



Artist Award Eligibility and Requirements

The Arts and Cultural Alliance of Newport County offers a Spring Artist Award of \$1000 to support Newport County art projects that benefit our community.

Eligibility

- Applicants must be a member of ACA.
- Projects/programs must be offered/available to Newport County residents.
- Projects can fall into any artistic genre category: fine arts, visual arts (illustration, graphic design, multimedia), performing arts, the literary arts (creative writing, poetry), music (performance, composing), theatre. Other artistic “sub-genres” may also be considered.
- Project must be available to the public, which can include via video or livestream.
- Artist Awards do not fund:
 - Bricks and mortar activities and capital improvements, or for the purchase of permanent equipment.
 - Eliminating or reducing existing debt, or for contributions to an endowment fund.
 - Fundraising efforts, such as social events or benefits.
 - Prizes and awards.
 - Hospitality expenses, such as food and beverages for openings or receptions. Under no circumstances will the purchase of alcoholic beverages be supported.
 - Events or projects completed prior to the date of the award or more than 6 months after the date of the award.
 - Activities which are part of a graduate or undergraduate degree program, or for which academic credit is received.
 - Applications for projects that proselytize or promote religious activities, or which take place as part of a religious service.
 - Performances and exhibitions not available to the general public, or which are inaccessible to people with disabilities.

Requirements

- Project must list ACA as a supporter in all promotional materials.
- Funds must be used within a year of the award.

Application Details

- Application and all support materials are due March 1, 2024.
- Materials should be submitted electronically to: newportarts@gmail.com (subject: ACA Artist Award Application).

More Information

- Finalists will be informed via e-mail approximately 4 weeks after the due date.
- For more information or questions, email: newportarts@gmail.com (subject: ACA Artist Award)



APPLICATION FOR ARTIST AWARD

Organization / Project name: _____

Individual contact name: _____

Address: _____

Telephone: _____ Email: _____

Project and/or Artist Website: _____

Year you joined the ACA: _____ Have you applied for an Artist Award before? Y / N

If Y, when (month/year) and for what project(s)? _____

Purpose/goal of your project: _____

Project summary: _____

How will your project be accessible to the public: _____

Please list any partners in the project: _____

Are you seeking funding/support from other resources? If so, please list them: _____

Amount requested from ACA: _____

Please include the following with your application:

- Project budget
- Project timeline
- Artist(s) bio(s)
- Photo(s) (artist headshot, project announcement/flyer, photo of project/art)

Signature _____ Date _____