



Bradford County Regional Arts Council

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"Supporting the natural talent of the Bradford County region."

PENNSYLVANIA PARTNERS IN THE ARTS GRANT APPLICATIONS AVAILABLE

The **Bradford County Regional Arts Council (BCRAC)** is pleased to announce the availability of state arts funds through the Pennsylvania Partners in the Arts Program (PPA), to support arts and cultural activities occurring between September 1, 2009 – August 31, 2010. Funds are available to prior PPA applicants/recipients as well as to new applicants. **Grant requests may not exceed \$3,000. Applications must be postmarked by June 19, 2009.**

BCRAC is one of seventeen (17) regional service providers selected by the **Pennsylvania Council on the Arts (PCA)** to administer the PPA Program. BCRAC works in partnership with the PCA to design and create initiatives on a regional level that make a significant impact on arts and cultural opportunities in the North/Central PA counties of: **Bradford, Columbia, Montour, Sullivan, Susquehanna, Tioga & Wyoming.**

Funding for the PPA Program comes from the citizens of Pennsylvania through an annual state appropriation by the Legislature and from a federal grant from the National Endowment for the Arts.



The mission of the Pennsylvania Council on the Arts (PCA) is to foster the excellence, diversity, and vitality of the arts in Pennsylvania and to broaden the availability and appreciation of those arts throughout the state.

Projects that occur within the BCRAC service area (Bradford, Columbia, Montour, Sullivan, Susquehanna, Tioga & Wyoming counties) are eligible for 2009-2010 PPA funding.

For guidelines & application packets or for more information, contact Brenda S. Thomas at 570-268-2787 or by e-mail at brenda@bcrac.

Applications will soon be online at www.bcrac.org and at www.pacouncilonthearts.org.

The following grant writing workshops are available to assist you in writing your proposal and are highly recommended.

**2009 PENNSYLVANIA PARTNERS IN THE ARTS PROGRAM
WORKSHOPS FOR INFORMATION & GRANT WRITING TIPS**

Please call 268-2787 to register for one of the following
(workshops are free and open to all)

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 10

Keystone Theater

601 Main Street Towanda, PA

Noon – 2:00 p.m. (bring a bag lunch)

THURSDAY, JUNE 4

The Children's Museum

2 West 7th St., Bloomsburg, PA

Noon – 2:00 p.m. (bring a bag lunch)

If you are not able to attend one of the workshops, but would like more information on the Pennsylvania Partners in the Arts Grant Program, or have questions about your application contact Brenda S. Thomas, PA Partners in the Arts Program Coordinator at the Bradford County Regional Arts Council.

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