

ANGEL CHARITY FOR CHILDREN, INC.

MEMBERSHIP POLICIES

CLASSES OF MEMBERSHIP

There shall be five (5) classes of membership in Angel Charity for Children, Inc., as follows:

1. Cherub
2. Active
3. Sabbatical
4. Ten Plus
5. Sustaining

CHERUB MEMBERS

COMPOSITION

First year members of Angel Charity shall be classified as Cherubs. Cherubs shall be individuals from the community who have demonstrated an interest and willingness to carry out the purposes of Angel Charity. The combined membership of Cherub and Active members shall not exceed 150. In any particular year, such maximum may be exceeded by approval of the Executive Committee and the Board of Directors.

RESPONSIBILITIES

Each Cherub member must meet the following responsibilities:

1. Committees

Serve on one (1) solicitation committee (Casino Gift Solicitation); attend all committee meetings unless excused for good cause; and fulfill the committee responsibilities assigned to him/her by the prescribed dates.

Serve on one (1) non-solicitation committee (Casino Gift Display) the day before and day of the Ball.

Help with the addressing and mailing of Angel Ball invitations as well as invitations to any other events sponsored by Angel Charity.

2. Dedications

All Cherub members are encouraged to attend all dedications.

3. Delinquencies

Cherub members who do not meet their training year responsibilities in a timely fashion will not be invited to Active membership.

4. Financial Obligations

Dues/Ball Tickets

Pay dues in full, in the amount of \$500, by the day of the Voting Meeting. Arrangements for installment payments may be made privately through the Assistant Treasurer.

The failure of an invitee to pay his/her dues, or to make installment payment arrangements with the Assistant Treasurer by May 1 will result in automatic revocation of the invitation to join Angel Charity.

In addition to payment of their dues, Cherub members must return the Response Card and pay the difference between the Ball ticket price and \$500 for a couple or the difference between the Ball ticket price and \$250 for a single in order to be seated at the Angel Ball. The Executive Committee, with Board ratification, may increase these amounts as necessary.

Ball seats for delinquent members may be withheld or wait listed.

Chance Tickets

Sell or purchase a minimum of four Chance Tickets (\$100 each) for \$400 total by the October General meeting. If said monies are not turned in by the October general meeting, the member is presumed to have purchased them and will be so billed.

Capital Campaign / Underwriting

Donate a minimum of \$300 to the CCU campaign or purchase a sponsorship for an Angel produced event (the Poker Party, a Spring Event or the Angel Ball) by the October General Meeting. The donation or sponsorship must be a personal donation unless the member has ownership interest in a business making the donation.

5. Meetings

Attend all Cherub and Committee meetings unless excused for good cause.

Attend all General Meetings unless excused for good cause. A regrets policy is in effect. A Cherub member must notify the Attendance and Arrangements Chair 72 hours in advance if he/she is unable to attend a meeting. A Cherub member will be billed for his/her portion of the meeting costs unless he/she has called in his/her regrets.

6. Training Year

Cherub members must successfully complete their training year in order to become eligible for Active membership the following year. They must attend the New Member Coffee and all Cherub meetings unless excused for good cause.

Cherub members who have met all the membership requirements of their training year in a timely fashion shall become an Active member the following year.

REMOVAL

Any Cherub may be removed at any time, with cause, by the vote of a majority of the combined membership of the Executive Committee and the Active Guardian Angels, at any special meeting called for that purpose or at any regular combined meeting of such membership.

RESIGNATION

Any Cherub may resign at any time by giving written notice to the Executive Committee, through the General Chair or the Member Liaison of the Corporation. The request for resignation will be considered by the Executive Committee on a case by case basis to determine if the Cherub may resign in good standing. Such resignation shall take effect when received or at any later date specified therein.

VOTING

Cherub members shall not be entitled to vote on any matters of business of Angel Charity during their training year.

ACTIVE MEMBERS

COMPOSITION

Active members shall be individuals who have completed their training year as Cherubs and who have fulfilled all their membership requirements. The combined membership of Cherub and Active members shall not exceed 150. In any particular year, such maximum may be exceeded by approval of the Executive Committee and the Board of Directors.

