



## **GRANTS FUNDED**

**FY 2012**

Grants funded by the East Central Regional Arts Council during FY 2012 (July 1, 2011 to June 30, 2012).

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### **ECRAC Art In Our Schools Grant Program**

Trailview Elementary School, Mora, for the Voice of Culture Drum and Dance Residency, \$1000

Pine City Public Schools for the Doug Wood Residency, \$1000

Onamia Community Education for a Summer Pottery Workshop, \$1000

We R Able, St. Croix River Education District (SCRED), Rush City, for the Clay Narratives with Special Education Summer School Project in Pine City, \$1000

### **ECRAC Arts and Cultural Heritage Fund Grant Program for Individual Artists**

Dee Kotaska, Brook Park, for her "After the Shutter is Released-Photographic Post Processing" Project, \$2481

## ECRAC Arts and Cultural Heritage Fund Grant Program for Organizations

Franconia Sculpture Park, Shafer, for Phase 2 of the Michael Richards' Memorial Sculpture Project, "Are You Down?," \$15000

[www.franconia.org/mrichards.html](http://www.franconia.org/mrichards.html)

Cambridge-Isanti Performing Arts Committee, District 911 Community Education, Cambridge, for a presentation of Stages Theatre Company's production of, *Llama Llama Red Pajama*, \$5025

[www.hardycenter.com](http://www.hardycenter.com)

East Central MN Chorale, Cambridge, an equipment grant for Choral Risers and Shell, \$14569

[www.eastcentralmnchorale.org](http://www.eastcentralmnchorale.org)

Milaca Parks Commission, City of Milaca, for a 3 day Bluegrass Music and Art Festival '*Rec Fest 2012*', \$14920

[www.milacarecfest.com](http://www.milacarecfest.com)

Milaca Arts Center for "*Music in the Park 2012*" a series of concerts at the bandshell in Rec Park, \$9605

[www.milacaartscenter.com](http://www.milacaartscenter.com)

Braham Pie Day for the Pie Day Celebration of the Arts, \$9484

Rotation of the permanent pie art collection throughout Braham businesses; Pie-Alluia Chorus and Dance; and the Visual Arts Pie Art<sup>2</sup> Show at East Central Regional Arts Council

[www.pieday.com](http://www.pieday.com)

Braham Area High School for the Big Time Jazz Orchestra Concert, \$2635

[www.braham.k12.mn.us](http://www.braham.k12.mn.us)

Vasaloppet USA, Mora, for the production of *A Vasaloppet Trail Companion*. a radio theater performance celebrating the 40th anniversary of the Vasaloppet Cross Country Ski Race, \$6300

[www.vasaloppet.us](http://www.vasaloppet.us)

Braham Area High School, for a special Brass Residency Program and concert with The Copper Street Brass Quintet, \$9250

[www.braham.k12.mn.us](http://www.braham.k12.mn.us)

Chisago Lakes Community Education, Lindstrom, for "Artists Rubbing Elbows with Children," an after school project for participants to learn artistic techniques from local artists, \$8600

[www.chisagolakes.k12.mn.us/communityed](http://www.chisagolakes.k12.mn.us/communityed)

Franconia Sculpture Park, Shafer, for the 2012 Community Collaboration Hot Metal Pour Project, \$14,990

[www.franconia.org](http://www.franconia.org)

Mille Lacs Area Partners for Youth, Onamia, for the Mille Lacs Youth Theatre Project, \$9848  
[www.facebook.com/MilleLacsAreaSummerYouthTheatre](http://www.facebook.com/MilleLacsAreaSummerYouthTheatre)

Kanabec County Art Association, Mora, for the KCAA Celebrates 50 Years of Supporting the Arts Project. a retrospective art exhibit at the Kanabec History Center and arts learning activities at the Kanabec County Fair. \$5612  
[kcaaarts@blogspot.com](http://kcaaarts.blogspot.com)

East Central Minnesota Chorale, Cambridge, for Unum Vox, the Regional High School Honor Choir, \$15000  
[www.eastcentralmnchorale.org](http://www.eastcentralmnchorale.org)

Franconia Sculpture Park, Shafer, for the 2012 3-D Concert Series and Tour Project, \$15,000  
[www.franconia.org](http://www.franconia.org)

Paradise Community Theatre, Mora, for the Paradise Community Theatre Digital Projector Conversion Equipment and Film Festival Project Grant, \$15000  
[www.paradise-theatre.com](http://www.paradise-theatre.com)

