

SAND COUNTY PLAYERS CONTINUING EDUCATION GRANTS

Mission Statement: Acknowledging that the arts express the essence of civilization and encourage the highest aspirations of the creative spirit, the Sand County Players, Inc. (SCP) seek to support the arts in the Adams-Friendship community. To accomplish this, the Players provide quality live theatre experiences to all ages. Participation is open to all interested persons. Any profits derived therefrom are used to enhance the environment for the arts, to further the education of our youth and to support positive community-wide endeavors.

To this end, SCP awards scholarships to deserving students. Applications need to be completed thoroughly. A point system (included) is used to determine the grant amount you will receive. BE SPECIFIC when responding below, particularly regarding the production in which you or a family member were involved and your role in the activity. **Attach additional pages if needed.** The deadline for all applications is **APRIL 1st**. Send all requested material to: Sand County Players, 297 County Road J, Coloma, WI 54930 or scan and email to sandcountyplayers@yahoo.com

Student Name:	Parent/Guardian Name(s):	Phone:
Address:		

- Personal involvement with each SCP production and the capacity in which you were involved (i.e., actor, set construction, tech crew, makeup crew, etc.):

- Performing arts experience in school (i.e., Forensics, solo/ensemble competitions, dance team, school plays/musicals, etc. You will not be credited for classes taken in choir, band, theatre, art, spectrum, etc.) List each production and the capacity in which you were involved:

- Performing arts experience in the community (i.e., Prairie Fire, community choir, 4-H, FFA, etc.). List each production and the capacity in which you were involved:

- Family involvement with SCP (i.e., director/producer, production crew, actor, makeup/hair, set construction, etc.):

- Include at least one letter of recommendation from a SCP member (not a family member).
- Attach an acceptance letter from your chosen college/technical school/institution.
- Attach a photo of yourself (may be used for publicity in the local newspaper and on the SCP website/social media).
- Attach an essay explaining:

How are the performing arts an important part of our community?

OR

How have you benefited from involvement in the performing arts?

All applications must be received by April 1st to be considered. SCP reserves the right to adjust awards as deemed appropriate. Applicants with SCP involvement will receive first consideration. Recipients of SCP Continuing Education Grants may re-apply for additional grants in following years as long as they remain in good academic standing. This application should include proof of continuing education and a letter with educational goals/plans.

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Date Received: _____ Score: _____ Initials: _____

Considerations for SCP Continuing Education Grants

I. Applicant's SCP participation

- 6 pts. Significant SCP participation over multiple shows
- 5 pts. Moderate SCP participation over multiple shows
- 4 pts. Limited SCP participation over multiple shows
- 3 pts. Some/one-time participation
- 0 pts. No SCP participation

II. Applicant's community participation in the performing arts (Prairie Fire, ACT, 4-H, FFA, any musical/theatrical group that performs for the public)

- 4 pts. Significant over multiple shows
- 3 pts. Moderate over multiple shows
- 2 pts. Limited over multiple shows
- 1 pt. Some/one-time participation
- 0 pts. No participation

III. Applicant's school participation in the performing arts (drama, musicals, solo/ensemble, dance team, forensics; NOT classes taken)

- 4 pts. Significant over multiple shows
- 3 pts. Moderate over multiple shows
- 2 pts. Limited over multiple shows/years
- 1 pt. Some/one-time participation
- 0 pts. No participation

IV. Applicant's family member's SCP participation

- 5 pts. Significant SCP participation over multiple shows
- 4 pts. Moderate over multiple shows
- 3 pts. Limited SCP participation over multiple shows
- 1 pt. Some/one-time participation
- 0 pts. No SCP participation

Possible scholarship awards

- 2-3 pts. \$100
- 3-4 pts. \$100-\$200
- 5-6 pts. \$200-\$300
- 7-8 pts. \$300-\$400
- 9-10 pts. \$400-\$500
- 11 pts. and up Consider \$500+