

## STUDENT MEMBERSHIP

Ways to increase membership in state and national associations:

### I. Through schools

\* A. Discussions of values of membership in theory classes, i.e. in Principles of Physical Education, History of Physical Education, Organization of Physical Education, Administration of Physical Education, Freshman Theory Course

B. Instil pride of profession in students so that they will be honored to be members

C. Make membership compulsory. Various schools suggested doing this in the following different ways:

1. For everyone
2. For membership in departmental club
3. Required in senior year
4. Required as part of requirement for methods or administration courses during junior and senior year. (Considered more valuable to students than purchasing textbooks for these courses.)
5. Tell seniors it is a teachers duty as well as a privilege.

\* D. Drives for membership through:

1. Drive for 100% membership among seniors.
2. Special standing committee of Physical Education Club to encourage membership
3. Recommendations by instructors, directors of professional club that a good showing be made in membership, 100% if possible.
4. Have club officers and instructors receive fees and send in membership list.
5. Have director in department assign one faculty member (along with students) in securing these members.
6. Canvass students and encourage membership.
7. One member from each class is appointed to collect memberships.
8. Effort on part of membership chairman of an association to contact each senior student, who is a major, by a mimeographed letter.
9. Student drives--particularly at assemblies. (A national officer to address student assembly at this time and display membership blanks and copies of Journal.)

\* E. Use of Journal, Research Quarterly and State Bulletins through:

- \* 1. Frequent class assignments making students aware of these publications and of convenience in having personal possession of this material.
2. Journal and Research Quarterly available in library.
3. Use Journal as a source book.

\* F. Discussions of values of membership in Professional Clubs.

Allot time in Professional Club program to discuss importance of membership.

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G. Have student sections in local, state, and national associations.

H. Have students help plan and take part in conferences.