RESPONSIBILITIES

Each Active member must meet the following responsibilities:

1. Committees

Unless serving as Chair or Co-Chair of a solicitation committee, each Active member shall serve on a minimum of two committees per year, one of which shall be a solicitation committee.

2. Dedications

Active members are encouraged to attend all dedications.

3. Delinquencies

Active members who do not meet their committee or financial obligations in a timely fashion may have their membership:

- a. placed on probation for one year by the Executive Committee, if extenuating circumstances prevail. Pending compliance, the following year, his/her probationary status shall end, or
- b. revoked, with cause by the Executive Committee.

4. Financial Obligations

Casino Gift Solicitation

Solicit three (3) casino gifts by the October general meeting or make a monetary contribution of \$150 (\$50 for each gift) by the October general meeting for their purchase.

Chance Tickets

Sell or purchase a minimum of four Chance Tickets (\$100 each) for \$400 total by the October general meeting. If said monies are not turned in by the October general meeting, the member is presumed to have purchased them and will be so billed.

Capital Campaign / Underwriting

Donate a minimum of \$300 to the CCU campaign or purchase a sponsorship for an Angel produced event (the Poker Party, a Spring Event or the Angel Ball) by the October General Meeting. The donation or sponsorship must be a personal donation unless the member has ownership interest in a business making the donation.

Dues/Ball Tickets

Pay dues in full, in the amount of \$500, by the Voting Meeting. Arrangements for installment payments may be made privately through the Assistant Treasurer.

Active members who do not pay his/her dues, or make installment payment arrangements with the Assistant Treasurer, by the day after the Voting Meeting will be charged a \$25 late fee. Members who do not pay will be dropped from membership effective May 1.

In addition to payment of their dues, Active members must return the Response Card and pay the difference between the Ball ticket price and \$500 for a couple or the difference between the Ball ticket price and \$250 for a single in order to be seated at the Angel Ball. The Executive Committee, with Board ratification, may increase these amounts as necessary.

Ball seats for delinquent members may be withheld or wait listed.

5. Meetings

Attend all General and committee meetings unless excused for good cause.

REMOVAL

An Active member may be removed at any time, with cause, by the vote of a majority of the combined membership of the Executive Committee and the Active Guardian Angels, at any special meeting called for that purpose or at any regular combined meeting of such membership.

RESIGNATION

An Active member may resign by written notification to the Executive Committee through the General Chair or the Member Liaison by January 31. If, at any other time during the year, an Active member wishes to resign, he/she may do so by written notification to the Executive Committee, through the General Chair or the Member Liaison of the Corporation and the request for resignation will be considered by the Executive Committee on a case by case basis to determine if the member may resign in good standing. Such resignation shall take effect when received or at any later date specified therein.

MEMBERSHIP STATUS CHANGES

An Active member may request a status change by written notification to the Executive Committee through the General Chair or the Member Liaison by January 31. Please see the General Policies for details.

VOTING

Each Active member is entitled to one (1) vote on each matter of business transacted at any membership meeting, including casting a written ballot vote for election of the beneficiary(ies) at the Voting Meeting.

SPECIAL STATUS

This status pertains to the Guardian Angels, Guardian Angels Emeritus, Past General Chair, Past Vice Chair and Past CCU Chair. The Guardian Angels retain this status throughout their term in office. Past General Chair, Past Vice Chair and Past CCU Chair are entitled to this status for one year following their term in office. This status must be taken within two years of serving in their respective offices.

The responsibilities of Special Status are the same as Ten Plus Membership. However, they may still serve on the Executive Committee and/or the Board of Directors.

SABBATICAL MEMBERS

COMPOSITION

An Active or Ten Plus member who has served a minimum of five consecutive years, including the Cherub year, shall be eligible to request a Sabbatical year by written notification to the General Chair or Member Liaison prior to January 31. At the end of the Sabbatical year, the member shall automatically resume Active or Ten Plus status. An Active or Ten Plus member shall be eligible for a sabbatical year after every five (5) consecutive years of Active or Ten Plus membership. A member on Sabbatical leave shall not be counted in the Active member count.

RESPONSIBILITIES

Each Sabbatical member must meet the following responsibilities:

1. Committees

Sabbatical members are not required to serve on any committees.

