



Arts Institute Group of the Merrimack Valley Inc.

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SCHOLARSHIP OPPORTUNITY

The Arts Institute Group of the Merrimack Valley is dedicated to promoting the Arts in our community. This year we will once again offer scholarships to graduating students of the class of 2007 from a public high school in the Merrimack Valley.

The amount of \$800.00 will be disbursed from the Arts Institute Group.

The amount of \$200.00 will be disbursed through a scholarship program established in memory

of Alfred J. Mickee Sr. The amount of \$100.00 will be disbursed through a scholarship program established in memory of Stanley and Esther Siudut

Each applicant must:

- Be recommended by a teacher or Guidance Councilor.
- Be accepted to a college, university or art school.
- Be planning to major in an art-related course of study.
- Be prepared to have three examples of their original artwork for the judge's review.
- Write a short essay stating his/her interest and commitment to continuing studies in the field of art.
- Complete a copy of the enclosed application.

In addition, the recipient(s) will:

- Receive one year's free membership in the Arts Institute Group of the Merrimack Valley.
- Be featured in the AIG Newsletter.
- Be the Honored Guests at our June monthly meeting..

Deadline for application with essay is **March 31, 2007**.

Students will bring their three pieces of original artwork (no slides) to Nevins Memorial Library, 305 Broadway, Methuen, MA on **April 21st** between 1p.m.-2-pm and pick them up between 3:00 and 4:00 pm on the same day. Recipients will be notified of award by June 2007.

Please address all correspondence to:

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The Arts Institute was established by Silvana Siudut. Our goals are to provide artistic venues for the purposes of enhancing the cultural climate of the residents of the Merrimack Valley and to coax creativity from the many talented artists in our community. I look forward to hearing from you.

Cordially,

Sharon A. Morley
Scholarship Chairperson

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