

HOROLOGICAL ASSOCIATION OF VIRGINIA

The HOROLOGICAL ASSOCIATION OF VIRGINIA (HAV) was formed in October 1939 for the purpose of promoting cooperation among the horologists (watchmakers) throughout the state of Virginia and surrounding locales. In the ensuing years, HAV's spectrum has broadened to include not only the watchmaker, but also the clockmaker, bench jeweler, retail jeweler, and others included in this micro-precision industry. The scope of HAV has also expanded with the purpose of offering education to its members in the latest techniques, up to date technology, and the prompting of fair trade practices.

Membership in HAV is a real advantage in this modern day of rapidly changing technologies. Frequently the bench person is left behind because of the lack of direct affiliation with the retail market. HAV attempts to bridge that gap through one of its most valuable assets, the Local Guild. Currently there are six guilds throughout the state of Virginia. This smaller group of your fellow trades people, meet on a regular basis, to help breakdown the complexity, and open the door to a better understanding of this industry. Backed by the direct and complete affiliation of the HAV, your local guild becomes a **HOTLINE** to the answers you need **NOW!**

The following is a brief summary of the many things HAV is actively doing for each of its members:

- Technical Library - For exclusive use of member guilds to include technical bulletins, slide narration programs, and audio and video programs.
- Speakers Bureau - A program by which member guilds may obtain speakers from throughout the U.S.
- Technical Seminars - Held once a year, in the fall, for members to receive hands-on training in a variety of specialties from well-known experts in their field.
- Annual Convention - Held once a year, in the spring, for members to attend training and informational seminars conducted by experts with up to the minute procedures and ideas. A good opportunity for all members to enjoy some entertainment and to meet and network with other members from throughout the state.
- Loupes and Tweezers - The official HAV newsletter, published every three months to keep members abreast of pertinent activities in and around Virginia, and provide bench tips and other information.
- Magazine Subscriptions - Members can order, at reduced prices, subscriptions to a group of trade magazines, offered throughout the industry.
- Membership Certificate and Lapel Pin - For all new members announcing proud participation in HAV.
- National Publicity - With the affiliation of a leading association in the country, the American Watchmakers-Clockmakers Institute.

Application for Membership

HOROLOGICAL ASSOCIATION OF VIRGINIA
8283 Oakwood Drive, King George, VA 22485

Enroll me immediately so that I can take advantage of the benefits of HAV membership. Enclosed is \$35.00 for annual dues.

Name _____

Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Telephone _____ Home _____ Office _____

Email _____ Fax _____