

women's fund

OF GREATER LA CROSSE, INC.

"Helping Others Bloom" *2012 Artist of the Year*

The **Women's Fund** of Greater La Crosse, Inc., is searching for their 2012 Artist of the Year. The Artist of the Year will be recognized throughout 2012, including being an honored guest at the Women's Fund Fall Luncheon as well as other events. The selected artwork will be featured on items such as note cards and posters to be sold at various Women's Fund events. Entries are due on or before December 31, 2011 and may be mailed to the Women's Fund of Greater La Crosse, Inc., P.O. Box 654, La Crosse, WI 54602-0654.

Rules:

1. All artwork must honor the Women's Fund **theme** "*Helping Others Bloom.*"
2. Each entry must be a two-dimensional piece that will allow us to scale it down to an 8.5"x 11" piece, thereby allowing it to be professionally copied for note cards and other items as needed.
3. You may submit the original painting and/or submit a professional quality digital image.
4. Do not place any words on the artwork other than your signature.
5. There is no limit to the number of designs that can be submitted by an artist.
6. Previous "Women's Fund Artist of the Year" recipients are allowed to submit additional pieces.
7. The winning entry will become the property of the Women's Fund during the year in which the artwork selected will be featured. Other entries will be returned if the artist provides a self-addressed stamped envelope.
8. If the creator of the winning piece wishes to donate it to the Women's Fund, thereby allowing them to raise additional funds for the organization, it will be gratefully accepted.
9. Decision of the Board of Directors of the Women's Fund is final.
10. Entries are due on or before December 31, 2011.
11. The selected artist will be notified no later than February 6, 2012.
12. The selected artist will be invited to various Women's Fund events in 2012.
13. All entries must be accompanied by the submission form found at the bottom of this page. Additional copies of this form can be obtained from our website at www.WomensFundLaCrosse.org.
14. For further questions, please call Administrative Coordinator Melissa Schultz at 608-780-5710.

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2012 Women's Fund Artist of the Year Submission Form

Name: _____

Address: _____

Age: 17 or under _____ 18 or over _____

Phone # _____

E-mail address: _____

Please mail to:

**Women's Fund of Greater La Crosse
P.O. Box 654
La Crosse, WI 54602-0654**

I understand this artwork will become the property of the Women's Fund for 2012 and if it is chosen as the winning piece, I thereby authorize the Women's Fund to reproduce it for the purpose of advancing its mission '*to enrich the lives of women and girls so they can do the same for others.*' I further understand that this includes printing my artwork on note cards and posters as needed, all of which will be sold to benefit the Women's Fund. If my artwork is chosen, I will not create a duplicate or sell any copies I may make of the winning piece until January 1, 2013.

Signature _____ Date _____