

## NSBA College Scholarship

NSBA is offering **two \$250 college student scholarships**, which will be awarded at the March convention. The prerequisites are as follows: applicants must have completed a minimum of five semesters in a Nebraska college or university music education program, with a wind or percussion instrument as the primary area of study. Applicants must also be student members of NSBA. To apply, follow this procedure. Send to the NSBA Awards Chair the following information typed on one side of an 8 ½" x 11" sheet of paper: name, school, home address, school address, city, zip code, home phone number, name of high school band director, and high school attended. In addition, applicants should include a brief paragraph answering the questions, "Who had the most influence in your life, and why?" and also, a brief essay (no more than two typewritten pages) entitled "Why I want to become a band director and how I will make a difference in music education?" Student applications must be accompanied by two letters of recommendation from a faculty member. All application materials will be reviewed by a committee appointed by the NSBA President and Awards Chair. This committee will interview applicants in Lincoln during the March convention. Winners will be contacted, and will be announced at the annual awards banquet.

**DEADLINE** for the NSBA college student scholarships is **FEBRUARY 1, 2007**. Applications are to be sent to NSBA Awards Chair, Bryan Regier, 545 East 4th, Fremont, NE 68025. For more information call (402) 721-9683 (work) or (402) 727-4817 (home), email at [bregier@esu2.org](mailto:bregier@esu2.org)