

NEW BOARD MEMBER APPLICATION AND QUESTIONNAIRE



We value each of our board members and the relationships we have within this body. Your time is valuable as is ours and in order to continue to be an efficient and effective group, we would like to better understand those that we may be working with. Our board works hard and we believe that the better we know each other, the better we will work together to accomplish the mission and goals of Kids Unlimited. Please take a few minutes and answer the following questions as best you can. Your answers may be as short or as lengthy as you like. Use the back of the questionnaire if you need more space. Thank you for your time. *We are currently looking for individuals with experience in Marketing and Fundraising.*

1. What is your occupation?
2. What organizations have you been associated with and in what capacity?
3. Do you have or have you ever had a child in Kids Unlimited?
4. Why are you interested in joining the Kids Unlimited Board of Directors?
5. Do you have any experience in Marketing or Fundraising? Please elaborate.
6. What is your philosophy of how the arts affect our children?
7. How would you describe your personality type?
8. What do you feel is your greatest strength?

9. What do you feel is your greatest weakness?

10. How do you feel about fundraising?

11. How much time do you have to devote to KU?

12. How do you handle conflict with other people you work with?

13. If you have an upset parent, challenging the value of KU, what techniques would you use in communicating?

14. How would you handle criticism of your child by another parent?

15. How would you defend the cost of participating to those who say it costs too much?

16. What ideas do you have that might help expand the scope and the impact of Kids Unlimited?

17. What do you feel is the greatest weakness of this organization?

18. What would you do to correct it?

Thank you for giving us your time. Please understand that being a KU board member does not afford any special rights or privileges to the children of Board members. All of the rules will still apply. Nor will board member children receive any extra consideration during dance, singing, solo auditions or any other KU activities. However, you must be prepared to receive some unfounded criticism of your child's success from those who think otherwise.

Sincerely,

Kids Unlimited Board of Directors