



Dear Friend of the Arts:

Every year, the Ada Arts Council (formerly the Ada Council for the Arts) awards a merit based scholarship to an incoming student at Grand Valley State University who has demonstrated exceptional promise in the areas of visual arts or dance.

Our goal is to create a self-sustaining endowment to fund annual scholarships by raising \$30,000 over the next three years. The endowment will be administered by GVSU to benefit Michigan residents who wish to attend arts programs at Grand Valley State. So far, in addition to awarding annual scholarships, we have set aside \$8000 from generous individual donors for this endowment.

The Ada Arts Council receives no subsidies and is entirely dependent on volunteers and contributors from the community. We are deeply appreciative of past support from the community and we ask you, as a valued member of that community, to continue to promote the future of the arts within Ada and the greater Grand Rapids area.

Please consider sending your tax deductible contribution to the address listed below. One hundred percent of your contribution will go directly into the scholarship fund and will qualify you as a recognized sponsor for the coming year.

Ada Arts Council
PO Box 553
Ada, Michigan 49301

or

Ada Arts Council
554 Roundtree Lane NE
Ada, Michigan 49301

Checks should be made out to *Ada Arts Council*. Add *Scholarship Fund* in the memo line.
We are a 501c3 organization.

If you would like to find out more about our scholarship program, please call Briette Bryant at GVSU Gift Planning, 616-331-6529 or visit www.gvsu.edu/scholarships/ and type ADA ARTS in the search box.

Sincerely yours,

Phillip Vogelsang

Phillip Vogelsang,
President
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