

Membership Form

Name: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Phone (H): _____ (W): _____

Email: _____

Date of Birth (M/Y): _____

Place of Birth: _____

Business: _____

Business Address: _____

Phone: _____ Fax: _____

Occupation: _____

I would like to serve on a Committee:
(please check those that apply)

- Education
- Finance & Fundraising
- Community Service
- Cultural & Social
- Public Relations & Marketing

Enclosed is my check for: \$ _____ .

Please mail to:
Jamaican Nationals Association
P.O. Box 56453
Washington, DC 20040
Re: Membership

Date Received _____ Initials: _____

Membership Benefits & Fee

JNA's membership year runs for one year. Dues are payable in the month in which your membership expires, and members receive a variety of benefits based on the level of membership.

STUDENT MEMBERSHIP

\$20.00

Includes quarterly JNA newsletter, scholarship eligibility, and 10 percent discount on selected JNA sponsored events.

INDIVIDUAL MEMBERSHIP

\$35.00

Includes quarterly JNA newsletter, and 10 percent discount on selected JNA sponsored events.

SMALL BUSINESS MEMBERSHIP

\$150.00

Includes all the individual member privileges plus 1 ad per year in the newsletter and website listing.

CORPORATE MEMBERSHIP

\$250.00

Includes all the individual member privileges plus 2 ads per year in the newsletter, website listing, sponsorship mention at one JNA event, and brief presentation at a JNA meeting.

LIFE TIME MEMBERSHIP

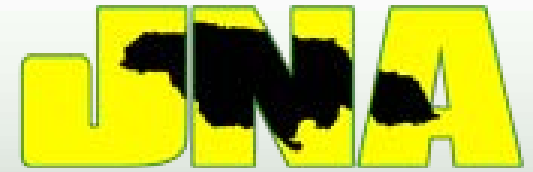
\$500.00

Includes all individual member privileges, honorary mention at all major events, priority seating at major events, and website listing.



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JAMAICAN NATIONALS ASSOCIATION

Washington D.C. Metropolitan Area



Service with Sincerity

About Us

The Jamaican Nationals Association, Inc. (JNA), is a non-profit organization established in 1968 to unify, foster and promote the welfare of all Jamaicans and persons of Jamaican heritage in the Washington DC Metropolitan area. JNA provides assistance and support to individuals and organization in the United States and in Jamaica.

The purpose of the Association is to:

- Develop and implement activities that maintain and promote Jamaican culture and heritage;
- Provide members of the Association with a forum in which to share their viewpoints and culture.
- Serve as mentors to Jamaican students and students of Jamaican heritage in the metropolitan area;
- Promote and support Jamaican businesses and enterprises in the metropolitan area.
- Educate, inform and assist persons of Jamaican heritage in the US and Jamaica.
- Maintain close working relationship with the Embassy of Jamaica, and Jamaican organizations in the metropolitan area and in the US.
- Keep abreast of social, cultural and economic issues in Jamaica, and encourage investment in Jamaica.



Standing Committees

1. Education

- Identify and serve as mentors to Jamaican Students and students of Jamaican heritage in the metropolitan area.
- Host an annual reception for Jamaican students coming to the Washington Metropolitan area.
- Assist with establishing a scholarship fund for Jamaican students and students of Jamaican heritage.

2. Finance and Fundraising

- Manage the organization's budget.
- Work with each committee to formalize their budget.
- Raise funds for the organization.
- Plan and coordinate the organization's annual events.

3. Community Service

- Work closely with a community organization both in the US and Jamaica and assist with their organizational needs.
- Provide business seminars and workshops in the maintenance of Jamaican business enterprises.

4. Cultural & Social

- Develop and promote cultural activities as to maintain our Jamaican heritage.
- Keep abreast of social, cultural and economic issues in the US and Jamaica.
- Plan cultural activities for members.

5. Public Relations and Marketing

- Promote member pride.
- Develop effective communication and information distribution.
- Build and maintain the credibility of the organization.
- Build on the image of the Jamaican Nationals Association.
- Increase membership.
- Establish and maintain relationships with various media outlets.
- Serve as a resource to the community.
- Establish and maintain relationship with other Community Organizations.
- Work closely with members of the Embassy of Jamaica.

Monthly General Meetings

We invite all Jamaicans to attend the Jamaican Nationals Associations monthly meetings which are held on the **last Sunday of each month at 4:00 PM**, except during a major holiday weekend and the months of August and December.

Meetings are Held at:

Silver Spring Civic Center
1 Veterans Plaza
Silver Spring, MD 20910