

Peter Sheridan Low Flutes Opportunity Award

STUDENT SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION INSTRUCTIONS

The *Peter Sheridan Low Flutes Opportunity Award* supports and encourages education about and performance on low flutes (alto, bass, contrabass, or lower flutes) by providing funds to individuals who are committed to education about and performance on low flutes.

Peter Sheridan, an internationally renowned flutist specializing on low flutes, has pushed the boundaries of “how low can you go” with the commission of the world’s first fully chromatic hyperbass flute in 2010. His dedication to commissioning and performing new music on the low flutes has greatly increased the repertoire of music and his compelling performances have stimulated growing interest in the range of sounds and abilities of low flutes.

The first *Peter Sheridan Low Flutes Opportunity Award* will provide a \$500 stipend to a **middle, high school or collegiate level student** residing in Wisconsin, who must use the award to pay for instrument rental, travel, lessons, performances, music, composition, or other similar activities whose main purpose is education and/or performance on low flutes. The award must be used by August 31, 2017.

After accepting the award, the recipient will be required to write a thank-you note to Mr. Peter Sheridan. The award recipient will also be asked to provide a short written report after utilizing the funds to share about the experience, along with a list of itemized expenses incurred (up to the amount of the award). A video may also be submitted. The award winner will agree to have their name published in a public acknowledgement about the award.

TEACHER RECOMMENDATION

A letter of recommendation from a music teacher should be submitted with the application.

APPLICATION INSTRUCTIONS

Please e-mail or mail completed application form with teacher recommendation by **Monday, January 16, 2017**.

Email: mfluteclub@gmail.com

Mailing address:

Madison Flute Club
1926 Rowley Ave.
Madison, WI 53726

Confirmation of acceptance will be e-mailed by February 1st, 2017. If the award winner is available, the award will be presented in person on March 4, 2017 at the 2017 [Wisconsin Flute Festival](#) in Madison, Wisconsin.

For more information about the award and the Madison Flute Club, see www.madisonfluteclub.org

Questions? Contact: mfluteclub@gmail.com

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Date received: _____

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Name: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State & Zip: _____

School Name: _____ Year/grade: _____

Phone #: _____ e-mail: _____

Briefly describe how you would use the award:

When would you take advantage of this opportunity?

Do you currently own a low flute or have access to a low flute? If so, which one(s)?

ESSAY

Please write a thoughtful essay (400 words or less) about why you would like to receive the *Peter Sheridan Low Flutes Opportunity Award*. Briefly describe who you are and why you enjoy playing the flute.

What do you like about low flutes? Why would receiving the award help you to achieve your goals?

You may submit additional pages.