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Medina County Arts Council announces over \$9,000 in grant funding and scholarships opportunities

MEDINA, Ohio – Applications are now being accepted by Medina County Arts Council for grants to local organizations with an arts-centered focus, grants for Medina County arts teacher projects and for scholarships for graduating seniors.

Grants to organizations

Medina County Arts Council will be awarding a total of \$5,000 to county organizations with an arts-centered focus or arts related projects. To be eligible, applicant organizations must have 501(c)(3) status or be associated with educational, religious or recovery organizations. The application window runs from February 1 to March 31, 2022.

Teacher grants

The Arts Council will also be awarding \$1,600 in grants to county arts teachers to support arts-related projects for their students. This includes, but is not limited to, the disciplines of music, visual art, theater, dance, and language arts. The grants are intended to aid teachers in funding an innovative and substantive project that might be outside of their principal's budget. The application window is from February 1 to March 15, 2022.

Scholarships

The Arts Council will also be awarding \$3,000 in various scholarships to Medina County graduating seniors who have been actively involved in the arts during high school and are continuing their education at a technical school, 2-year, or 4-year institution. Declaration of a major in the arts is not required to be eligible for this scholarship. The application window for scholarships is from February 1 to March 31, 2022.

Online applications for each of these opportunities can be found at www.medinacountyartscouncil.org or by sending a request to medinacoartscouncil@gmail.com.

Established in 1983, MCAC is a non-profit organization dedicated to the support and promotion of the arts, individual artists, art organizations and arts education in Medina County. Each year, MCAC provides grants to Medina County organizations, schools and communities promoting the arts, and maintains a

scholarship program that awards scholarships to graduating Medina County seniors. The grants and scholarships are made possible through generous contributions made to MCAC additional income from fundraisers. Visit MCAC online at www.medinacountyartscouncil.org.

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