



## **Geraldine Marshall** **Scholarship Application 2016-17**

Please complete an application for each child seeking scholarship. Once completed, please send to the attention of NEMPAC Scholarship Committee, at NEMPAC, PO Box 130255, Boston, MA 02113 or you may email the required application and additional documentation to [info@nempacboston.org](mailto:info@nempacboston.org). Applications are viewed by our anonymous Scholarship Committee which is made up of three NEMPAC Board Members.

**Deadline to Apply: To be considered for a Marshall Scholarship during the 2016-2017 School Year, this form must be received by June 17, 2016. Two applicants will be selected to receive a FULL tuition scholarship for music lessons or a class program of their choice.**

**Applicant criteria are listed below:**

- Applicant must be a North End Resident
- Applicant must be under the age of 18
- Applicant must have a strong interest in the arts or music programming
- Applicant (between the ages of 12 – 17 only) must provide a letter of recommendation from an individual who can speak on the candidate's community involvement and responsibility.
- Decisions will be made on a combination of musical interest and need.

**Marshall Scholarship Award is applicable for:**

- 30 minute private music lessons for one instructional year at NEMPAC with any music instructor from September 2016 – June 2017.
- Any class or after-school program tuition for a full year September 2016 – June 2017.

Good Luck!

NEMPAC Administration & State Representative Aaron Michlewitz

**Please mail completed applications postmarked by June 17, 2016 to:**

**NEMPAC  
Attn: Marshall Scholarship  
PO Box 130255  
Boston, MA 02113**

**Step 1:** The parent/guardian must complete an application for each participant seeking a scholarship. Please return the application to NEMPAC in a sealed envelope.

First Name:	Last Name:
DOB:	Age

**Parent/Guardian Information:**

Parent 1 Full Name:	Parent 2 Full Name:
Address:	Address (if different)
Apt #:	Apt #:
City/State/Zip	City/State/Zip:
Daytime Phone:	Daytime Phone:
Email:	Email:
Employer:	Employer:
(Circle) Full Time, Part Time, Unemployed, Retired	(Circle) Full Time, Part Time, Unemployed, Retired
Years with Employer:	Years with Employer:
Current Annual Salary: \$	Current Annual Salary: \$
Total Annual Household Income (if living separately, include both incomes): \$	
Number of people supported by total income:	
Number of dependent children living in family:	

**Step 2: Course/Program Information**

List Desired Course / Program:
Name of Instructor (if known):
Instrument:

**Step 3: Financial Information**

**Please include a copy of the previous tax year W-2.** Your application will not be processed until we have received your W-2. **ALL W-2 INFORMATION AND THIS APPLICATION WILL BE KEPT CONFIDENTIAL.**

**Discuss reason for scholarship request or other special circumstances that should be considered. Please be as detailed as possible.**


**Step 4: Applicant Narrative:**

Please elaborate on you or your child's current experience in the arts or music programming:


What is your current involvement (if any) with NEMPAC?


If you are over the age of 12, please write a paragraph of why you feel music programming is important to you?


If you are under the age of 12, parents please elaborate on what it would mean to you to have your child have this experience?


What kind of musical programs do you receive at your school or participate in? Please elaborate.


If you are not selected for the Marshall Scholarship, would you like to be considered for a general NEMPAC Need-based Scholarship for 2016-17? (Y/N) \_\_\_\_\_

Are you willing to sign a publicity disclosure for us to publically acknowledge this scholarship? (Y/N) \_\_\_\_\_

I verify that the above information is complete and accurate. I understand that this information will be presented to the Scholarship Committee in order to make scholarship award decisions. I understand that I must provide my previous W-2 form and the NEMPAC Scholarship Committee may request additional documentation including but not limited to, my federal income tax returns in order to independently verify the information I have presented above.

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Signature of Parent/Guardian

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Date

**The NEMPAC Scholarship Committee will review your application and make a decision by August 1<sup>st</sup> 2016! Good Luck! If you are not selected for the Marshall Scholarship Program, NEMPAC will be in touch if you would like to be considered for the NEMPAC general scholarship fund.**