



Purpose

- 1.03** OPUS shall be an independent organization assisting the orchestral, string instrument, and chamber music students of Naperville and its surrounding Communities.
- 2.01** OPUS shall be an independent, volunteering, and non-political organization formed for the purpose of promoting and supporting orchestral, string instrument, and chamber music students of Naperville and its surrounding Communities.
- 2.02** OPUS shall be a charitable, non-profit organization for the purpose of supporting and providing additional finances for those activities and/or enrichment of orchestral, string instrument, and chamber music students of Naperville and its surrounding Communities.
- 2.03** To fulfill this purpose, OPUS shall:
- A.** Support orchestral, string instrument, and chamber music students of Naperville and its surrounding Communities as directed by OPUS Board of Directors.
 - B.** Stimulate and sustain interest among students, parents, and communities.
 - C.** Encourage students' interest in music.
 - D.** Promote students' musical achievements and performance in community.

OPUS Bylaws

- Excerpts of OPUS Bylaws

Membership

- 3.01** Members shall be any adult, family, or lifetime members who have a genuine interest in helping the OPUS Mission as stated in the Bylaws and have maintained their memberships in accordance with the OPUS membership requirements and provisions set in the Bylaws.
- 3.02** Supporting Members may be students or adults, non-voting, who maintain memberships by either paying membership dues or making donations and who want to be informed of and participate in OPUS activities but have no intent to be voted into any offices.
- 3.03** *Ex officio* (by virtue of their office/position) Board members shall be non-voting, they do not pay membership dues, and shall consist of:
- Past President(s) of OPUS
 - Other OPUS Executive Board invited persons with appropriate titles
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- 3.06** Because OPUS is a service organization, all members are encouraged to volunteer.
- 3.07** Those with family memberships may be specially designated as Ambassador Families by the OPUS Executive Board. The Ambassador Families serve as the liaisons for OPUS events and activities to the schools their children attend.