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CONSTITUTION OF COLLEGE HEIGHTS BAND

Preamble

We, the members of the College Heights Band, for the purpose of creating a better band and band spirit in Western Kentucky Teachers College, do adopt the following constitution and by-laws.

Article I. Name

The organization shall be known as the College Heights Band.

Article II. Object

The object of the club is to foster permanent organization and discipline and to assure the school of a good band each year.

Article III. Membership

Section 1. Any person whom the band-master shall deem sufficiently advanced in musical education to participate in said organization shall be eligible for membership.

Section 2. Candidates for membership shall be admitted by a three-fourths majority vote of the club.

Article IV. Officers

Section 1. The officers of the organization shall consist of a President, a Business Manager, an Assistant Business Manager, a Secretary, a Reporter, a Sergeant-at-Arms, a Drill Master, and a Drum Major.

Section 2. All officers shall be elected at the beginning of each Fall semester.

Section 3. All officers shall hold office from the time of their election until the beginning of the following school year.

Section 4. Any member may hold office who has belonged to the organization for at least one semester, exclusive of the summer term.

Section 5. The Business Manager shall be elected by a two-thirds majority of the members; all other officers by a majority vote.

Section 6. Officers may be removed from office only by a three-fourths majority of all members for proven misconduct in their office.

Article V. Standing Committees

Section 1. There shall be a House Committee composed of three members.
Section 2. This committee shall be appointed by the President with
the sanction of the Business Manager.

Article VI. Meetings.

Section 1. The organization shall hold a business meeting at least
once a month and at such times as shall be appointed by
the members at the beginning of each semester.

Section 2. Social meetings may be held at the discretion of the band

Section 3. Special meetings may be called by the President when
necessary.

Article VII. Sponsor

Section 1. The Bandmaster shall be faculty sponsor of the organization.

Article VIII. Amendments.

Section 1. This constitution may be amended at any time by
a three-fourths majority of all of the members.

Section 2. All amendments must be submitted in writing at least
one meeting before being voted upon.
BY-LAWS OF THE COLLEGE HEIGHTS BAND

Article I. Duties of Officers.

Section 1. President. The duties of the President shall be to
preside at all meetings.

Section 2. Business Manager. The duties of the Business Manager
shall be (1) to book contracts for concerts with the
cooperation of the school authorities; (2) to visit
high schools for the purpose of soliciting efficient
musicians from said high schools for enrollment in
this college; (3) to supervise transportation and
general arrangements on trips and concerts; (4) to
care for any general business that may arise.

Section 3. Assistant Business Manager. The Assistant Business
Manager shall act as corresponding secretary and shall
share the duties of the Business Manager. In case of
necessity he shall act as President.

Section 4. Secretary. The Secretary shall keep record of the
activities of the club, shall handle all club funds,
and shall cooperate with the Business Manager whenever possible.

Section 5. Reporter. The Reporter shall see that the Band receives
proper publicity in all matters.

Section 6. Sergeant-at-arms. The Sergeant-at-Arms shall keep order
at all meetings and shall carry out any requests of the President.

Section 7. Drill master. The Drill master shall train the Band in all
drill maneuvers and act as assistant Drum Major.

Section 8. Drum Major. The Drum Major shall lead the Band in all maneuvers
and act as assistant Drill-master.

Article II. Committees

Section 1. The House Committee shall plan and arrange for all meetings.

Section 2. Special committees may be appointed whenever necessary.

Article III. Quorum

Section 1. These by-laws may be amended at any time by a three-fourths
majority of the club.

Section 2. All amendments must be submitted in writing at least one
meeting before being voted upon.