



The National Beta Club ~ Denmark High School 2019 - Information Sheet & Application for Prospective Members

What is the BETA CLUB?

The National Junior Beta Club is an honor organization that recognizes outstanding academic achievement, promotes strong moral character and social responsibility, encourages service to others, fosters leadership skills, and provides settings for you to develop strong interpersonal skills.

Who qualifies for membership in the Denmark High School BETA CLUB?

Students who have a cumulative GPA of 3.5 or higher, who also exemplify strong character, and have maintained role model behavior throughout the school year (no administrative referrals or periods of in-school, out-of-school, or bus suspension) are eligible to apply for membership in the Denmark High School Beta Club.

What are the requirements of membership?

Each member must pay induction dues and participate in at least 10 hours of community service each semester. Students are strongly encouraged to participate in as many service projects as possible since this is the key to leadership development within our organization..

What are the dues for members?

If you are a new member to the club there is a one-time fee of \$30 collected prior to induction. **All dues must be paid by August 30th.** This includes a \$15 national induction fee, and \$15 local dues. Local dues will be used for induction ceremonies, service projects and to purchase cords for graduation. If you are a returning member to Denmark's Beta club then you will only have to pay \$15 in dues for the local fees. You may wish to explore the National Beta Club website at www.betaclub.org to learn more about the benefits that are included in the induction fee. **Dues must be paid on MPP (my payments plus). Please do not bring any checks or cash to Mrs. Street.**

How do I apply for membership?

If a student has a cumulative GPA of 3.5 or higher and has no discipline referrals and are currently a junior or senior please complete the attached application and pay dues on MPP. Applications must be turned in to Mrs. Street, room 1609, by August 30th.

How will I know I have been accepted into the Beta Club?

If you have completed the application, paid dues by Sept. 5th, and been verified by the Beta club sponsor, you will receive an invitation via e-mail to the induction ceremony. The induction ceremony is tentatively scheduled for Tuesday, September, 9th at 7:00 pm in the Denmark Cafeteria.

Denmark High School Beta Club Student Application Form

Directions: Complete all sections - please print legibly. Write your name and recommending teacher name on the next page and give the recommendation forms to your teachers as soon as possible; give your teachers plenty of time to complete the form before the deadline! **Please note that your completion of this form does NOT guarantee an invitation to membership.**

SECTION 1 – STUDENT INFORMATION

Applicant's Name: _____

Home Phone: _____ Current Grade Level: _____

Address: _____

Homeroom Teacher: _____

Parent/Guardian Name(s): _____

Parent/Guardian Cell Phone(s): _____

Parent/Guardian E-mail: _____

Name the teacher who will be submitting recommendations on your behalf:

Recommending Teacher #1: _____

SECTION 2 – ACTIVITIES AND AWARDS

- **School Activities & Awards:** List all school activities in which you have participated during High School. Include clubs, teams, musical groups, etc, and list major accomplishments in each. List any school awards that you have received.

- **Community Activities & Awards:** List other activities (not listed above) in which you have participated. For example: religious groups, community athletic teams, non-school clubs such as Boy or Girl Scouts, other community organizations, etc., and list major accomplishments/awards in each.

SECTION 3: STUDENT STATEMENT

Beta Club students must be committed to the “highest standards of moral character and social responsibility” according to the National Beta Club creed. Define what you believe the phrase “highest standards of moral character and social responsibility” should look like in a student; how do you exhibit those qualities?
