

# **The Bedford High School Alumni Association Constitution**

*Revised 4-12-2000*

## **Article I-Name**

The name of the organization shall be *The Bedford High School Alumni Association*.

## **Article II-Mission/Purpose**

The purpose of the Bedford High School Alumni Association ("Association") shall be to a.) Continue the camaraderie of graduates of Bedford High School ("School") and those interested in the future and well being of the School, b.) To provide support (financial assistance or otherwise) for causes deemed worthy by the members of the Association, and c.) To keep members informed of the status, accomplishments, and/or significant events of the School.

## **Article III-Membership**

There shall be two (2) classes of membership:

- a.) **Alumni Members:** Persons who graduated from Bedford High School.
- b.) **Associate Members:** Persons who express an interest in perpetuating the well-being of the School.

Membership shall become active immediately upon receipt of application.

## **Article IV-Officers**

President

Vice-President

Secretary

Treasurer

In case of a vacancy, the executive board has the power to appoint an individual to fill a term until the next regular election.

## **Article V-Dues**

Dues, if any, shall be established by the Board of Directors and voted on at a regularly scheduled meeting.

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**Article V - The Board of Directors**

The Board of Directors ("Board") shall consist of all officers plus two (2) members in good standing elected at large each year.

**Article VI - Committees**

The Association shall consist of the following standing committees to be chaired by members in good standing and appointed by the Board:

- 1.) Membership Committee
- 2.) Fund Raising/Endowments
- 3.) Student Relations
- 4.) Alumni Relations
- 5.) Special Projects

Other committees shall be formed by the Board when deemed necessary and shall also be composed of members in good standing.

**Article VIII - Authority**

The Rules contained in *Robert's Rules of Order; Revised* shall govern the Association when they do not conflict with the Constitution or by-laws of the Association.

**Article IX - Amendments**

The Constitution and by-laws may be amended at the recommendation of the Board of Directors by a vote of  $\frac{3}{4}$  of the members present at a regularly scheduled meeting.