



REQUEST FOR PROPOSALS

The Blue Water Arts Committee of the Community Foundation of St. Clair County is seeking grant proposals for a youth guitar give-away program.

Grant Program Details

- A. Five individual grants
- B. Each grant will consist of five youth guitars – Washburn guitars each with a hard case
- C. Applicants may indicate their size preference: either Full Size or Folk Size or some combination of both
- D. Guitars will be delivered to each of the five grant recipients
- E. Grant applications are due by October 31, 2018. Award decisions will be made before Thanksgiving and guitars will be delivered before school resumes in January of 2019

Grant Requests

- A. Schools and/or organizations seeking a grant will submit an EZ Grant Application, which is available on the Foundation's website
- B. Grant requests do not require any matching funds
- C. Applicants must indicate how they intend to put these guitars into the hands of youth in their community
- D. Applicants should explain what plans they have, if any, to provide lessons to the youth receiving the guitars
- E. If guitars are to be shared among a group of youth, applicants will need to explain how that process will be managed
- F. Applicants must demonstrate an ability to engage, follow up, and monitor the use of each guitar. A brief annual report will be required in each of the two calendar years immediately following the grant award

Submission Details

- A. EZ Grant Applications may be emailed to: Derek@stclairfoundation.org
- B. Hard copies may be mailed to the Community Foundation at: 500 Water Street, Port Huron, MI 48060

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