

The Oak Park Recorder School – 2025 Scholarship Information

Main Goals of the Fund

To provide scholarships for students who plan serious study of the recorder in conjunction with attendance at the *Early Music Festival* held at the University of Wisconsin-Whitewater.

Rules Governing Applications and Distribution of Funds:

- ❖ An Application Form shall be filled out and returned to Pamela Wiese, 411 Ashland Ave 5D, River Forest IL, 60305, (708) 435-4442, by March 28, 2025. An electronically submitted form complete with signature is acceptable.
- ❖ The application must include information about the person's playing ability, future plans for playing the recorder, and reason for the request.
- ❖ The maximum amount of any such scholarship or grant awarded shall be \$225. Grantee is responsible for the balance of the tuition including the non-refundable deposit.
- ❖ Subsequent years' awards may be given preference to an applicant who has not received a prior award.
- ❖ Scholarships or grants shall be decided by majority vote of the Board of the Oak Park Recorder School after receipt of an application requesting the funds.
- ❖ The Oak Park Recorder School, Inc. in admissions, employment and access to programs does not discriminate on the basis of race, color, religion, sex, national or ethnic origin.

Rules Governing Management of the Fund

- ❖ An account of the Fund will be kept as a separate entry by the Treasurer and reported in the Annual Treasurer's Report.
- ❖ An announcement will be placed in the mailing for the workshop, the announcement of the workshop in the National Magazine of the American Recorder Society and the issues of the *Recorder Reporter* (newsletter of the Chicago and West Suburban Chapters of the ARS) to encourage individuals to apply for scholarships or grants.
- ❖ Dedicated scholarship contributions are welcome and will be included future scholarship funds.
- ❖ The Board is not obligated to grant awards or assistance every year.
- ❖ In the event the Oak Park Recorder School disbands, the money previously set aside for scholarships will be given to the National ARS Scholarship Fund.
- ❖ If the person to whom a grant is made is unable to attend the workshop, the OPRS will refund any monies paid by the grantee, less the non-refundable deposit.

Oak Park Recorder School, Inc.
SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION

Early Music Festival – Whitewater, WI

Date of Application: _____

Deadline: Receipt by March 28, 2025

Please return the completed application to:

Pamela Wiese, 411 Ashland Ave 5D, River Forest, IL 60305

Phone: (708) 435-4442 e-mail: oprecorder@gmail.com

Name of Applicant: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Phone Numbers — (day) _____ (evening) _____

Email: _____ Age if under 21: _____

List your Recorder playing background and rate your ability.

In a short paragraph, describe why you are applying for the grant, how you expect to benefit and ways you will share your experience with others.

Signature:

APPLICANT

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DISCLAIMER: This information is solely for the purpose of review by the Oak Park Recorder School, Inc. Board of Directors in awarding scholarship funds for the Whitewater Early Music Festival – May 30 - June 1, 2025 Rev. 01/28/25