



**United Square Dancers Of America
Founders Memorial
Youth Fund Scholarship**



USDA Affiliate Nomination Form

Each year the United Square Dancers of America – the national dancers’ organization – awards a merit-based scholarship to a student who has shown their dedication to the promotion and perpetuation of the total square dance movement. One of the application requirements is to be nominated for this scholarship by the president of the applicant’s USDA member affiliate organization. To simplify this procedure, this nomination form is to be used to provide that Affiliate nomination.

USDA AFFILIATE PRESIDENT: If requested to nominate an applicant, please complete and return this form either to the applicant so that they can include it with their application or send it directly back to the USDA Youth Chairman at the e-mail or snail mail address below prior to the February 1st deadline.

SCHOLARSHIP APPLICANTS - DON'T KNOW WHO YOUR AFFILIATE REPRESENTATIVE IS? No problem. Use the attached list to find the USDA member Affiliate organization that represents your state or region. Then, contact the President of that organization and either provide them with this form or ask them to download it from the USDA website, www.usda.org, sign it and return it either to you for inclusion with your application or send it directly to the USDA Youth Chairman. Once you locate your Affiliate representative organization from the list, spend some time reviewing their website so that you can learn more about the state or regional organization that represents you.

NEED MORE HELP? Contact the USDA Vice President that represents your region.

CENTRAL REGION VICE PRESIDENT – Alabama, Florida, Georgia, Indiana, Kentucky, Michigan, Mississippi, North Carolina, Ohio, South Carolina, Tennessee, West Virginia

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On behalf of the (Name of USDA Affiliate):

I/We Proudly Nominate (Applicant’s Name):

From City: State: for the USDA Scholarship.

Name(s) of USDA Affiliate President:

Signature: Date:

Mail Or E-Mail This Nomination Form To:

Attention: USDA Founders Memorial Youth Fund Scholarship

USDA Youth Advisor E-Mail: usda.youth.advisor@usda.org; Information Phone: 731.612.1155

c/o P.O.Box 736, Van Buren, Arkansas 72957-0736

Alabama – Alabama Square & Round Dance Association, Inc. – www.AlabamaSquareDance.com



