



Eric Thomas
Youth Scholarship Application
Grand Marais Art Colony

The Eric Thomas Scholarship Fund has been made available through the Eric Thomas Memorial and donations of generous individuals. The Scholarship Fund is solely funded through these donations. The Art Colony has many youth classes to choose from. Both need and non-need based scholarships are available.

Eric Thomas



Eric Thomas (1956 – 2013) grew up one block from the Grand Marais Art Colony. As a child, he took classes at the Art Colony and developed a life-long appreciation for the work of North Shore artists. This scholarship is funded in Eric's memory by the Thomas family in order to support and encourage young Cook County artists. Eric's spirit of generosity, his love of fine art, and his affection for his hometown will be remembered and celebrated through the Eric Thomas Youth Scholarship Fund.





Complete the information below and return to the Art Colony: info@grandmaraisartcolony.org

Guidelines for Awarding Scholarships

- All Cook County youth residents, regardless of income, can apply for a youth scholarship to cover one class up to \$50. This is a one-time only scholarship.
- If the youth class is less than \$50 no remaining balance will be transferred or applied to another class. If the youth class is more than \$50 the student/family is responsible to cover the remaining balance to complete the registration.
- Individuals can apply for one scholarship in the fall and one in the spring.
- Need-based scholarships are also available.
 - For those applying for a need-based scholarship, please include tax (gross adjusted income) information from the previous year with this application. Scholarships are awarded on a sliding-scale.

Name _____ Age _____ Date _____

Phone _____ E-Mail _____

Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

I am applying for a

- Need-based Youth Scholarship
- Cook County Youth Scholarship

If applying for a need-based scholarship, please include your family's AGI from the most recent tax year

Class of Interest _____ Dates _____

Applicant's name and date _____

Parent/Guardian Signature _____

