



BARNARD ASTRONOMICAL SOCIETY

MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION

MEMBERSHIP DEFINITIONS: To qualify for Regular or Regular-Associate Membership, an applicant must be 16 years of age or over. A Regular-Associate applicant must be a member of a Regular member's family. Both of these classes of membership shall have voting rights. To qualify for Junior or Junior-Associate Membership, an applicant must be under 16 years of age. A Junior-Associate applicant must be a member of a Regular or Junior member's family. Neither Junior class of membership has voting rights. Included with Regular and Junior Memberships are the following:

- A subscription to the monthly issue of The BARNARD STAR, the official newsletter of this Society.
- A subscription to the quarterly issue of The REFLECTOR (an \$8.00 value), the official newsletter of the Astronomical League, to which this Society is affiliated.
- 10% discount on astronomy-related books at the Astronomical League Book Service.
- Observing awards for you as a member of the Astronomical League to work toward, promoting observing and the study of the sky.
- A 25% discount on subscriptions to SKY & Telescope magazine, the Society's recommended reference source periodical.
- A 10% discount on all books, posters, and other astronomy accessories listed in the Sky Publishing Company Catalog.
- A 33% discount on subscriptions to ASTRONOMY magazine, an excellent supplemental publication featuring popular astronomy-related articles.

Regular-Associate and Junior Associate members will not receive the first two subscriptions listed above, but will be eligible for the three discounts as described, above. The Society also conducts Star Parties at various remote sites adjacent to the Chattanooga area at which a variety of telescopes are set up for viewing the wonders of the sky.

Monthly meetings, including a wide variety of astronomy related educational programs of topical interest, are held at UTC's Clarence T. Jones Observatory on the second Thursday of each month. Social hour begins at 7:00 PM followed by the program and business meeting at 7:30 PM.

As a member of Barnard Astronomical Society, the discounts available to you more than pay for the cost of membership. We look forward to seeing you at our next meeting, whether you choose to join now or later.

Please type or print:

Name _____ Date _____

Address _____ City _____ State ____ Zip _____

Phone- daytime _____ Phone- nighttime _____ E-mail _____

Occupation _____ Age: Over 16 years Under 16 years

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Please check the Membership status for this application:

<input type="checkbox"/> Regular (age 16 or older) \$15.00	<input type="checkbox"/> Junior (age: under 16 yrs.) \$8.00
<input type="checkbox"/> Regular-Associate (age: 16 yrs. or over) and having a Society member in the family \$7.00	<input type="checkbox"/> Junior-Associate (age: under 16 yrs.) and having a Society member in the family \$5.00

Optional Subscriptions (Discounted Rates): Sky & Telescope \$32.95 Astronomy \$34.00

Amount enclosed \$_____ made payable to Barnard Astronomical Society for ALL of above selected.

OR- I am not joining at this time please put me on your e-mail list.

Tell us about yourself:

1. Experience level: Beginner Some Experience Advanced

2. Do you own any equipment? Yes No If Yes, what types? _____

3. Do you have any special interests in Astronomy? Night Sky Observing Solar
Photography Radio Other Please describe: _____

4. What do you hope to gain by joining BAS? _____

5. How could BAS best help you pursue your interest in astronomy? _____

Make checks payable to: **BARNARD ASTRONOMICAL SOCIETY**. May be submitted at the regular meeting, or mail this completed application along with check to:

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