

Indiana Bead Society Membership Application

Individual Membership - \$30

Name _____
First MI Last

Address _____

Apt/Unit _____

City _____ St _____ Zip _____

Phone *Home* _____

Work _____

E-mail _____

Family Membership - \$40 – **Information above plus up to 3 additional names from the same household:**

Name 1 _____

Name 2 _____

Name 3 _____

Business Membership- \$40 – **Owner/operator and up to 3 employees from the same business:**

Business Name _____

Address _____

City _____ St _____ Zip _____

Phone _____

Fax _____

Owner/Operator Name _____

E-mail _____

(Most of our communications to members are via e-mail)

Website URL _____

Signature _____

Date _____

Please complete other side of form, tear off, and send with payment to IBS.

*Your name and address information will be included in the annual IBS membership directory distributed to active IBS members **ONLY**. Please indicate any information you **do not** want published.*

Annual Dues

Dues for the first year's membership are payable at time of application. Membership renewal occurs each May. Your second year's dues will be prorated if you join mid-year.



Educational Programs

Educating our members and others interested in the art of beading is one of the society's major purposes.

Each meeting includes an educational program lasting approximately 1.5 hours. Topics are presented in both lecture and hands-on format. Past meetings have included sessions on the history and cultural significance of beads, color selection, design, beading and wire wrapping techniques, glass bead making, incorporating beads in fabric and weaving designs, and marketing your art.

Each year the Vice President-Programs solicits ideas and suggestions from the membership for upcoming meeting topics. Society members with expertise in a particular subject, outside instructors, and other professionals in the art world present programs to the members.

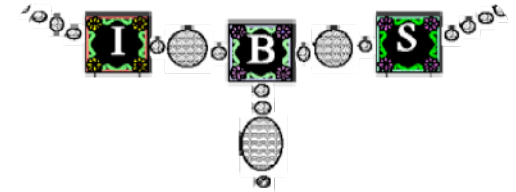
Members also receive a quarterly newsletter containing informative articles relating to beading.

Special Events

Annual Workshop: Scheduled each spring, the society sponsors a special day-long event dedicated to providing instruction on beading and other techniques. Various instructors and active society members offer a combination of half-and full-day sessions open to society members for a nominal fee. Information regarding workshop sessions and fees is distributed at general membership meetings, posted on the society website, and published in IBS newsletters, special flyers, and via e-mail.

Artist Workshops: These workshops are held throughout the year and are promoted in the same way as the Annual Workshop. IBS subsidizes these workshops which feature nationally recognized instructors. In most cases, the class fees for these workshops are a fraction of the cost you would expect to pay in another venue. Visiting Artist Workshops are usually multiple day events and are open to IBS members exclusively.

Indiana Bead Society



***A not-for-profit organization
dedicated to the preservation of
beading as an art form.***

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