

2018



DAMARIS FINE ARTS SCHOLARSHIP AWARD

Applications and portfolios due by Thursday, April 26, 2018 at 5:00pm

Award Ceremony & Exhibit Reception - Monday, May 7, 2018 6:30pm- 8:00pm

On behalf of the family of "Dee" Damaris Schulte, the Plymouth Community Arts Council recognizes a Plymouth-Canton School District high school senior each year who has displayed outstanding abilities in visual arts and plans to continue his/her education in this field at the college or university level.

There are 2 awards; a \$1000 scholarship and a \$500 scholarship.

In addition, all submitted work will be exhibited at the PCAC during the month of May as part of its Emerging Artists & Damaris Fine Art Scholarship Exhibit.

Seniors from the following schools are eligible: Canton, Plymouth, Salem, Starkweather/Feigel

Students should submit a portfolio containing a minimum of three (3) to a maximum of (5) pieces of art. Each piece, should be labeled. At least one piece of artwork must be framed. Students will also be required to submit two letters of recommendation, a statement about the work being submitted, a one page essay describing how art affects their life and a recent photo.

Students' artwork will be judged on its originality, creativity, and use of material. Artwork will be professionally juried. This award is also open to all students who are entered in the P-CCS Annual Art Show. Student artists may contact Lisa Howard with any questions about submissions and confirm portfolio drop-off time.

734-416-4278 or lisa@plymoutharts.com

PCAC Office hours: M&Tu 12noon-6:00pm W&Th 10:00am-5:00pm Fri 11:00am-2:00pm

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Application Checklist

- * **Completed application** - available in PCAC business office or download from our website, www.plymoutharts.com - go to Youth Programs/Damaris Scholarship
- * **Portfolio with 3-5 pieces of original artwork** - label and sign work, one piece should be framed* Pottery, sculpture, weaving and jewelry work is accepted; please email lisa@plymoutharts.com for more information on 3D submissions
- * **Art Statements** - A one or two sentence description about each submitted piece
- * **One page essay** - May be typed or handwritten and should talk about what art means to you, the role it plays in your life, or what you love most about creating art.
- * **Recent photo** - school picture or candid shot
- * **Two letters of recommendation** (one may be from a family member)

