

Tennessee Association for the Gifted
2008 Call for Executive Board Members
<http://www.tag-tenn.org>

The strength of the TAG organization is in the dedication and efforts of its membership. As a volunteer organization, we depend on you to provide not only the support but the leadership that is required in order to fulfill our mission of advocating for appropriate educational opportunities for gifted, creative, and talented youth in Tennessee. Serving on the TAG Executive Board is an opportunity to let your voice be heard and to support gifted children in Tennessee.

Tenure of office will begin after the election for the 2008 TAG Executive Board during the annual business meeting at the TAG Conference in Chattanooga. We're seeking candidates for the offices of: Vice President West; Vice President Middle; Secretary; Newsletter Co-editor (2 positions); and Web Editor.

Responsibilities of all TAG Executive Board Members:

Attend Executive Board meetings (approximately four times per year). Represent the best interests of the organization on all issues discussed in Board meetings, based on analysis of agendas and supporting material. Assist the President in the operation of the organization.

Responsibilities of Specific TAG Executive Board Members:

Vice President West; Vice President Middle (one-year term each): Each Vice President shall chair at least one Board Committee at the request of the President; contribute articles/news for TAG Newsletter and/or TAG Web site; recruit new members; and encourage continued membership.

Secretary (one-year term): The Secretary shall record all votes and the minutes of all meetings of the Executive Board and the association. Minutes shall be submitted to the President for approval and dissemination. The Secretary shall handle such correspondence as delegated.

Newsletter Co-editor (one-year term; 2 positions): The Newsletter Co-editors shall jointly gather, edit, and format information of interest to association members for the quarterly newsletters mailed to association members. The Newsletter Co-editors shall work closely with the Executive Board to insure that newsletter content is accurate and current.

Web Editor (one-year term): The Web Editor shall gather, edit, format, mount on a server, and provide links to information of interest to association members on the TAG Web site. The Web Editor shall work closely with the Executive Board to determine the scope and format of the Web site and to insure that its information is accurate, informative, and up-to-date.

If you would like to nominate yourself or another individual for one of these positions, please submit the information requested below:

Name of Nominee: _____ Work role/title: _____

Address/City/Zip: _____

Phone: (home) _____ (work) _____

Email: _____

Region in TN: West _____ Middle _____ East _____

School System / Institution: _____

Office nominee is seeking: _____

Please provide the information listed below:

- 1) Describe your experiences with gifted children
- 2) Identify professional and personal qualities that will enable you to perform the role of the office you are seeking.

Submission of this nomination indicates that all information provided is accurate and that the nominee accepts the nomination.

Name of person making this nomination: _____

Address/City/Zip: _____

Phone: _____ Email: _____

Submit nomination information (postmarked by September 2, 2008) to:
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