Pine City Center for the Arts for their Personnel Grant IV, \$15,000  
[www.pinecenter.org](http://www.pinecenter.org)

Cambridge-Isanti Performing Arts Committee, District 911 Community Education, Cambridge, for a concert by Indigenous, a Native American blues-rock band, \$4050  
[www.hardycenter.com](http://www.hardycenter.com)

Hinckley-Finlayson High School, Hinckley, for a for a special Brass Residency Program and concert with The Copper Street Brass Quintet, \$9025  
[www.hf.k12.mn.us](http://www.hf.k12.mn.us)

We R Able, St. Croix River Education District (SCRED), Rush City, for dance demonstrations, dance at art exhibits and Norwegian Music at four venues-Rush City, Pine City, North Branch and Chisago Lakes, \$5585  
[www.scred.k12.mn.us](http://www.scred.k12.mn.us)

## **ECRAC K-12 Student Scholarship Program**

Jane Rundahl, Braham, Visual Art Mentorship with Patricia Wagner, \$500

Samantha Kreyer, Stanchfield, Upright Bass Lessons with Vince Osborn, \$500

Abby Salmonson, Stanchfield, St. Olaf Summer Music at Camp, \$500

Jesa Spry, Milaca, for Digital Media Academy's Summer Camp for Kids, \$500

Joseph Wolf, Grasston, for Tuba Lessons with Dr. Paul Budde, \$500

## **ECRAC/McKnight Fellowship Program**

Abby Lingle Mott, Onamia, Pottery Vessels: Personal Exploration into Textured Surface Treatments, \$7000  
[www.abbylingle.com](http://www.abbylingle.com)

Anthony Michaud-Scorza, Cambridge, Art Glass Fellowship, \$7000

## **ECRAC/McKnight Individual Artist Grant Program**

Edee Conner, Isle, Minnesota Morning/Evening Lens Project, \$1000

Stacey Foster, Pine City, Creative Nonfiction Manuscript Seminar, \$890

Mary K. Carlson, Princeton, Enhanced Photography Project, \$1000

Terri Huro, Mora, Singh-Ray Photography Filters Project, \$1000

Mary Ann Cleary, Cambridge, Handmade Pastel Sticks Project, \$1000  
[www.maryanncleary.com](http://www.maryanncleary.com)

Sharon Howell, Cambridge, MN DNR Lake Map Project, \$1000

Dale Hawkins, Mora, DSLR Project and Training, \$1000

William Cain, Lindstrom, Follow the Duck Comic Book Project, \$1000

Jeanne Hamlin, Chisago City, Seeing the Light in Expressing Artistic Vision Project, \$1000

Shelley Odendahl, Grasston, The Pilgrimages: Mindful Travel Writing and Memoir Workshop, \$1000

## **ECRAC Organization Project Grant Program**

Franconia Sculpture Park, Shafer, for the 15th Annual Art & Artists Celebration, \$5000  
[www.franconia.org](http://www.franconia.org)

Audubon Center of the North Woods, Sandstone, for the Robinson Park Climbing Mural and Osprey Sculpture Project, \$3800  
[www.audubon-center.org](http://www.audubon-center.org)

Franconia Sculpture Park, Shafer, for the 2012 Docent-Led Tours and Kids Make Sculpture Workshops, \$5000  
[www.franconia.org](http://www.franconia.org)

## ECRAC Small Art Project Grant Program

Milaca Fine Arts Council/Center for the Arts, Children's Art Show, \$500  
[www.milacaartscenter.com](http://www.milacaartscenter.com)

Northern Exposures Photography Club, Brook Park, Pictures in Paradise, \$495  
[www.mnartists.org/NEPC](http://www.mnartists.org/NEPC)

We R Able, St. Croix River Education District (SCRED), Rush City, Two Nordic Folk Concerts, \$500  
[www.scred.k12.mn.us](http://www.scred.k12.mn.us)

District #477 Princeton School-Age Child Care Program (SACC) New Adventures in the Arts Field Trips,  
\$500

We R Able, St. Croix River Education District (SCRED), Rush City, Two Scandinavian Concerts, \$500  
[www.scred.k12.mn.us](http://www.scred.k12.mn.us)

## IMAGE Art Show

The Kanabec County Art Association will host the IMAGE Art Show 2012 as part of their 50th anniversary celebration on October 19 and 20, 2012, at the Ogilvie High School, \$10,000

For more information on any of these grants or grant programs contact:  
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