2. Delinquencies

Sabbatical members who do not meet their financial obligations in a timely fashion may have their membership:

- a. placed on probation for one year by the Executive Committee, if extenuating circumstances prevail. Pending compliance, the following year, his/her probationary status shall end, or
- b. revoked, with cause by the Executive Committee.

3. Financial Obligations

Casino Gift Solicitation

Solicit three (3) casino gifts or make a monetary contribution of \$150 (\$50 for each gift) by the October general meeting.

Chance Tickets

Sell or purchase a minimum of four Chance Tickets (\$100 each) for \$400 total by the October general meeting. If said monies are not turned in by the October general meeting, the member is presumed to have purchased them and will be billed.

Capital Campaign / Underwriting

Donate a minimum of \$300 to the CCU campaign or purchase a sponsorship for an Angel produced event (the Poker Party, a Spring Event or the Angel Ball) by the October general meeting. The donation must be a personal donation unless the member has ownership interest in a business making the donation.

Dues/Ball Tickets

Pay dues in full, in the amount of \$500, by the Voting Meeting. Arrangements for installment payments may be made privately through the Assistant Treasurer.

Sabbatical members who do not pay his/her dues, or make installment payment arrangements with the Assistant Treasurer, by the day after the Voting Meeting will

be charged a \$25 late fee. Members who do not pay will be dropped from membership effective May 1.

In addition to payment of their dues, Sabbatical members must return the Response Card and pay the difference between the Ball ticket price and \$500 for a couple or the difference between the Ball ticket price and \$250 for a single in order to be seated at the Angel Ball. The Executive Committee, with Board ratification, may increase these amounts as necessary.

Ball seats for delinquent members may be withheld or wait listed.

4. Meetings

Sabbatical members may attend all general meetings.

REMOVAL

Any Sabbatical member may be removed at any time, with cause, by the vote of a majority of the combined membership of the Executive Committee and the Active Guardian Angels, at any special meeting called for that purpose or at any regular combined meeting of such membership.

RESIGNATION

A Sabbatical member may resign by written notification to the Executive Committee through the General Chair or the Member Liaison by January 31. If, at any other time during the year, a Sabbatical member wishes to resign, he/she may do so by written notification to the Executive Committee, through the General Chair or the Member Liaison and the request for resignation will be considered by the Executive Committee on a case by case basis to determine if the member may resign in good standing. Such resignation shall take effect when received or at any later date specified therein.

MEMBERSHIP STATUS CHANGES

A Sabbatical member may request a status change by written notification to the Executive Committee through the General Chair or the Member Liaison by January 31. Please see the General Policies for details.

VOTING

Each Sabbatical member is entitled to one (1) vote on each matter of business transacted at any membership meeting, including casting a written ballot vote for election of the beneficiary(ies) at the Voting Meeting.

TEN PLUS MEMBERS

COMPOSITION

Any Active, Sabbatical or Sustaining member who has served a minimum of ten (10) Active years including the Cherub year, in good standing, but not necessarily consecutively, shall be eligible to request a change in membership status from Active, Sabbatical or Sustaining to Ten Plus by written notification to the General Chair or Member Liaison prior to January 31st.

RESPONSIBILITIES

Each Ten Plus member must meet the following responsibilities:

1. Committees

Ten Plus members are not required to serve on any committees.

2. Delinquencies

Ten Plus members who do not meet their financial obligations in a timely fashion may have their membership:

- a. placed on probation for one year by the Executive Committee, if extenuating circumstances prevail. Pending compliance the following year, his/her probationary status shall end, or
- b. revoked, with cause by the Executive Committee.

3. Financial Obligations

Casino Gift Solicitation

Solicit one (1) casino gift or make a monetary contribution of \$50 by the October general meeting.

Chance Tickets

Sell or purchase a minimum four Chance Tickets (\$100 each) for \$400 total by the October general meeting. If said monies are not turned in by the October general meeting, the member is presumed to have purchased them and will be so billed.

Dues/Ball Tickets

Pay dues in full, in the amount of \$500, by the Voting Meeting. Arrangements for installment payments may be made privately through the Assistant Treasurer.

