

## When You Join BATango

You become a part of the oldest and largest group to support Argentine Tango on the West Coast.

Tango is a lifestyle supported by our passion and joy for life. In 1992, Bay Area Tangueros came together to form The Bay Area Argentine Tango Association. Their hope was to educate the public in the joys of dancing Argentine Tango. The focus was on providing venues to dance, music to listen to, and teachers to improve their skills.



Today the Argentine Tango Community in the Bay Area is more than 500 strong. The Bay Area Argentine Tango Association acts as a central contact point for the activities in the Bay Area.

**We provide our members with many Resources, including:**

**Events List Emailed** twice a month before it hits the web site. The most up to date listing of all events in the Bay Area. All editions of Tango Spam.

**Membership in a private Yahoo Group** that sends a daily digest of all the tango events and information, emailed events list, and special tango email alerts.

**Special Pricing** at Workshops with Tango Masters Omar Vega, Christy Cote, Entrance to concerts such as the Violin Jazz Concert with Jeremy Cohen, Mechanics Library Events that include movies and concerts with local talent Cem Duruoz and Roberto Forte, and most Tango A Media Luz events.

**Discounted Entrances** to Milongas like the Danceasy, Mission Blue, Carmel Milonga, Nora's Celebration Tango Ball, Blue Moon Milonga, Tango By The Bay

**Free Milongas** for BATango members hosted by BATango for the community.

**Special BATango Discount** of 10% on CDs from Bay Area Teacher and Tango Empresario Christy Cote

**We recently established a foundation for educational purposes.** The foundation will provide scholarships for local dancers, establish masters workshops and residencies. With the current visa restrictions on Argentina, we can assist in bringing dancers and musicians here to teach and perform.

**Scholarships presented include:**

- **1-Day Scholarship** to Nora's Tango Week
- **Workshops with Tango Stars:** Fabian Salas & Carolina del Rivero, Mimi Santapa, Carlos and Maria Rivarola, Claudia & Luis Mendoza, Orlando Paiva Jr. and Mariana Melling
- **Private Lessons** with Local Teachers such as Gary & Nirmala
- **Special Raffles** for Members with great prizes such as: one-week at the Dandi Royal in Buenos Aires (\$700 value), tickets to "Forever Tango"

*Our projects and events are currently funded by membership dues. Please join today!!*

To apply for membership, please fill out the application below and mail to:  
BA Tango, 484 Lake Park Avenue,  
Suite 380, Oakland, CA 94610

### Membership Application

Name  
Address  
City  
Zip  
Telephone  
Email

### Type of Membership

*Please check one*

- Aficionado (Basic)      \$35
- Pareja (Basic Couple)      \$60

*Please contact me, I am interested in volunteering.*

- Event Planning     Education
- Website             Membership
- Event Information



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