The Providence Chapter of the Armenian Church Youth Organization of America will be hosting the 1986 New England Regional 40th Anniversary Celebration on Saturday October 25, 1986. The "Ruby Ball" will be held in the Grand Ballroom of the Sheraton Mansfield Inn, Mansfield, Massachussetts.

The members of the St. Sahag and St. Mesrob A.C.Y.O.A. under the guidance of Very Rev. Baret Yeretzian and the direction of newly elected chapter chairperson Stephanie Masoian, who is also chairman of the "Ruby Ball", have been hard at work planning this special event. Committee members include Secretary-Debbie Kalian, Treasurer-Paul Parnagian, Reservations- Ann Ayrassian and Marc Janigian, Sponsor Booklet-Vicki Atamian and Gregory Kazarian, Alumni Awards- MaryAnn Kalian, Publicity-Ara Kazarian, Hospitality-Nannette Hanoian and Christine Tokmakian, and as Advisor-Linda Minassian.

A.C.Y.O.A. members, alumni, and friends are being invited to "Come Back to Where it All Began". The A.C.Y.O.A. was founded in Providence, Rhode Island during the Constitutional Assembly in January, 1946. It is only fitting that the 40th Anniversary Celebration be hosted by the Providence Chapter and its members are working feverishly to make this ball the most successful event in the forty year history of the organization.

Many plans are being made for the evening, including a short awards presentation and an alumni reception, with a special area set aside so that all who attend can look back and reminisce through A.C.Y.O.A. memorabilia.

Anyone wishing more information can contact Stephanie Masoian (401) 943-6045 or write the Church Office 70 Jefferson Street, Providence, Rhode Island 02908.

## COME BACK TO WHERE IT ALL BEGAN

The Providence Chapter of the A.C.Y.O.A. is proud to host the New England Regional 40th Anniversary Ball on Saturday, October 25, 1986 at the Sheraton Mansfield Inn, Mansfield, Mass.

A.C.Y.O.A. members, friends, and alumni are preparing for what will prove to be the most spectacular event of the year. The evening will begin with a poolside reception at 6:30 p.m. honoring the A.C.Y.O.A. Alumni Award winner from each New England chapter. This person will be chosen for their selfless dedication, devotion, service, and sacrifice to the A.C.Y.O.A., the youth, and parishes of New England. An exhibit of A.C.Y.O.A. memorabilia will be displayed during the reception.

Following the reception, a delicious roast beef dinner will be served in the Grand Ball Room. The highlight of the evening will be the Alumni Awards ceremony, followedby the Ball featuring the Roger Krikorian Ensemble.

Reservations must be made by October 15, 1986 and can be made by calling Ann Ayrassian at 401-272-4743 or Marc Janigian at 944-2218. Tickets are \$25.00 per person with a special price of \$15.00 for all A.C.Y.O.A. members.

Rooms have been made available for those interested in reminiscing and celebrating for the entire weekend. Please contact the Sheraton Mansfield directly for more information. Also, please mention the A.C.Y.O.A. Anniversary Ball when making your reservation to obtain special rates.

The Ruby Ball committee is looking forward to seeing past and present A.C.Y.O.A. members from the entire New England Region. This evening will be a great opportunity to renew old friendships, while making new acquaintences.