serve as an officer in a unit or association/province.

10. Attend at least 50 percent of the association/province meetings.	
Dates of attendance:	
Dates of meetings:	
Association/province:	

Officer:

Unit/Association/Province:

11. Work with a unit or combination of members at large to host a public workshop (either electronically or in person).

Dates of workshop:

Unit or MALs participating:



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Five Easy Ways to Renew Your Membership

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Scan and e-mail with credit card information to hq@nap2.org

Pay online with credit card at www.bit.ly/nap-renew





Goals of the MERC

The Membership Extension and Retention Committee has established the following goals for 2013-2015:

Hold district public workshops

Involve our NAP partnerships in district activities

Increase membership by at least 5 percent—remember pro-rated dues

Follow-up on the forfeiture list and make contact with these members sending them an invitation to rejoin

District 1 Northeast—William "Bill" E. Starkey joined the National Association of Parliamentarians in 2002 and he was accredited as a Professional Registered Parliamentarian (RP) and as a Professional Registered Parliamentarian (PRP) in 2005, Bill is serving his second term as the Director of District One. Conference May 16-18, 2014, Holiday Inn, Somerset-Bridgewater, Somerset, NJ

District 2 Capital—Darlene T. Allen, District Two Director - motivator, supporter, encourager and planner who works directly with the members in our district. Conference—October 2014, Metropolitan



NAP Regional Events

Washington area

District 3 Southern—Nancy Dauster, a leader who enthusiastically communicates with all members. Conference date indefinite, South Carolina.

District 4 Great Lakes—Joyce Brown-Watkins is an educator on all levels. Conference—April 17-19, 2015

District 5 Great Plains—Denise Irminger is dedicated to the teaching and the development of new parliamentarians. Conference-June 20-22, 2014 Overland Park, KS

The future belongs to those who follow their dreams!



District 6 Red River Connection—Daniel Ivey-Soto, a State Senator, is Honorable as a function of law. Conference date indefinite.

District 7 Northwest—Alice Bartelt

District 8 Rocky Mountain Asia-Pacific—

John Hohlbauch is a people person who communicates with everyone and was tagged as the thermometer of NAP at the Installation in Portland. Conference, June 26-28, 2015, South Pointe Hotel and Casino, Las Vegas, NV

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We want to hear from you, our members! Please let your director know your NAP wishes and needs.







NAP Partners:

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