



## National African American Alumni Association of Denison FAQs

### 1. What is the purpose of the National African American Alumni Association of Denison?

*Answer: "The purpose of the Association is to preserve the history of African American education in the city of Denison, Texas. "*

*"If a race has no history, if it has no worthwhile tradition, it becomes a negligible factor in the thought of the world, and it stands in danger of being exterminated."*

*--Dr. Carter G. Woodson*

### 2. Who can join the Association?

*Answer: Membership is open to any individual who attended Anderson, Terrell, Langston, Walton, Brownsville, Denison Senior High, former teachers at any of these schools, or anyone who desires to support the goals of the Association.*

### 3. Are there membership fees? How much are the membership fees?

*Answer: Yes there are membership fees. Membership fees are as follows.*

- *An individual alumni annual membership is **\$15.00** each.*
- *Married alumni couple annual membership is **\$25.00***
- *An individual alumnus lifetime Gold Member is **\$200.00***
- *Married alumni couple lifetime Gold Members is **\$350.00***

### 4. What is the fiscal year for membership privileges?

*Answer: The fiscal year of the Association runs from January 1st through December 31st of each year. For charter members joining the Association in 2010, their annual membership will run from the time of joining in 2010 thru January 31, 2011.*

### 5. Why should I pay to join an alumni association when I am already an alumni?

*Answer: That's a good question! Alumni associations are a great way to keep in touch with classmates across the nation. Alumni associations provide you with the opportunity to professionally network with other alumni. You never know when you may need to relocate or find a employment in another state. As a non profit organization, alumni associations are often able to offer group rates or discounts on social activities such as reunions, cruises, and merchandise.*

### 6. What type activities will the Association host and support?

*Answer: The Association will host fund raising activities in support of reunions and scholarship funds. The Association will also collect, restore and display old school memorabilia.*

### 7. How will the Anderson-Terrell School Reunion be affected?

*Answer: The Association will host the Anderson-Terrell School Reunion every two years as in the past. Alumni members may volunteer to serve on the standing reunion committee in accordance with the by-laws of the Association.*

*"Our history is worth holding onto"*