

ATTENTION:
Art/Music Departments and Guidance Office!

**2008 Westfield Corporation Bruce Eagleson Memorial
Scholarship Awards**

THE AWARDS: There will be \$3,000 in awards presented to three recipients in honor of Bruce Eagleson, Westfield Corporation's former East Coast Vice-President of Management. Bruce was one of the originators of the CAS Arts Awards Banquet. He died on September 11, 2001 while working for Westfield at the World Trade Center. A respected leader, Bruce was a fierce advocate for students and an enthusiastic supporter of the arts. **Each of the three winners will receive a \$1,000 award.**

ELIGIBILITY: Any senior may apply for Bruce Eagleson Memorial Scholarship award. The recipient of this award does not have to be an honoree at the CAS awards banquet; however, the recipient must be a senior graduating from a CAS member high school and must be entering into higher education program leading to a degree in either the visual or performing arts.

CRITERIA:

- The candidate should be highly accomplished in at least one branch of the arts, including, but not limited to, visual, music, theater, dance, design, architecture, and the like.
- The candidate should have considerable experience in one of the arts as evidenced by involvement in shows, exhibits, performances, video productions, or the like.
- The candidate should be involved in service to his/her peers and/or community through artistic or other activities.
- The candidate should have financial need.

APPLICATION:

1. Two (2) letters of recommendation, one of which must be from the student's teacher in his/her arts specialty attesting to the level of his/her artistic accomplishment. A second letter from a school professional attesting to the student's strong character and service contribution.
2. A letter or other reliable evidence of acceptance into a higher education program leading to a degree in either the visual, performing or related arts. (A letter on school letterhead stating that you have applied to a school if acceptance has yet to be obtained.)
3. A statement of 250 words from the applicant on the following topic: **"What led you to your decision to pursue a career in the arts."** Appropriate writing style is expected.
4. Physical evidence demonstrating the candidate's artistic accomplishment. A 3 min. CD or DVD for the performing arts and **six, 4" X 6"** photographs (no slides please) for visual arts.
5. A brief financial need statement and expected college costs.

DEADLINE FOR SUBMISSION: Received by Friday, March 14, 2008

Name: _____ Branch of Art: _____
School: _____ School Address: _____
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