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NDCA Awards \$537,138 in Grants across the State

The North Dakota Council on the Arts (NDCA) awarded \$537,138 in the Fiscal Year 2016 Spring grant round. Funds were awarded in nine different grant programs: Artist in Residence, Community Arts Access, Individual Artist Fellowships, Institutional Support, Folk & Traditional Arts Apprenticeship, Professional Development, Presenter Support, Special Projects, and STEAM Team. All applications were evaluated by grant review panels and all awards were subject to approval by the NDCA’s board of directors.

General descriptions of the different grant programs, complete guidelines and application instructions for all NDCA grant programs, are available on NDCA’s web site at www.nd.gov/arts; or by calling NDCA’s office at (701) 328-7590.

The North Dakota Council on the Arts offers warm congratulations to all of our grant recipients and thanks to all those fostering a better quality of life in our state through their involvement with the arts.

For easy reference, the awarded grants are listed below by grant program. The city of the applicant is listed first, followed by the applicant/organization name, artist or apprentice name, and the award amount.

ARTIST IN RESIDENCE

CITY	SCHOOL NAME	ARTIST NAME	GRANT AMT
Bismarck	Grimsrud Elementary School	Ali LaRock	\$1,865
Bismarck	Highland Acres Elementary School	Ali LaRock	\$1,822
Bismarck	Prairie Rose Elementary School	Ali LaRock	\$1,312
Bismarck	Pride Inc.	Robin Reynolds	\$944
Minto	Minto School District	Cultural Kaleidoscope - Russian	\$2,730

COMMUNITY ARTS ACCESS

CITY	ORGANIZATION NAME	GRANT AMT
Bowdon	Bowdon Development Center, Inc.	\$2,000
Carrington	Foster County Historical Society	\$2,000
Casselton	Rural Cass Community Theatre Inc.	\$2,000

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Cavalier	Cavalier Chamber of Commerce	\$1,000
Hankinson	Hankinson Park Board	\$2,000
Harvey	Harvey Lions Club	\$1,500
Hettinger	Hettinger Public School	\$2,000
Lisbon	Sheyenne Fine Arts Assn	\$2,000
Oakes	Oakes Public School	\$1,800
Rugby	Geographical Center Historical Society (Prairie Village Museum)	\$2,000
Stanley	Foundation for Life Enrichment, Inc.	\$2,000
Valley City	Valley City Park District	\$1,500
Walhalla	Gorge Arts and Heritage Council	\$2,000

FOLK AND TRADITIONAL ARTS APPRENTICESHIPS

CITY	MASTER ARTIST NAME	APPRENTICE NAME	GRANT AMT
Belcourt	Maureen L Williams (Belcourt, ND)	Sheila Poitra	1950.00
Belcourt	Ryan Keplin (Belcourt, ND)	Craig Lunday	2500.00
Benedict	Gerald Schlag (Minot, ND)	Palmer Lindlauf	2500.00
Bismarck	Dakota Goodhouse (Bismarck, ND)	Robert Grey Eagle	2500.00
Devils Lake / Grand Forks	Diane Hubbard (Devils Lake)	Mavis Grant / Harmony Lindgren	2499.00
Fargo	Denise K Lajimodiere (Moorhead, MN)	Megan Sennie	2497.00
Fargo	Dzenan Becic (Sabin, MN)	Lorie Anderson	2500.00
Fargo	Gary Paulsen	Joel D Simons	1750.00
Fargo	Loy Larson	Tristan Quibell	1700.00
Fargo	Loy Larson	Sara Smith	1400.00
Fargo	Robert (Bud) Larsen (Brainerd, MN)	Aaran Joneson	2189.00
Fargo	Robert (Bud) Larsen (Brainerd, MN)	Gaylord (Guy) Paulson	2189.00
Hoople	Dean Hagen (Maddock, ND)	Ty Smith	2491.00
Jamestown	Meridee Erickson-Stowman (Tower City)	Sabrina Hornung	1941.00
St. John	Maureen L Williams (Belcourt, ND)	Mary Lee Vandal	1950.00
Minot	John Martinson	Levi Schoneck	2180.00
New Town	D Joyce Kitson (Bismarck, ND)	Prairie Rose Seminole	2500.00
Osnabrock	Diane K Schill (Hannah, ND)	Anita Seavey / Alice Seavey	2306.00

INDIVIDUAL ARTIST FELLOWSHIP

CITY	RECIPIENT NAME	GRANT AMT
Grand Forks	Guillermo Guardia	\$2,500
Minot	Ryan Stander	\$2,500

INSTITUTIONAL SUPPORT

CITY	ORGANIZATION NAME	GRANT AMT
Belcourt	Turtle Mountain Tribal Arts Association	\$5,216
Bismarck	Bismarck Art & Galleries Association	\$7,421
Bismarck	Bismarck-Mandan Civic Chorus	\$4,402

