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## **Upholding the Standards One Generation at A Time**

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Dear (Scholar)

On behalf of Aerial Arts America (AAA), I would like to congratulate you for being one of the three scholars selected for year \_\_\_\_\_. The selection process includes the practical audition, written interview, and your viable long term commitment in the aerial arts discipline pursuant to Aerial Arts America's mission statement.

As an ambassador to Aerial Arts America, we hope that your continued education and progress will inspire our community in many forms. The scholarship grant will be in the form of a tuition grant in the amount of \$500 to be applied to any aerial arts class package/ tuition fee, workshops and like offered by any approved AAA vendor/ school aka "vendor". Every approved vendor is required to provide service to the scholar at a 20% reduced rate, as a condition to receiving the tuition.

It is the scholar's responsibility to inform the school (vendor) regarding this conditions set forth and for the vendor to apply with AAA if the vendor is not yet an approved provider. Click here to learn more about how to become an <u>Approved Vendor</u>.

The scholar is also required to participate as a competitor at the West Coast Aerial Arts festival on the same year said scholar is receiving funds. The funds must be used on the designated year (which is normally the year she was accepted as a scholar). Funds will be disbursed to the approved vendor at the end of the designated year.

The following is a list of services that AAA will fund:

- 1. Regular aerial class tuition
- 2. Aerial arts workshop by the vendor. Instructor must be a regular coach or sponsored coach by the vendor.
- 3. Private lessons rendered by the vendor.
- 4. Workshops offered by Aerial Arts America

Please be informed that registration/ competition fee at the West Coast Aerial Arts Festival is not eligible for this grant.

As a scholar, it is your obligation to <u>formally communicate (via email)</u> your intention when and to whom the funds will be disseminated with the following conditions:

- That the scholar maintains sufficient aerial arts training, regardless of who is funding the training. Sufficient training shall be no less than 5 hours a week. A statement under oath is required to be submitted before any scholarship training is given.
- When the scholarship training commences, the scholar is required to attend continuous aerial arts training whether under the scholarship funds or otherwise.
- The funds must be applied within the annual designated year.
- All taxes associated with the scholarship grant shall be deemed the responsibility of the recipient or its parent/ guardian. A W-9 form would need to be submitted to Aerial Arts America. And a 1099 form will be served on the scholar (or her parent/ guardian)

We look forward to your acceptance by response as it relates to when you want to commence your scholarship grant. We shall notify you if we have other approved vendors in place.

Thank you ... and once again, we congratulate you!

Ruby Karen
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PLEASE SIGN, PRINT (for your copy) and SUBMIT

I, (Student/ Parent)	on behalf of (scholar's name)
have read the above dated	, AAA Scholarship Acceptance Notification Letter.
I acknowledge, understand, appro it relates to my (or my child's) scho	ve and agree to the guidelines and policies as outlined in the letter as plarship grant.
SIGNATURE	