

Ohio Corporation Of Dance Clubs Friendship Badge Form

The purpose of the organization is:

1. To encourage a high standard of Square and Round dancing and their related arts.
2. To foster an exchange of ideas and to stimulate activities and coordination among area associations and the Buckeye Round Dance Council
- 2a. The exchange of ideas to be in the form of a Mini-Legacy to be held several months prior to the National meeting. Policies for conducting Mini-Legacy will be set forth by the initial attendees or delegates.
3. To develop and carry out a public relations program
4. To promote and assist in one Annual State Square, Round and Contra Dance Convention in Ohio.

There are 8 Councils/Federations in the State of Ohio. Meetings are held 4 times a year. Each Council/Federation has 2-couple Representatives. Each Council/Federation has its own method for selecting representatives.

How Do I Earn the Friendship Badge?

The State Friendship Badge is earned by dancing in each of the 8 council/federations with one option, noted in Rule 2 below. The badge is in the shape of Ohio with a different colored star representing each area. The area colors are: Cleveland, black; Akron, rose; Central, crystal; SWO/NK, green; Southeast/WVA, red; Toledo, turquoise; Miami Valley, blue; MWO, purple.

Friendship Badge Rule

Rule 1. Dancers will earn the Friendship Badge by attending a club dance in each of the eight Ohio areas listed with the option of substituting one dance under Rule #2.

Rule 2. Attendance at a State Convention, a State Fair Day dance or a Buckeye Round Dance Council sponsored dance may be substituted for One area. Only one substitution is allowed.

Rule 3. Clubs visited must be members of their area federation/council.

Rule 4. To receive credit for your own area you must dance at a club you are NOT a member of or are NOT raiding. Rule 5. An officer of the club or convention, State Fair dance or Buckeye Round Dance Council sponsored dance must sign your form AT THE DANCE.

Rule 6. The form is Dot transferable.

Friendship Badges will be ordered twice a year: March 31 and Sept 30. Qualifying forms should be sent no later than one week before these dates. Make your check to Ohio Corporation of Dance Clubs, \$6.00 per badge, and send with the form to David Edwards, 1432 Chancellor Dr., Lima OH 45807. Badges will be mailed to your home. **Please print badge info!**

Cleveland: _____ Club

Signed/Dated: _____

Akron: _____ Club

Signed/Dated: _____

Central: _____ Club

Signed/Dated: _____

SWO/NK: _____ Club

Signed/Dated: _____

Southeast/
WVA: _____ Club

Signed/Dated: _____

Toledo: _____ Club

Signed/Dated: _____

Miami Valley: _____ Club

Signed/Dated: _____

MWO: _____ Club

Signed/Dated: _____

Name to be printed on badge: _____

Name to be printed on badge: _____

Address _____

City, State, Zip _____