**Article I: Time and Place of Meetings**

The time and place of meetings of this chapter of National Junior/Senior Beta shall be decided upon only after consultation with, and upon the approval of, the executive head of Slocomb Elementary School.

The time of the meetings of this chapter of National Junior/Senior Beta shall be decided at each meeting by sponsors.

The place of the meetings of this chapter of National Junior/Senior Beta shall be on the campus of Slocomb Elementary.

**Article II: Quorum**

A quorum of this organization shall be constituted by a majority of the membership. No action may be taken which is binding upon the membership unless a quorum is present. However, certain matters—such as a discussion of means of taking in new members, the presentation of a program, etc.—may be carried on at a regular or special meeting without a quorum being present.

**Article III: Standards of Membership**

Standards of membership in the Slocomb Elementary chapter of National Junior/Senior Beta must conform to the general features as laid down in the national constitution, and in all cases must be approved by the executive head of the elementary school.

The grade levels from which members may be drawn shall be fourth and fifth grades.

The scholastic requirements for membership in this chapter of National Junior/Senior Beta shall be 92 overall GPA.

**Article IV: Induction of Members**

The induction of new members into the membership of this chapter of National Junior Beta shall be one of dignity appropriate to the ideals of the organization. Any pre-induction initiation activity must be submitted to and approved by the

executive head of Slocomb Elementary School. It must not be of a nature to cause physical pain or mental embarrassment to the initiate.

**Article V: Loss of Membership**

A member of this chapter of National Junior Beta may be dropped from a membership if he/she is absent without a justifiable reason from 2 regular consecutive meetings.

A member of this chapter of National Junior Beta may be dropped from membership if his/her scholastic record falls below an overall 92 GPA.

A member of this chapter of National Junior Beta may be dropped from membership if his/her behavior is deemed inappropriate by Beta club expectations or if 1 written referral is submitted to the Slocomb Elementary office by a teacher or bus driver.

If and when a member is dropped from membership, a record of this action shall be relayed to the national office of National Junior Beta immediately.

**Article VI: Service Project**

As soon as possible after its activation in the fall semester of the school year, this chapter of National Junior Beta will undertake a program of service which will be of benefit to Slocomb Elementary. This project shall be decided upon

only after consultation with, and upon approval of, the executive head of the school.

**Article VII: Local Dues and Assessments**

The local dues of this chapter of National Junior Beta shall be $20 per year.

Assessments (may/may not) be made upon the membership to defray the costs of special undertakings.

**Article VIII: Amending the Bylaws**

The bylaws of this chapter of National Junior/Senior Beta may be amended by a majority vote of the membership, provided such proposed amendment is placed before the chapter at a previous meeting.