

The following will apply to the **2023** Carolina Beach Music Awards

The establishment of the Carolina Beach Music Academy came about as a result of suggestions from various industry professionals and beach music fans. This academy will be responsible for nominating each category in the awards process. We urge you to participate! You must be a member or an associate member of the Carolina Beach Music Academy in order to nominate and/or vote.

1.) Industry Members (\$50pp) (Deadline to join to be eligible to Nominate June 1st, 2023)

To be an Industry Member you must be an *Industry Professional with legitimate ties to Carolina Beach Music (Artist, Band, DJ, Record Company, Booking Agency, Sound & Lighting Technician, Promoter...etc.)* (Deadline to join to be eligible to Vote – Aug 1st)

**** (All Industry Professionals or Organizations must be a member of the Academy to be nominated for an award or to participate in the Awards Weekend.) (Industry, Organization & Band Membership Application can be obtained from our website at www.cammy.org)**

Membership Benefits:

- Receive registered and numbered Membership Card (Card Serves as Weekend Pass for CBMA Weekend)
- Membership Card is your Weekend Pass (Gets you into all events at OD, Does Not cover Sunday Show (requires Alabama Theatre Ticket)
- Nominating & Voting privileges in all voted awards categories
- Preferred seating at the Awards Show if tickets are purchased by June 1st, 2023
- Semi-annual newsletter
- Free Admittance to All Participating Clubs & Industry Awards for Entire Weekend
- Discounts at select vendors throughout the Southeast (Check Website for preferred Vendors)

2.) Academy Members (CBMA Weekend Attendee Membership)

There will be 2 levels of Academy Membership and the requirements for each level are listed below with membership benefits.

A.) Academy Member Level 1 (\$70pp) or (\$120 for Couples) *("Nominating & Voting" Privileges)

This level is primarily for the "Hard Core" beach music fan that wants to participate in the "Nominating & Voting" processes of the awards. Requirements for becoming an Academy Member is the payment of the \$70 annual dues and you must be at least 16 years of age. (Deadline to Join to be eligible to Nominate – June 1st, 2023)

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B.) Academy Member Level 2 (\$60pp) or (\$100 for Couples) *("Voting Only" Privileges)

This level is primarily for the "Hard Core" beach music fan that wants to participate in the Voting Only process of the awards. The only requirements for becoming an Academy Member is the payment of the \$60 annual dues and you must be at least 16 years of age. (Deadline to Join to be eligible to Vote – Aug 1st, 2023)

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3.) Associate Members (Non-Weekend Attendee Membership)

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C.) Associate Member (Level 1) (\$35pp) or \$60 for Couples) *("Nominating & Voting" Privileges)

This level is primarily for the "Hard Core" beach music fan that wants to participate in the "Nominating & Voting" processes of the awards. The only requirements for becoming an Associate member are payment of the \$35 annual dues and you must be at least 16 years of age. **(Deadline to Join and be eligible to Nominate & Vote is June 1st, 2022)**

Membership Benefits:

- Receive registered and numbered Membership Card
- **Nominating & Voting privileges in all voted awards categories
- Preferred seating at the Awards Show if tickets are purchased by June 1st, 2023
- Semi-annual newsletter
- \$5 Discount on Weekend Passes (Max 2 per membership)
- Discounts at select vendors throughout the Southeast (Check Website for preferred Vendors)

D.) Associate Member (Level 2) (\$25pp) or \$40 for Couples) *("Voting Only" Privileges)

This level is primarily for beach music fans that want to participate in the Voting process of the awards. The only requirements for becoming an Associate member are payment of the \$25 annual dues and you must be at least 16 years of age. **(Deadline to Join and be eligible to Vote is Aug 1st, 2023)**

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- \$5 Discount on Weekend Passes (Max 2 per membership)
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"No one person may hold multiple memberships levels in the same year"