



## 2017 NOMINATION FOR MEMBERSHIP

*Form postmarked by April 29 with possible induction at our meeting on May 16  
One nomination per member per meeting*

Return completed form to  
Doug Schmitt  
Schmitt Music, 2400 Freeway Blvd  
Brooklyn Center MN 55430 or [doug.schmitt@schmittmusic.com](mailto:doug.schmitt@schmittmusic.com)

The Evergreen Club sponsor (please print) \_\_\_\_\_

Signature of sponsor \_\_\_\_\_

*This form should be completed by the nominee, not the sponsor.*

Nominee's name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_, Minnesota Zip code \_\_\_\_\_

Preferred phone (\_\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_ Email \_\_\_\_\_

Instrument / Voice range \_\_\_\_\_

Music education \_\_\_\_\_

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Musical activities / Awards / Honors (Attach other information, if desired)

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**Please attach a photo, preferably about 3 x 3.5"**

## **What is The Evergreen Club?**

The Evergreen Club is an organization started (100 years ago!) in 1916 by nine friends who wanted an informal but regular gathering with one thing in common – music. Over the last 100 years, that commonality has drawn Club members together twice a year for a social gathering of good food, good friendship, and good conversation. Guests are welcome!

The Evergreen Club also sponsors scholarships for high school seniors who are continuing their study of music at a college or university after high school. The scholarship money comes through donations (large and small) from Evergreen members.

Evergreen members represent diverse musical backgrounds – performing, teaching, directing, and working in the music business. Nominees need to have been involved in the Twin Cities music scene for 20+ years. Consideration is also made for Twin Cities musicians active in our local music scene but newer to the area.

We may seem like an informal organization, and yet...

The Evergreen Club is led by the Executive Quartet: First Fiddle, Second Fiddle, Viola, and Cello. This group organizes the spring and fall gatherings/meetings, facilitates scholarship applications, maintains the financial records, and sends out newsletters.

The Executive Quartet is supported by the Membership Chair, Historian, Webmaster, and board of Past First Fiddles. Among the responsibilities of these positions are keeping records of all members, posting up-to-date information about the Club and members, and approving new members.

Each Evergreen member pays annual dues of \$15.00 to cover organizational expenses. Any dues money remaining at the end of the year is “swept” into the scholarship fund. (Members begin paying dues the year *after* their induction, not at the time of this nomination.)

If you are interested in joining our Club, complete the nomination form on the other side and return it to Michael Hiatt, Second Fiddle. Questions can be directed to Michael Hiatt: [mhiatt422@gmail.com](mailto:mhiatt422@gmail.com) or Mary Brindle, Membership: [mbrindle@comcast.net](mailto:mbrindle@comcast.net).