



## Delaware Arts Festival Association

P.O. Box 589, Delaware, Ohio 43015

Dear Art Scholarship Supporter

Plans for the 2019 Delaware Arts Festival for scholarships are well under way! We are looking forward to another successful event located in Historic Downtown Delaware! This year, **May 18 and 19, 2019** are the dates for the **46th annual celebration** of student art and scholarship in the heart of our beautiful community. It is one of the most anticipated family events in the area.

Your sponsorship, in addition to great advertising for you, makes a significant impact on the lives of young artists as they pursue their education at all levels from kindergarten through a college degree! In addition, grants for teachers, books for local libraries, and the opportunity to showcase student and professional artists are made possible by this single event.

The Delaware Arts Festival is a true community event dedicated to the students in Delaware County and their continued education in the visual arts. The huge crowd, (estimated at 20,000 over two days) impacts the local economy and is a major tourism event. In addition to celebrating the visual arts, performing arts, and local nonprofits, it is a time when the alumni of Ohio Wesleyan University return to Delaware and become a part of the community once more.

As you can see, this is a wonderful sponsorship opportunity and a chance to make a difference in our community. By being a financial supporter, your business is seen as a committed community member, giving you the opportunity to make connections with potential clients and customers.

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### Listed below are some facts about our festival for participation consideration:

- **2019 is the 46th year for this festival** dedicated to the students of Delaware County!
- **The Delaware Arts Festival will award three scholarships worth a total of \$20,000**, the largest being \$8000.
- The Delaware Arts Festival awards \$10,000 grants to art teachers for special events, art materials and equipment not covered in their budget.
- This Festival provides a student art show, awarding ribbons and prize premiums at the downtown library branch. All schools in Delaware county are invited to present prior to and during the festival.
- The Delaware Arts Festival is a 501c3 charitable organization, totally dedicated to visual art education.
- The Delaware Arts Festival is a 2 day festival in Historic Downtown Delaware that offers free entertainment and high quality arts and crafts at affordable prices to the citizens of our community.

We hope you will elect to join us for this very worthwhile event. We would appreciate your reply by Friday, **March 1, 2019**.

Attached is a list of opportunities and response information

### DAFA Sponsorship levels:

\$10,000. = Your company name included as 2019 Delaware Arts Festival *for Scholarships*, brought to you by: (*your Company Name*) For this level we would like to meet personally to present details of this event and share ideas for maximum exposure for your business.

\$1000. = Major Sponsorship level: 10' x 10' booth space, logo displayed on all printed materials and at the festival information booth.

\$500. = Logo displayed at the festival information booth and on all printed materials.

\$250. = Name printed on materials and sponsor's lists and at the festival information booth.

This committee is made up of seasoned volunteers so that money collected over and above festival costs, are dedicated to young artist and art education.

We hope to hear from you by **March 1, 2019**, we look forward to working with you and your company.

Sincerely,  
Linda Shearer, DAFA President &  
Sponsorship Chairperson

### CONTACT INFORMATION:

via our website: [www.delawareartsfestival.org](http://www.delawareartsfestival.org)  
email Linda: [cornerframing@yahoo.com](mailto:cornerframing@yahoo.com)

### Sponsorship Commitment

**BUSINESS NAME** \_\_\_\_\_

**ADDRESS** \_\_\_\_\_

**CITY** \_\_\_\_\_ **ST** \_\_\_\_\_ **ZIP** \_\_\_\_\_

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**SPONSORSHIP LEVEL** \_\_\_\_\_

**I, the undersigned**, agree to assume any and all risks of loss due to theft, damage or injury and will follow all the rules and regulations of the DelawareArts Festival Association, Inc. regarding my associates and my participation in this festival. I will provide my own tables, chairs, racks, tent, shelter, display devices, etc. for an approximately 10' x10' open air space on a paved city street, with no electricity and where absolutely **NO** anchor stakes are allowed. My tent/shelter (if used) will be adequately frame weighted for wind. I **ALSO UNDERSTAND THAT THIS IS A SPONSORSHIP OPPORTUNITY AND I MAY NOT SELL PRODUCTS AT THIS EVENT.**

**SIGNED** \_\_\_\_\_ **DATE** \_\_\_\_\_

**Please send your sponsorship check and logo information to us as soon as possible to take advantage of all advertising opportunities, but not later than 4/20/2019**

**MAIL this COMMITMENT form TO:**

**Delaware Arts Festival, PO Box 589, Delaware, OH, 43015**