

**California Christmas Tree Association**

**THE TREE PROFESSIONALS**

**New Member Application**

Dues Schedule: Dues are per calendar year. Dues are based on the number of trees sold in California during the previous Christmas season. If qualified in more than one dues category, pay dues for all applicable categories but not more than \$282. A \$25 Initiation Fee applies to all new active members or to former members whose membership has lapsed for more than one year.

**ACTIVE MEMBERS**

(Initiation Fee required; voting privileges)

**GROWERS AND RETAILERS:** Choose & Cut Grower, Container Tree Grower, Retail Lot Operator, Pre-harvest Grower or Wholesale Grower (wholesalers divide trees by 4 before applying schedule).

- 0 – 500 Trees Sold ..... \$126
- 501 – 2,000 Trees Sold .....\$172
- 2,001 – 4,000 Trees Sold .....\$230
- 4,001 – 6,000 Trees Sold .....\$287
- Over 6,000 Trees Sold .....\$316

**SUPPLIERS AND TREE BROKERS:** Suppliers of products and Equipment to the Christmas Tree industry or wholesale brokers of trees – no trees grown or sold at retail .....\$201

**ASSOCIATE MEMBERS**

(No Initiation Fee; no voting privileges)

**EDUCATORS:** University or Extension personnel, foresters, educators – no income from Christmas trees, now or in the future .....\$92

**RETIRED:** CCTA members in previous years who retired from the Christmas Tree business and derive no income from Christmas Trees..... \$92

**NON-CALIFORNIA SELLERS:** Choose & Cut Growers and/ or Retailers marketing all trees outside of California.....\$92

**FIRST YEAR GROWER:** Choose & Cut and/or Wholesale Growers with no trees for sale this year.....\$92

If you live in Southern Calif., Northern Calif., or the Central San Joaquin Valley-Mother Lode, you are eligible to join our local chapters in those areas and participate in their activities. Please enclose appropriate amount, check box below, and we will send your name to the chapter secretary.  Southern Section – dues \$15/yr.  Northern Section – dues \$15/yr.  Central Section – dues \$10/yr.

**INITIATION FEE:** Required for active

Membership categories .....\$25

**TOTAL ENCLOSED** \$ \_\_\_\_\_

**Name(s)** \_\_\_\_\_ **Farm/Company Name** \_\_\_\_\_

**Address** \_\_\_\_\_ **E-mail** \_\_\_\_\_

**City** \_\_\_\_\_ **State** \_\_\_\_\_ **Zip** \_\_\_\_\_

**Daytime Phone** \_\_\_\_\_ **Evening Phone** \_\_\_\_\_ **Fax** \_\_\_\_\_

**County where Farm/Business is Located** \_\_\_\_\_ **Acres planted in Trees** \_\_\_\_\_

**Species Grown/Intend to Grow or Sell** \_\_\_\_\_

Please check all categories that apply to your or your operation so we can provide appropriate service.

\_\_\_\_ Owner (s)    \_\_\_\_ Grower    \_\_\_\_ Retailer    \_\_\_\_ Wholesaler    \_\_\_\_ Supplier    \_\_\_\_ Container Tree Grower

\_\_\_\_ Choose & Cut    \_\_\_\_ Pre-harvest    \_\_\_\_ Educator/Extension/Forester    \_\_\_\_ No trees marketed in Calif.

From January 1 – June 30, pay full year dues, plus Initiation Fee. From July 1 – September 30, pay one-half of dues above, plus Initiation Fee. From October 1 – December 31, pay full year dues plus Initiation Fee, includes the following year.

Enclosed is \$ \_\_\_\_\_ for 20 \_\_\_\_\_ dues and Initiation Fee. Date \_\_\_\_\_

Signed \_\_\_\_\_ Referred by: \_\_\_\_\_

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