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Scholarship Purpose

This scholarship fund has been established by the Caroline County Council of Arts (CCCA) in honor of Mark Grande, who was the CCCA Executive Director before his death in 2005. Mark was an extremely talented man who gave freely of his time in a number of areas. In addition to his duties with the CCCA, he was a musician and photographer. The fund will help graduating Caroline County students who are pursuing studies in the performing & visual arts.

Award Amount

This year the CCCA will award one (1) \$500 scholarship to graduating seniors who plan to attend college in the fall of 2012.

Eligibility

- Graduating Caroline County High School Senior.
- Grade Point Average: 3.0 or higher.
- Planning to study performing or visual arts at a college or university by the fall of 2012.

Application Packet

- Complete and sign the Mark Grande Arts Scholarship Application Form.
- Include an official copy of your most recent High School transcript.
- Include at least three (3) Letters of Recommendation:
 - Two (2) from current or recent teachers.
 - One (1) personal reference.
- Include a typed 300 – 500 word essay describing why you are interested in pursuing further study in performing or visual arts.
- Include an Artwork Portfolio or Performance CD/DVD of no more than ten (10) works of art with a reference sheet that includes a brief description (title, medium, date occurred, objective, etc.) of each work.

Application Submission

- Submit the complete Application Packet postmarked by Monday, April 23rd 2012 to:
CCCA – Mark Grande Arts Scholarship Fund
PO Box 292
Denton, MD 21629
Or call 410-479-1009 by Friday, April 20, 2012 to arrange a drop off time.
- Scholarship recipients will be notified by the end of May 2012
- Award certificates will be presented at your high school's Awards Ceremony.
- Award payments will be made in the scholarship recipient's name and paid directly to the college/university to which they are enrolled upon receipt of a copy of the acceptance letter from that school.

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Student Name: _____ Date of Birth: _____

Address: _____

Phone #: _____ E-Mail: _____

Parent's Name(s): _____

Parent's Address: _____

High School/County/State: _____

Class Standing: _____ of _____ total number of students in the class. GPA: _____

Primary Art Teacher (Drama, Photography, etc.), Phone #, E-Mail:

Art-Related Awards & Honors: _____

Art Courses Completed (High School, Private, Other): _____

Art-Related Extra-Curricular Activities: _____

Intended Course of Study in the Visual or Performing Arts: _____

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E-mail: CCArtsCouncil@verizon.net Web: www.carolinearts.org



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Colleges/Universities to Which You Have Applied: _____

PLEASE NOTE BEFORE SIGNING:

By signing this application:

- You acknowledge that you have read and accepted the conditions outlined on this application.
- You authorize the CCCA to fully investigate and verify all information provided herein.
- You indicate your awareness that false statements may be sufficient cause to disqualify your application.
- You agree to accept the decision of the judges as final.
- You permit the CCCA to make copies of your Artwork Portfolio and/or Performance CD/DVD for promotional, educational, and archival purposes.

Student (Print Name)

Student Signature

Date

If student is under 18 years of age:

Parent/Guardian (Print Name)

Parent/Guardian (Print Name)

Parent/Guardian Signature

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