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KENTUCKY AIRBORNE CHAPTER
82ND Airborne Division Association, Inc.
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BY-LAWS
KENTUCKY AIRBORNE CHAPTER
82ND AIRBORNE DIVISION ASSOCIATION, INC.

ARTICLE I: AIMS AND PURPOSES

1. To develop and maintain that common bond among all who have served in the Airborne and perpetuate the memory of those who have died in the service of our country.
2. To maintain the high standards and morale of our Airborne Troopers and contribute to the national defense effort.
3. Provide financial support for scholarships through the Association Educational Fund to recently released veterans and children of veteran and active duty members of the 82nd Airborne Division Association.
4. To support Veterans in sharing their experiences with schools, churches and as many outlets as possible.
5. To maintain contact with all members of the 82nd Airborne Division who have become disabled in the service of their Country, by supporting the 82nd Wounded Warrior Fund.
6. To maintain current information on legislation affecting the military services and veterans.
7. To be of assistance and service in matters pertaining to Veterans benefits.

ARTICLE II: ORGANIZATION

This Chapter is organized under Article IV of the by-laws of the 82d Airborne Division Association, Inc.

ARTICLE III: MEMBERSHIP

1. Members of the 82d Airborne Division Association, Inc. in good standing as defined in Article II of its by-laws are eligible for membership in this Chapter.
2. Chapter members shall have voting privileges as defined in Section 2 of said Article II.
3. Association dues are established at the National level and currently are \$25.00 annually. This is an existing variable. KY Chapter has established a membership assessment of \$1 a month, to be known as Louie Manion Memorial Fund, to aid in the functioning of chapter business, and in support of charities supported by this chapter. This payment of \$12 a year to the Louie Manion Memorial Fund, from Chapter member assessment is not a requirement for membership in the Chapter and Association.

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ARTICLE IV: OFFICERS

1. There shall be seven (7) elected officers: Chairman, Vice-chairman, Secretary, Treasurer and three (3) Trustees. The immediate past chairman shall be appointed Chapter Judge Advocate, if in good standing.
2. Terms of Office shall run with the fiscal year, commencing January 1, at one minute after midnight. Officers shall be elected in October and formally installed in January.
3. Any member in good standing may be nominated for any elected office. If unable to be present at the election meeting, the member may give notice of intent to the Secretary, and thereafter be nominated by the Secretary or by any other member present.
4. Officers shall be present at all meetings of the Chapter and at all meetings of officers.
5. Officers absent from three (3) such meetings without good and sufficient reason as accepted by the Chairman may be subject to removal from office on recommendation of the other officers and approval by the membership.

ARTICLE V: DUTIES OF OFFICERS

1. The Chairman shall be the principal executive officer of the Chapter, preside at all meetings and generally supervise the business and affairs of the Chapter. He shall appoint committees as necessary. No contracts or agreements can be entered into by the Chapter without the approval of the Chairman.
2. The Vice-chairman shall perform the duties of the Chairman in the absence of that officer or in the event of disability or refusal to act by the Chairman.
3. The Secretary shall maintain the records of the Chapter, including keeping minutes of all meetings, provide appropriate notice to the membership, deposit in Chapter account or turn over to Treasurer for deposit all Chapter funds received and perform such other duties as directed by Chairman.
4. The Treasurer shall deposit in Chapter account all Chapter funds received, give proper receipts and maintain all accounts in the name of the Chapter. The Treasurer shall render financial reports at each meeting and an audited. report at the annual meeting. (Verbal account being rendered when appropriate).
5. The Trustees shall be primarily responsible for auditing the

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Treasurer's accounts.

6. The Judge Advocate shall interpret Chapter by-laws. Legal questions and matters that cannot be resolved shall be referred to the National Judge Advocate of the Association.

ARTICLE VI: MEETING

1. Monthly meetings shall be held at the time and place established by the Chapter officers. A special meeting may be called by the Chairman or upon the request of a majority of the other Chapter officers.
2. A majority of the members present, or of the Chapter officers shall constitute a quorum.
3. The meeting agenda normally will be:
 - a) Invocation
 - b) Allegiance
 - c) Roll call of officers
 - d) Minutes of previous meeting
 - e) Treasurers report
 - f) Chairman's report
 - g) Secretary's report
 - h) Committee reports
 - i) Unfinished business
 - j) New business
 - k) For the good of the Chapter
 - l) Adjourn
4. There will be no consumption of alcoholic beverages during meetings. Smoking during meetings, although not recommended, will be at the discretion of the host.

ARTICLE VII:

These by-laws may be amended and replacements adopted at a duly called meeting by a three-fourths favorable vote by the quorum present; provided the voting was preceded by two meetings and notice mailings to the chapter membership, and a reading of the proposal at two membership meetings.

ARTICLE VIII:

Except where otherwise provided herein, Robert's Rules of Order

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will govern.

ARTICLE IX:

These by-laws in conjunction with compliance to the National Association by-laws and a set of office procedures adopted by the Chapter Officers constitute the full authority for the functioning of Kentucky Airborne.

AMENDED AND ADOPTED
FEBURARY 21, 2015

BY-LAW COMMITTEE

Lee Johnson
Chairman
Kentucky Airborne Chapter
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