



Proudly bringing the Arts to our Community!

In 1998, the Kaneland Community Unit School District No. 302 and the Kaneland Arts Initiative (KAI) conceived and presented its first Fine Arts Festival, a celebration of the Arts which strives *to encourage young people's involvement in artistic endeavors and to challenge them to develop their abilities*. The Award Winning Kaneland Community Fine Arts Festival is one of just a handful of School District Arts Festivals in the State of Illinois, and quite possibly the only such event which showcases student artwork and professional visual and performing artists and ensembles in an interactive and intergenerational manner. Kaneland Arts Initiative now presents events year round, with the recent addition of the KAI Performance Series. Besides the admission-free Festival in April, the KAI Performance Series brings professional quality performing arts to the community at affordable ticket prices. Check out our various events, occurring throughout the year at the Festival website: www.kanelandartsinitiative.org

The KAI is funded by grants from the Kaneland Foundation, the Dunham Fund, Kaneland Parent Teacher Associations, the Illinois Arts Council, and through donations from local corporations and individuals. In order to provide you with these fine presentations and performances, we must raise approximately \$50,000 each year. We hope you will consider becoming a valued participant in the Kaneland Arts Initiative. KAI is a not for profit, 501(c)3 organization and your donation will be acknowledged with a tax letter and your name will appear in all or KAI's printed programs.

We Welcome Your Donation!

**YES, I realize the importance of the Fine Arts in my community.
I wish to provide a tax-deductible contribution in support of
Kaneland Arts Initiative!**

\$1000 \$500 \$250 \$100 \$50 \$25 Other \$ _____

YES, I would like 5% of my donation to go towards the KAI Fine Arts Scholarship Fund.

THIS GIFT IS MADE IN MEMORY OF HONOR OF: _____

NAME (AS IT SHOULD APPEAR ON OUR PRINTED DONOR LIST)

OR

PLEASE LIST MY GIFT AS ANONYMOUS

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YES! Please keep me up to date on the Festival and its events through email.

**Please make checks payable to KANELAND FOUNDATION,
with "KAI" written in the memo line.**

Mail to Maria Dripps-Paulson, Kaneland High School, 47W326 Keslinger Road, Maple Park, IL 60151.

Thank you for supporting the Arts in your community!

FOR MORE INFORMATION please contact Maria Dripps-Paulson, Executive Director of the KAI,
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