

# 2018 WBA REGISTRATION INFORMATION

Please read carefully prior to registering for 2018 events.



1. All WBA events utilize WBA Rules and Score Sheets as defined in the 2018 WBA Participant Handbook. This document will be made available online as soon as it is updated for the 2018 season.
2. Any ensemble with an outstanding balance owed to WBA is not permitted to register for any WBA event until the balance has been fully resolved.
3. Registration for 2018 WBA events will open on **Monday, April 30, 2018 at 7:00am Pacific** via this link: [2018 WBA Event Registration](#).
4. Registration date will determine performance order. Ensembles with the earliest registration date will perform last within their competitive classification. Ensembles with the same registration date will be randomly drawn to determine performance order within their competitive classification.
5. WBA Membership is optional. Each WBA event has an associated “Member” and “Non-Member” registration fee, as outlined in the [2018 WBA Events Calendar](#). Membership status must be declared at the time of registration for proper invoicing to occur.
6. In addition to Membership status, WBA event pricing is also split into three tiers: *Silver, Gold, Platinum*. Each WBA event tier has a unique registration fee, as outlined in the [2018 WBA Participant Fees Worksheet](#).
7. Registrations submitted after September 1, 2018 will require a \$50 Late Registration Fee, in addition to all other associated registration fees.
8. Invoices will be delivered via email within 14 days of registration. Instructions will be included for payment to be submitted via check or online payment.
9. Full payment for the 2018 season is due no later than **September 1, 2018**. Ensembles failing to remit payment by September 1, 2018 may have their existing entries voided, lose their original registration date, and begin the registration process anew.
10. Registration fees are refundable until **September 1, 2018**. After September 1, 2018 registration fees are 100% non-refundable.
11. If an ensemble registers for an event and then cannot attend, the ensemble has option of transferring the registration to another similar event. There will be no Change Fee assessed for transfers submitted by September 1, 2018. Transfers submitted after **September 1, 2018** will be assessed a Late Change Fee of \$100. Transfer requests must be made in writing via email to [office@westernbands.org](mailto:office@westernbands.org).