

SANDPIPER ART GALLERY

SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION

The Sandpiper Art and Gift Gallery is a non-profit artist's cooperative which supports the arts and art education in Lake County, Montana. Our mission is to encourage and promote participation in the arts in Lake County. We provide educational opportunities through workshops, scholarships, exhibits, a library, and other resources. We believe that the inherent value of the fine arts enhances the quality of life and merits our attention.

Each year Sandpiper offers art scholarships to deserving students from Lake and Sanders Counties. The award amount may vary.

For scholarship eligibility purposes we define "art" as any art form practiced mainly for its aesthetic value and beauty. These art forms include painting, sculpture, ceramics, drawing, jewelry, photography and film, fiber art, and graphic art. We further expand this criteria to include professional careers in art. These include art education, research, restoration, scientific/medical art illustration, technology, verification, art archeology, and museum curatorship.

In addition to the above criteria applicants generally must be full-time students. We will recognize those applicants who have special situations which limit full-time attendance. Students include those who are applying, accepted or currently enrolled in college, university, specialized art, and vocational higher education institutions. Applicants must reside in Lake County or Sanders County. Applicants must submit or bring to interviews examples or pictures of their work. Scholarship recipients may apply during subsequent years.

Students must mail or deliver their applications no later than May 1. For mail address use the following: Sandpiper Art and Gift Gallery (ATTN: Scholarship Committee), P. O. Box 1163, Polson, MT 59860. For electronic submission send the application as a scanned attachment to email sent to: sandpiperartgallery306@gmail.com .

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Name _____

Last

First

Middle

Address _____

Telephone _____ Email _____

Place of birth _____ Date (optional) _____

Educational experience (List schools, location, dates attended, graduation date, major if past high school)

List scholarships and awards received (Source, amount, where used, date of use)

Note any educational or practical experience in the arts

On a separate page using less than 200 words, write about your educational objectives, career goals, and qualifications for receiving this scholarship.

Sandpiper Art Gallery & Gift Shop, 306 Main, Polson, MT 59860 406-883-5956
Sandpiperartgallery.com Mail: P.O. Box 1163

References:

Character Reference: (non-family member)

Name _____

Address _____

Telephone _____

Art-related Reference

Name _____

Address _____

Telephone _____

You may submit letters of recommendation.

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Please attach a copy of your school registration receipt or your application to your intended school.

Please attach a photo of yourself. We will use it for publicity if you receive a scholarship.

Applicants must submit or bring to interviews examples or pictures of their work.

RETURN THIS APPLICATION TO SANDPIPER ART GALLERY, P.O. BOX 1163, POLSON, MT 59860 BY MAY 1, 2023.

THANK YOU FOR YOUR INTEREST IN THIS SCHOLARSHIP.

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