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Dear Friends,

When was the last time you wished upon a star? Can you remember what you wished for? The Arts Council of Martin County has a very special wish that involves you.

On **Thursday evening, February 13th**, Arts Council would like you to join them in honoring the 2014 student and professional *mARTies* Award recipients for their outstanding commitment to the arts in our community.

Beginning at 6PM, guests will mingle beneath the twinkling stars and lights in the courtyard of St. Mary's Episcopal Church and sample the dazzling array of food crafted by the best chefs in Martin County. Live student performances and visual art displays will light up the cocktail reception, before guests move into the Pittenger Center for a lively and entertaining awards ceremony.

Are you willing to take a moment to review the enclosed Sponsor Benefits package and reflect on how much your support can make a local artist's dream come true? ***Sponsors at the \$2500 level and above will receive an exclusive invitation to the Jewels of the Arts reception to be held at the home of Jane Davis Doggett on Jupiter Island.***

"Every great dream begins with a dreamer. Always remember you have the strength, the patience, and the passion to reach for the stars to change the world." —Harriet Tubman

Thank you for your thoughtful consideration.

Warm regards,

Karen Janson and Nancy Scully

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Patron of the Arts \$5,000

- Reserved *premiere table* for 8 guests
- Creative promotional gift for all guests branded with your logo
- Inside front or back cover program ad & your business will receive full page ad in Martin Arts quarterly magazine
- A formal plaque and letter of appreciation to display at your area business
- Verbal recognition at the awards ceremony
- On site reserved parking for two vehicles
- Your business will be mentioned in pre- and post event ad/media coverage
- Event lapel pins for you and your guests for complimentary beverages
- Creative onsite signage opportunity: Check in, gift bags, bar
- Sponsor board recognition
- [Exclusive invitation to the Jewels of the Arts reception at the home of Jane Davis Doggett on Jupiter Island.](#)

Benefactors (2) \$2,500

- Reserved *premiere* seating for 4 guests
- Underwrite scholarship for students or reward for professional artist; onstage check presentation
- Half page program ad & your business will receive a 1/2 page ad in Martin Arts quarterly magazine
- A formal plaque and letter of appreciation to display at your business
- On site reserved parking for one vehicle
- Your business will be mentioned in pre and post event ad/media coverage
- Event lapel pins for you and your guests to receive complimentary beverages
- Sponsor board recognition
- [Exclusive invitation to the Jewels of the Arts reception at the home of Jane Davis Doggett on Jupiter Island.](#)

Curators \$1,000

- Reserved *premiere* seating for 2 guests
- Half Page ad in the ceremony program
- Formal acknowledgement during the ceremony
- Your business will be highlighted in Martin Arts quarterly magazine
- A formal plaque and letter of appreciation to display at your business
- Event lapel pins for you and your guests to receive complimentary beverages
- Sponsor board recognition

Collectors \$500

- Reserved seating for 2 guests
- Business card ad in ceremony program
- Your business will be highlighted in Martin Arts quarterly magazine
- Letter of appreciation from the Arts Council to display at your business
- Sponsor board recognition

Friend \$250

- Letter of appreciation from the Arts Council to display at your business/sponsor board recognition/1 guest ticket



Sponsorship Form

Sponsor Name/Company: _____

Contact: _____

Address: _____

City/Zip _____

Email: _____ Phone: _____ Fax _____

We are pleased to support the 2014 *mARTies* Awards at the sponsorship level indicated:

<input type="checkbox"/> Patron of the Arts	Reserved seating for 8/ Cover ad size 4.5W X 7.5H	\$5,000
<input type="checkbox"/> Benefactors	Reserved seating for 4/half page ad 4.5W X 7.5H	\$2,500
<input type="checkbox"/> Curators	Reserved Seating for 2/Half page ad 4.5 X 3.5H	\$1,000
<input type="checkbox"/> Collectors	Reserved Seating for 2/Business card ad	\$ 500
<input type="checkbox"/> Friend of the Arts	See Sponsor Benefits Page	\$ 250
<input type="checkbox"/> Other	To Be Determined	\$ _____

Camera-ready, digital (jpeg or pdf) files must be submitted prior to **December 13**. All ads are B&W. My program ad:

____ is enclosed ____ has been emailed to ekeller@martinarts.org ____ will arrive by Dec. 13

Signature: _____ Date : _____

Please complete form and return with check payable to:

The Arts Council of Martin County 80 East Ocean Boulevard Stuart, FL 34994
P:772-287-6676 www.martinarts.org F:772-288-5301

Thank you for your support of the Arts





The Arts Council of Martin County has been a leader in the arts community for more than 30 years. By providing services to visual and performing artists, arts organizations, students and the public, the Arts Council strives to instill a passion for and participation in the arts.

Our **sponsor partnerships** are integral in our ability to provide this community with quality programs, grants and scholarships, and to help open doors to students who wish to pursue a career in the arts. Some of the ways we accomplish these initiatives are:

ArtsFest: Annually our juried arts show draws approximately 16,000 people and more than 150 artists. Over the past 25 years 416,000 people have participated in this award winning arts weekend that highlights achievement in visual arts and provides attendees with entertaining performing arts programming.

mArties Awards: Martin County is fast becoming a beacon for the arts. From nationally recognized visual and performing artists, Martin County demographics have changed from a mostly seasonal destination, to a sought after, year- round community that attracts and retains families who value the wonderful environmental and cultural opportunities for children and adults. Founded in 2008, the mARTies Awards recognizes professional and student artists, as well as individuals and businesses that support the arts and make Martin County a great place to live. Beginning in 2014, scholarship awards will be given to the student winners in each category.

Cultural Center: Located in downtown Stuart, the Cultural Center is a hub of activity throughout the year, as well as the administrative offices of the Arts Council. Annually, we host 4-5 exhibitions drawing 2,500 residents and visitors. In addition, we work with our local tourism agency to promote *ARTin' in mARTin* and attract visitors to our area; produce a quarterly 4-color magazine that details community cultural events other special events and provide much needed space for other cultural events, such as Stuart Jazz Jams and Festival of Trees for Tykes and Teens.

Many generous individuals and businesses have helped the Arts Council of Martin County grow to better serve the cultural needs of our community. It is our hope that you have had the opportunity to experience one of our many offerings throughout the years and may consider our organization as an important part of your charitable outreach to the community.

The Arts Council is sponsored in part by the Florida Department of State, Division of Cultural Affairs, the Florida Council on Arts & Culture, City of Stuart, Martin County Board of County Commissioners, and private contributions.