***Emmie & Rex Neate Fund - Bursaries to individuals***

1 Applicants should be preferably under 25 years of age, in (or recently in) full time education and/or resident in the Isle of Purbeck area.

Priority will be given to:

1. school leavers who have been accepted to study an art subject (art, music, dance etc.) at university or college,
2. those who have graduated and are starting a career in the arts,
3. younger students studying at a specialist music or dance school or taking specialist art courses.

2 Applicants must be able to demonstrate their ability by:

*Undergraduates and Students*

1. submitting exam results,
2. providing an explanation of how they will benefit from the proposed course of study,
3. supplying contact details for a current teacher, who will be asked to provide an endorsement on their ability.

*Graduates*

1. submitting degree results,
2. providing an explanation as to how a grant will enable them to develop their career,
3. contact details of an academic referee, who will be asked to provide an endorsement of their achievements and ability.

All applicants must provide the name and email address of a second referee who has known them personally for at least two years.

3 If a grant is made, the applicant must undertake to:

1. formally acknowledge receipt of the grant by letter/e-mail,
2. only use the grant for the purpose applied for,
3. consider providing some form of performance for an awards evening or similar occasion, as requested by the trust
4. in due course provide evidence of the benefit received from the grant e.g. a written update with photos/video etc. e-mailed to us.