

DIOCESE OF THE ARMENIAN CHURCH OF AMERICA, 630 SECOND AVENUE, NEW YORK, N.Y. 10016-4885 212 686-0710

Archbishop Torkom Manoogian, Primate

18 December 84

TO: All ACYOA Chapters

SUBJECT: ACYOA Membership Renewals

Membership in the ACYOA is a simple procedure and serves several purposes:

Formal tie to local Parish Chapter.
Formal tie to the National Organization.
Organizational funds (dues) for local Parish Chapter.
Organizational funds (dues) for National Organization.
Opportunities for local, regional and national participation in the many programs and activities offered.
A link and relationship to other Armenian young adults in the Parish and across the Diocese.

A person may join the ACYOA Senior Group at age 18, or upon graduation from high school. An application for is completed and new member dues are usually \$9.00 - half retained by local Chapter, half sent to National Treasury maintained by the ACYOA Central Council.

After the initial membership, a person **renews** their membership in the ACYOA by simply paying annual dues of \$7.00 - half retained by local Chapter, half sent to National Treasury. The **renewal period** lasts six months - from July 1st (the beginning of the ACYOA fiscal year) to December 31st. Afterwhich, the person is considered a new prospect and is expected to pay the new member dues. (Six months should be enough time for a person to decide on renewal.)

Enclosed for Chapter use is a Membership Renewal Form. This Form, along with renewal dues is to be sent to the ACYOA Central Council Treasurer by January 1st. Please send it as close to this date as is possible. The ACYOA Central Council needs these funds to continue its work and fulfill its responsibilities. Send to:

ARDA NAZERIAN, Council Chairman 186-39 Midland Parkway, Jamaica Estates, NY 11432 (212-454-8370)

Membership Cards will be send directly to all 'Members in Good Standing', and may be used for special admission, discounts and other offerings at designated ACYOA events and Programs.

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Membership Renewal Form

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Armenian Church Youth Organization of America Diocese of the Armenian Church 630 Second Ave., N.Y.C., N.Y. 10016 [212-666-0710]

[Please read carefully. Fill out this form completely and send to the ACYOA Central Council Treasurer.]

ACYOA YEAR - July 1st, 19____ through June 30th, 19____.

Chapter Name:

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Parish Name:

The following list of names are previous dues paid members who have their official ACYOA Membership Application form on file with the Central Council. This list indicates those who wish to **renew** their membership in the ACYOA - Senior Group.

Buclude name, address, zip code and phone number. This will single up dating of membership and mailing listings. Kindly type of print. For additional numes, use reverse alde, or attach sheets marked renewal.]

Chapter Chairman:	Recording Secretary
[Make checks payable to — ACYOA Central Council]	[Affix signatures as indicated.]
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