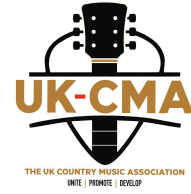


# Membership Terms and Conditions for The UK Country Music Association (The UK-CMA)



## 1. Introduction

Welcome to the UK-CMA. By becoming a member, you agree to abide by the terms and conditions outlined in this document. These terms govern your membership and participation in our organisation's programs, events, and activities. Please read them carefully.

## 2. Membership Eligibility

- 2.1 Membership is open to individuals who share the UK-CMA's mission and values.
- 2.2 Members must be at least 18 years old.
- 2.3 Membership applications are subject to approval by the UK-CMA.
- 2.4 Membership is per individual person as each membership (where applicable) constitutes one vote.
- 2.5 The UK-CMA only offers individual memberships, not company or group memberships.

## 3. Membership Responsibilities

By becoming a member, you agree to:

- 3.1 Uphold the mission and values of the UK-CMA.
- 3.2 Act respectfully and professionally when interacting with other members, staff, and the public.
- 3.3 Comply with any rules or guidelines set forth by the UK-CMA for events or activities.
- 3.4 Pay membership fees (if applicable) on time to maintain active status.

**Please note:** If you are purchasing memberships for more than one person, please use a unique email address for each individual.

## 4. Membership Fees

- 4.1 Membership fees are non-refundable and must be paid annually or as specified during the application process.
- 4.2 Members will be notified of any changes to the membership fee structure at least thirty (30) days in advance of renewal.
- 4.3 Failure to pay fees within the specified time may result in suspension or termination of membership.

## 5. Termination of Membership

- 5.1 Membership may be terminated by:
  - 5.1.1 Voluntary resignation by the member.

- 5.1.2 Failure to adhere to these terms and conditions.
- 5.1.3 Non-payment of membership fees.
- 5.1.4 Conduct deemed detrimental to the organisation's mission or reputation.

5.2 In the event of termination, no fees paid will be refunded.

## **6. Changes to Membership Terms**

The UK-CMA reserves the right to update or modify these terms and conditions as needed. Members will be notified of significant changes via email, the UK-CMA website or direct notification etc. Continued membership constitutes acceptance of the revised terms.

## **7. Privacy and Data Protection**

- 7.1 The UK-CMA respects your privacy and handles your personal data in accordance with our Privacy Policy at <https://www.uk-cma.com/privacy/>
- 7.2 Members' information will not be shared with third parties without consent, except as required by law.

## **8. Dispute Resolution**

- 8.1 Any disputes arising from membership will be addressed through the UK-CMA's dispute resolution procedure which is available on request.
- 8.2 Members agree to attempt resolution through direct dialogue between the parties concerned before seeking external remedies.

## **9. Contact Us**

For questions or concerns regarding these Membership Terms and Conditions, please contact Tony Thornton, our Membership Secretary at [membership@uk-cma.com](mailto:membership@uk-cma.com)

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By becoming a member of the UK-CMA, you agree to these terms and conditions and commit to supporting our mission and community.