Ten Plus members who do not pay his/her dues, or make installment payment arrangements with the Assistant Treasurer, by the day after the Voting Meeting will be charged a \$25 late fee. Members who do not pay will be dropped from membership effective May 1.

In addition to payment of their dues, Ten Plus members must return the Response Card and pay the difference between the Ball ticket price and \$500 for a couple or the difference between the Ball ticket price and \$250 for a single in order to be seated at the Angel Ball. The Executive Committee, with Board ratification, may increase these amounts as necessary.

Ball seats for delinquent members may be withheld or wait listed.

4. Meetings

Ten Plus members may attend all general meetings.

REMOVAL

Any Ten Plus member may be removed at any time, with cause, by the vote of a majority of the combined membership of the Executive Committee and the Active Guardian Angels, at any special meeting called for that purpose or at any regular combined meeting of such membership.

RESIGNATION

A Ten Plus member may resign by written notification to the Executive Committee through the General Chair or the Member Liaison by January 31. If, at any other time during the year, a Ten Plus member wishes to resign, he/she may do so by written notification to the Executive Committee, through the General Chair or the Member Liaison and the request for resignation will be considered by the Executive Committee on a case by case basis to determine if the member may resign in good standing. Such resignation shall take effect when received or at any later date specified therein.

MEMBERSHIP STATUS CHANGES

A Ten Plus member may request a status change by written notification to the Executive Committee through the General Chair or the Member Liaison by January 31. Please see the General Policies for details.

VOTING

Each Ten Plus member is entitled to one (1) vote on each matter of business transacted at any membership meeting, including casting a written ballot vote for election of the Corporation's beneficiary(ies) at the Voting Meeting.

SUSTAINING MEMBERS

COMPOSITION

Any Active or Ten Plus member who has served a minimum of six (6) years as an Active or Ten Plus member including the Cherub year, in good standing, shall be eligible to request a change in membership status from Active or Ten Plus to Sustaining by written notification to the General Chair or Member Liaison prior to the January 31st.

RESPONSIBILITIES

Each Sustaining member must meet the following responsibilities:

1. Committees

Sustaining members are not required to serve on any committees.

2. Delinquencies

Sustaining members who do not meet their financial obligations in a timely fashion may have their membership:

- a. placed on probation for one year by the Executive Committee, if extenuating circumstances prevail. Pending compliance the following year, his/her probationary status shall end, or
- b. revoked, with cause by the Executive Committee.

3. Financial Obligations

Dues/Ball Tickets

Pay dues in full, in the amount of \$500, by the Voting Meeting. Arrangements for installment payments may be made privately through the Assistant Treasurer.

Sustaining members who do not pay his/her dues, or make installment payment arrangements with the Assistant Treasurer, by the day after the Voting Meeting will be charged a \$25 late fee. Members who do not pay will be dropped from membership effective May 1.

In addition to payment of their dues, Sustaining members must return the Response Card and pay the difference between the Ball ticket price and \$500 for a couple or the difference between the Ball ticket price and \$250 for a single in order to be seated at the Angel Ball. The Executive Committee, with Board ratification, may increase these amounts as necessary.

Ball seats for delinquent members may be withheld or wait listed.

4. Meetings

Sustaining members may attend all general meetings.

REMOVAL

Any Sustaining member may be removed at any time, with cause, by the vote of a majority of the combined membership of the Executive Committee and the Active Guardian Angels,

at any special meeting called for that purpose or at any regular combined meeting of such membership.

RESIGNATION

A Sustaining member may resign by written notification to the Executive Committee through the General Chair or the Member Liaison by January 31. If, at any other time during the year, a Sustaining member wishes to resign, he/she may do so by written notification to the Executive Committee, through the General Chair or the Member Liaison and the request for resignation will be considered by the Executive Committee on a case by case basis to determine if the member may resign in good standing. Such resignation shall take effect when received or at any later date specified therein.

MEMBERSHIP STATUS CHANGES

A Sustainer member may request a status change by written notification to the Executive Committee through the General Chair or the Member Liaison by January 31. Please see the General Policies for details.

VOTING

Sustaining members are not entitled to vote at any meetings.