

# BENEFITS TO MEMBERSHIP IN COLORADO ROUND DANCE ASSOCIATION

## **GENERAL INFORMATION**

Since its first formative years, CRDA has enjoyed continuing success. Many activities are sponsored by CRDA each year, including a fall Gala weekend, a Spring Celebration, regularly scheduled Fun Dances, website <http://www.crda.net>, and ROUND NOTES. CRDA is staffed by dancers and instructors who make contributions of their time, energy, knowledge, and skill. CRDA is managed by a Board of Directors consisting of 9 couples elected from the general membership. It is primarily a dancer-run organization. Membership in CRDA is a way of supporting the various services that CRDA provides. CRDA encourages dancers to share in the 4 E's of Round Dancing -- **EXCITEMENT, EDUCATION, EXCELLENCE & ENJOYMENT.**

## **ROUND NOTES**

ROUND NOTES is a bi-monthly newsletter sponsored by CRDA to help keep round dancers aware of local and national activities and to promote round dancing. A few of the featured articles include:

- \*A listing of both local and out-of-state round dance activities and festivals
- \*Round dance lessons and workshop information
- \*Dance Parties & Gala Information
- \*Other Special Dance Events
- \*Articles with tips on dance technique

The newsletter is **INCLUDED** in your CRDA membership and it is a great way to stay in tune with what is being offered locally and nationally.

## **WEBSITE <http://www.crda.net>**

The CRDA website began in 1989 and includes a wide variety of information, including: state classes & clubs, CRDA sponsored dances, round of the month & classic of the quarter, contact information, places to dance around the world and a wide variety of dance related links & groups.

**Email notices** of upcoming events and notices of dance cancellations due to weather

**Opportunity to vote** on the dances/songs that will be a part of the program in the various halls for the Gala and the opportunity to vote at the annual membership meeting, as well as having an influence for the future direction and activities for CRDA

## **YEARLY DANCE EVENTS:**

CRDA members receive a **SUBSTANTIAL DISCOUNT** at all CRDA events. CRDA sponsors a variety of special dance events each year: Spring Beginner Graduation Dance, Fall Harvest Moon Phase II-IV, regional Fun Dances, & the annual Round Dance Gala.

**The Gala** features an enjoyable weekend of teaches, clinics, and dancing, for **ALL LEVELS** of Round Dancing (phase II - VI / beginner - advanced). Nationally prominent guest instructors are hired and local cuers/instructors lend their expertise. The Gala is held on the first Friday & Saturday in November.

**ALL THIS FOR ONLY \$18.00 PER YEAR**

DUE JANUARY 1

New Members subscribing in a month other than January, multiply \$1.50 by the number of months left in the year to calculate the amount owed for dues (ex: Aug = \$7.50).

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## **CRDA APPLICATION FOR MEMBERSHIP**

**\$18.00 per year per address (new members may prorate)**

New Member  Renewal Member

Cuer/Instructor

NAME \_\_\_\_\_

NAME \_\_\_\_\_

ADDRESS \_\_\_\_\_

CITY STATE ZIP \_\_\_\_\_

PHONE \_\_\_\_\_

EMAIL \_\_\_\_\_

EMAIL \_\_\_\_\_

**We would like to receive our Round Notes (check one)**

By EMAIL (thank you!)  By Regular Mail

**Email version: added content, in color, saves trees & postage**

**CRDA BADGES: \$12 ea. for pin-style, \$14 ea. for magnetic**

Style:  PIN  MAGNETIC

First Name \_\_\_\_\_

Last Name \_\_\_\_\_

First Name \_\_\_\_\_

Last Name \_\_\_\_\_

**ANNUAL MEMBERSHIP \$18.00 \$ \_\_\_\_\_**

**DUE JANUARY (new members may prorate at \$1.50/month—see above)**

**CRDA BADGES \$ \_\_\_\_\_**

**TOTAL \$ \_\_\_\_\_**

**MAKE CHECKS PAYABLE TO:**

**"Colorado Round Dance Association" or "CRDA"**

**MAIL TO: Ron Blewitt, Membership  
172 Vance St  
Lakewood, CO 80226-1627  
303-741-4961**

Please contact me regarding serving on a committee

**Committee preference?** \_\_\_\_\_