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- Alabama** – Alabama Square & Round Dance Association Inc – www.AlabamaSquareDance.com/aweb/asarda.htm
- Alaska** – Alaska Square & Round Dance Federation – www.sites.google.com/site/squaredanceinalaska/home
- Arizona** – The Square & Round Dance Association of Southern Arizona (Dancing Squares of Southern Arizona) – www.sardasa.com
- Arizona** – Grand Canyon Square Dance Association – www.AZSquareDance.com
- Arkansas** – Arkansas State Square & Round Dance Federation, Inc. – www.ArkansasSquareDance.com
- California** – California Square Dance Council, Inc. – www.SquareDance.org
- Colorado** – Colorado State Square Dance Association – www.ColoradoSquareDance.com
- Connecticut** – Eastern District Square & Round Dance Association, Inc. – www.edsarda.com
- Delaware** – The Federation of Delaware Valley Square & Round Dancers – www.DelValDancer.org
- Florida** – Florida Federation of Square Dancers – www.FloridaSquareDance.com
- Georgia** – Georgia State Square Dancers Association – www.gssda.org
- Georgia** – Metro Atlanta Square Dancers Association: – www.masda.net
- Georgia** – Northeast Georgia Federation of Square Dancers: – www.negf.net
- Hawaii** – Hawaii Federation of Square Dance clubs – www.SquareDanceHawaii.org
- Idaho** – Idaho State Square Dance Association – www.IdahoSquareDancing.com
- Illinois** – Illinois Federation of Square & Round Dance Clubs (State Council of Illinois Square & Round Dance Association) – www.SquareDanceIllinois.com
- Indiana** – Indiana Dancers Association – www.InDancers.org
- Iowa** – Iowa State Federation of Square & Round Dance Clubs – www.IowaSquareDance.org
- Kansas** – Kansas Square Dance Association – www.KansasSquareDance.com
- Kentucky** – Kentuckiana Square & Round Dance Federation – www.SquareDanceKY.com
- Louisiana** – Louisiana Square Dance Association – www.LouisianaSquareDance.com
- Maine** – Eastern District Square & Round Dance Association, Inc. – www.edsarda.com
- Maryland** – DELMARVA Square Dance Federation, Inc. – www.DelMarVaDanceNet.com
- Maryland** – Mason Dixon Square Dancers Federation, Inc. – www.Guidestar.org/profile/52-6054285
- Maryland/Washington, DC** Area Square Dance Co-op Association – www.wascaClubs.com
- Massachusetts** – Eastern District Square & Round Dance Association, Inc. – www.edsarda.org
- Michigan** – Michigan Council of Square & Round Dance Clubs – www.SquareDance-Michigan.com
- Minnesota** – Square Dance Federation of Minnesota, Inc. – www.SquareDanceMinnesota.com
- Mississippi** – Mississippi Square & Round Dance Association, Inc. – www.MsSquareDance.com
- Missouri** – Missouri Federation of Square & Round Dance Clubs – www.SquareDanceMissouri.com
- Missouri** – Heart of America Federation of Square Dance Clubs – www.WeSquareDance.com
- Montana** – Missoula Area Federation of Square & Round Dance Clubs – www.MontanaSquareDancing.com
- Montana** – Yellowstone Square Dance Council – www.SquareDanceMontana.com
- Nebraska** – Nebraska State Square & Round Dance Association – www.SquareDanceNE.org
- Nevada** – Las Vegas Square and Round Dancers – www.SquareDanceLasVegas.com
- New Hampshire** – Eastern District Square & Round Dance Association, Inc. – www.edsarda.org
- New Jersey** – No Affiliate
- New Mexico** – New Mexico Square & Round Dance Association – www.nmsrda.org
- New York** – Capital District Square & Round Dance Association – No website information available



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- New York** – Hudson Valley Council, Inc. – www.HudsonValleyCouncil.org
New York – Rochester Area Federation of Western Round & Square Dance Clubs –
www.SquareDancingRochester.org
North Carolina – North Carolina Folk, Round & Square Dancing - www.NcFederation.com
North Dakota – North Dakota Square & Round Dance Clubs, Inc. –
www.SquareDanceNorthDakota.com
Ohio – Akron Area Square & Round Dance Federation – No website information available
Ohio – Southwestern Ohio/Northwestern Kentucky Square Dance Federation, Inc. –
www.cocdc.cboh.org
Ohio – Toledo Area Western Dance Leaders Association, Inc. – www.PromenadeToledo.com
Oklahoma – Northeast Oklahoma Square Dance Association – www.NeSquareDance.com
Oklahoma – Oklahoma Square Dance Federation – www.Oklahoma-Square-Dance-Federation.org
Oregon – Oregon Federation of Square & Round Dance Clubs – www.SquareDance.Gen.OR.us
Pennsylvania – Pennsylvania Square & Round Dance Federation - www.psrdf.org
Rhode Island – Eastern District Square & Round Dance Association, Inc. – www.edsarda.com
South Carolina – South Carolina Square & Round Dance Federation – www.ScSquareDance.com
South Dakota – No Affiliate
Tennessee – Tennessee State Association of Square & Round Dance Clubs, Inc. –
www.TnSquareDance.org
Texas – No Affiliate
Vermont – Eastern District Square & Round Dance Association, Inc. – www.edsarda.com
Virginia – Richmond Square & Round Dance Association – www.rsarda.org
West Virginia – West Virginia Square & Round Dance Federation, Inc. – www.WvSquareDance.org
Wisconsin – Square Dance Association of Wisconsin – www.sda-wi.org
Wyoming – No Affiliate