

## *WHAT IS "SODA"?*

SODA -- "Supporters of the Dance Academy" -- is a non-profit group formed in 1995 to provide financial and volunteer support for the University of Louisville Dance Academy (ULDA).

Some of the areas of support include:

- Funds and volunteer sewing for costumes (our dancers do not pay costume fees!!)
- Funds for guest teachers / guest choreographers / guest dancers (such as the Cavalier in Clara's Dream)
- Funds and volunteer effort for a Quarterly Newsletter
- Funds and volunteer time for improvements to the studios
- Funds and volunteer time for production of performances such as Clara's Dream and Lecture Demo (MANY VOLUNTEERS NEEDED!)
- Funds and volunteer time for events such as the Clara's Dream cast party
- Funds and volunteer time for Marketing / Advertising
- Funds for professional development for ULDA Staff
- Funds for scholarships
- Volunteer time for the all-volunteer SODA Board, which organizes the activities of SODA

## *WHY JOIN SODA?*

We need you!!! The University of Louisville Dance Academy cannot exist without many volunteers from its community of families. The University does not supply volunteers or funds for any of the above areas: SODA was formed to fill this need.