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Bismarck	Bismarck-Mandan Orchestral Association	\$9,790
Bismarck	Central Dakota Children's Choir	\$7,909
Bismarck	Dakota Stage Ltd	\$7,438
Bismarck	Dakota West Arts Council	\$6,416
Bismarck	Missouri Valley Chamber Orchestra	\$4,846
Bismarck	Northern Plains Dance	\$8,542
Bismarck	Sleepy Hollow Theatre & Arts Park	\$8,241
Bismarck	THEO	\$7,120
Cando	Cando Arts Council, Inc.	\$9,590
Devils Lake	Arts Council of the Lake Region	\$9,960
Devils Lake	Lake Region Heritage Center	\$6,050
Dickinson	DSU Art Gallery	\$6,753
Dickinson	Ukrainian Cultural Institute	\$7,870
Fargo	Fargo Public Schools Development Foundation	\$10,000
Fargo	Fargo Theatre Mgmt Corp	\$10,000
Fargo	Fargo-Moorhead Ballet	\$3,130
Fargo	Fargo-Moorhead Opera Company	\$9,775
Fargo	Fargo-Moorhead Orchestral Association	\$10,000
Fargo	FM Area Youth Symphony	\$7,280
Fargo	FM Visual Artists	\$4,173
Fargo	Lake Agassiz Girls Choir, Inc.	\$3,130
Fargo	Learning Bank	\$7,058
Fargo	Northern Prairie Performing Arts (FMCT)	\$9,243
Fargo	Plains Art Museum	\$10,000
Fargo	Spirit Room	\$3,208
Fargo	The Arts Partnership	\$7,805
Fargo	Theatre B	\$6,781
Grand Forks	Artwise	\$9,440
Grand Forks	Empire Arts Center	\$6,790
Grand Forks	Grand Forks Master Chorale	\$10,000
Grand Forks	Greater Grand Forks Community Theatre	\$4,724
Grand Forks	Greater Grand Forks Symphony Association	\$10,000
Grand Forks	ND Ballet Company	\$3,779
Grand Forks	ND Museum of Art	\$10,000
Grand Forks	North Valley Arts Council	\$4,969
Jamestown	Jamestown Fine Arts Assoc	\$10,000
Langdon	Northern Lights Arts Council	\$8,013
Minot	Art Friends of NW Art Center	\$7,355
Minot	Brass Band of Minot	\$2,420
Minot	International Music Camp	\$10,000

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Minot	Minot Area Council of the Arts	\$10,000
Minot	Minot Chamber Chorale Association, Inc.	\$6,186
Minot	Minot Symphony Association	\$10,000
Minot	ND Art Gallery Association	\$8,056
Minot	Taube Museum of Art	\$7,575
Minot	Western Plains Opera	\$9,225
Moorhead	Fargo-Moorhead Chamber Chorale	\$4,100
Moorhead	Rourke Art Gallery Museum	\$7,049
New Rockford	Dakota Prairie Regional Center for the Arts	\$8,123
Pekin	Nelson County Arts Council	\$10,000
Rugby	Village Arts Inc	\$10,000
Williston	Entertainment Inc!	\$10,000
Williston	James Memorial Preservation Society	\$9,390

PRESENTER SUPPORT

CITY	ORGANIZATION NAME	GRANT AMT
Bismarck	Capitol Shakespeare	\$2,000
Bismarck	Flickertail Woodcarvers	\$2,000
Bismarck	Gallery 522	\$2,000
Bismarck	Missouri River Community Band	\$1,800
Bismarck	ND Center for the Public Good (Urban Harvest)	\$2,000
Dickinson	North Dakota Ukrainian Dance Association	\$2,000
Fargo	North Dakota State University	\$2,000
Fargo	Park District of the City of Fargo	\$2,000
Grand Forks	Northern Valley Youth Orchestras	\$2,000
Mandan	Musicians Association	\$2,000
Minot	Minot Community Concert Association	\$2,000

PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT (FY15 to date)

CITY	ORGANIZATION/ARTIST NAME	GRANT AMT
Devils Lake	Diane Grant	\$582
Fargo	Warren W Kessler Art	\$400
Grand Forks	Michelle Lucia-Ingle	\$1,000
Jamestown	Denise Jensen	\$1,000
Jamestown	Anne Carslen Center	\$1,000
Lincoln	Desiree Bondley	\$1,000

SPECIAL PROJECTS (FY15 to date)

REGION/CITY	ORGANIZATION NAME	GRANT AMT
Tower City	Maple Valley Community Arts	\$1,000

STE[A]M TEAM

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Jamestown

Jamestown Fines Arts Assoc

Bonnie Tressler

\$6,000

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