



ANGELA SVENDSEN MEMORIAL MUSIC SCHOLARSHIP

Purpose: Provide tuition assistance to a graduating high school senior from Clark County who is pursuing a degree at any accredited college or university, in either music education or music performance.

Eligibility: Students eligible to apply must:

- have a minimum cumulative high school GPA of 3.0
- submit a DVD or CD of a solo performance by the applicant (accompaniment optional)
- be enrolled at a college or university, full-time, for Fall 2012.

Deadline: Your application, letters of recommendation, official sealed transcript and other attachments must be received on or before **April 30, 2012.**

As you fill out this application, please think about what your career goals are, what your community means to you, and what you, as a citizen hope to offer to make your community a better place to live.

WHERE DO I SEND MY APPLICATION?

Please mail or hand-deliver one complete original application packet to:

Community Foundation for Southwest Washington
Angela Svendsen Memorial Music Scholarship
1053 Officers Row
Vancouver, WA 98661

If you have additional questions about this application, please contact:

Anne Digenis
Donor Services and Grants Officer
360.694.2550 or Anne@cfsww.org

WHAT HAPPENS AFTER I SEND IN MY APPLICATION?

Information from the application and attached materials is reviewed by the scholarship advisory committee. Recipients are recommended by this committee and to the Community Foundation Board of Director. Award letters are mailed to all recipients. Applicants not selected to receive a scholarship are sent written notification.

SECTION A - STUDENT INFORMATION

Name _____

Address _____

City and State _____ Zip Code _____

Telephone Number _____ E-mail Address _____

Instrument that you play: _____

Performance or education focus: _____

Music genre focus: _____

SECTION B - FAMILY INFORMATION

Father's Name _____

Is your father living? Yes No

Father's Occupation _____

Is your father employed? Yes No

Mother's Name _____

Is your mother living? Yes No

Mother's Occupation _____

Is your mother employed? Yes No

How many brothers/sisters do you have? _____

How many brothers/sisters are younger than you? _____

How many in your family will be in college next year? _____

Unusual Circumstances: If applicable, please describe how and when any unusual family or personal circumstances have affected your achievement in school, work experience, or your participation in school and community activities.

How did you hear about this scholarship opportunity?

Community Foundation Website (www.cfsww.org)

High School Counselor

TheWashBoard.Org (www.thewashboard.org)

Other: _____

SECTION C - ATTACHMENTS

- A tape or CD of a solo performance by the applicant (accompaniment optional) *Please note that this material will not be returned to the applicant. Please clearly mark this submission with your name.*
- A description of the piece of music performed on the tape or CD
- An official sealed copy of your current high school transcript
- Three letters of reference or recommendation, including one from a parent or guardian.
- On separate paper, please respond to each of the following:
 1. List your school, music activities, and community activity involvement.
 2. Which college or university do you plan to attend and why? Have you been accepted to the college or university? If not, when will you be notified?
 3. Essay – please explain in 500-750 words what music means to you personally and why you have decided to pursue a career as a professional musician or music educator. As you complete your essay, please think about your career goals, what your community means to you, and the impact you hope to have on your community as you pursue your musical goals.

CERTIFICATION:

I acknowledge decisions of the Scholarship Committee and the Community Foundation are final and that this is a competitive selection process.

I certify that the information provided is complete and accurate to the best of my knowledge. I understand that intentional misrepresentation is cause for disqualification of the **Angela Svendsen Memorial Music Scholarship**. I understand that the scholarship advisory committee shall review information on this form and all attachments and, if asked, I agree to provide proof of information I have given on this form.

I give permission for the scholarship advisory committee to contact my references and school officials for additional academic or character reference information.

If selected to receive a scholarship, I give permission for a publicity release, including the use of my name and photographic image.

Applicant's Signature _____ **Date** _____