

THE MSGR. JOSEPH C. ANSALDI SCHOLARSHIP

MISSION

The Msgr. Joseph C. Ansaldi Scholarship was founded in 2016 after the passing of the beloved chaplain of The Minty Organization, Msgr. Joseph C. Ansaldi. Msgr. Ansaldi, as principal of St. Joseph-by-the-Sea High School, oversaw the construction of a state-of-the-art auditorium for the school's performing arts department. While at Sea, and as Chaplain of Msgr. Farrell High School, St. Joseph Hill Academy, and St. Peter's Boys High School, Msgr. Ansaldi was a strong supporter of the Arts and of the students involved in the Arts. This scholarship was created to support and recognize those students, who through their Catholic education and involvement in the Performing Arts carry on the spirit of Msgr. Ansaldi.

CRITERIA

All applicants must meet the following criteria to be eligible for the scholarship:

- Currently enrolled as a Junior or Senior in a Staten Island Catholic high school;
- In good Academic Standing; and
- Have participated in at least one Staten Island Catholic high school's Performing Arts program (drama or musical) for each of the last two academic years.

SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION DEADLINE

All scholarship applications must be submitted by 5pm on December 3, 2021. Submissions will only be accepted via e-mail to education@mintys.org.

SELECTION OF SCHOLARSHIP RECIPIENTS & AWARDING OF SCHOLARSHIP

On or around December 20, 2021, the Board of Directors of The Minty Organization for the Performing Arts will announce up to three (3) recipients for The Msgr. Joseph C. Ansaldi Scholarship. The Scholarship will be awarded at The Minty Awards Dinner on January 13, 2022 at Nicotra's Ballroom.

All entries must be typed or printed in black or blue ink.

I. Biographical Information

Name: _____

Address: _____

Home Phone: _____ Cell Phone: _____

Email: _____

Date of Birth: _____ MALE FEMALE (circle one)

II. Educational Information

Current High School: _____

Current Class Year: _____ Expected Year of Graduation: _____

Most Recent Grade Point Average: _____

Previous High Schools attended, if any: _____

III. School Performing Arts Involvement

List all involvement in school-related Performing Arts program below, as grouped by year. Use additional paper if necessary.

2020 – 2021 School Year (*to date*)

School: _____ Director: _____

Production: _____ Role: _____

School: _____ Director: _____

Production: _____ Role: _____

2019 – 2020 School Year

School: _____ Director: _____

Production: _____ Role: _____

School: _____ Director: _____

Production: _____ Role: _____

2018 – 2019 School Year

School: _____ Director: _____

Production: _____ Role: _____

School: _____ Director: _____

Production: _____ Role: _____

2017 – 2018 School Year

School: _____ Director: _____

Production: _____ Role: _____

School: _____ Director: _____

Production: _____ Role: _____

IV. Community Performing Arts Involvement

List all involvement, if any, in community Performing Arts programs below, from your most recent back to 2017. Use additional paper if necessary.

Organization: _____ Director: _____

Production: _____ Role: _____

Organization: _____ Director: _____

Production: _____ Role: _____

Organization: _____ Director: _____

Production: _____ Role: _____

Organization: _____ Director: _____

Production: _____ Role: _____

V. Other School & Community Involvement

VI. Personal Statement

In 500 words, please describe how your Catholic education and being a member of the Catholic high school Performing Arts community on Staten Island has shaped you into the person you are today, especially in light of the events of the last year.

Please attach a separate document with your Personal Statement.

VII. Affirmation

I hereby give permission for The Minty Organization for the Performing Arts, Inc. to use my image and/or any portion of my application it may select for promotional purposes. I understand that The Minty Organization for the Performing Arts, Inc. requires all applicants for scholarships to give such permission.

I hereby state that all the information contained in this packet and supporting documents is true and that my application and any potential scholarship will be revoked if I have intentionally provided falsified information.

Applicant Signature:

Parent/Guardian Signature (if under 18):

Date
