

Arts & Cultural Grants Awarded 2006

<u>Grants Funded</u>	<u>Project</u>	<u>Amount</u>	<u>Recipient</u>
1. Mondays in Moscow	Professional Chamber Music concerts with an early spring art show for local artists.	\$ 2,741	John Andrews
2. Ballet Theatre of Scranton	Presentation of the “Nutcracker” Ballet free of charge for the community	\$ 2,902	Nancy Salerno
3. Catholic Choral Society	Support for “Generations Sing” choral music	\$1,128	Dr. Thomas Rittenhouse
4. Choral Society of NEPA	Support for Children and Youth Program for Spring 2006/ages 5 thru high school	\$ 2,483	Alan Baker
5. Vince Brust Studios	Production of a one hour television show which includes students from the studio, community and schools doing ballroom, swing and Latin dancing	\$ 2,644	Vince Brust
6. Lexington Entertainment	5 Concerts featuring Dixieland series in underserved areas of the County	\$ 2,741	Doug Smith
7. Broadway Theatre League of NEPA	Musical theatre and dance workshops for teachers and students.	\$2,837	Tony Nicosia
8. The Lyric Consort	Support of 10 concert presentations to NEPA seasonally scheduled along with a compact disc recording, “Christmas from Saint Peter’s Cathedral including a new choral work from Internationally recognized PA composer, Jackson Hill.	\$ 2,741	Alan Baker

9. Maureen McGuigan	Local playwright's works adapted from folklore stories from PA's diverse heritage. Project will be in partnership with the South Scranton Renaissance Community Development Corporation.	\$2,579	Maureen McGuigan
10. PA Heritage Museum	Project features PA Charter Day presentation related to Welsh heritage and industrial history of the local area. Includes performance by The St. David's Welsh Male Chorus/traditional songs.	\$ 920	Chester Kulesa
11. Robert Dale Chorale	Support for the 21 st Annual Bach Festival consisting of the performance of music programs over a 2 day period locations being St. Peter's Cathedral and St. Matthew's Lutheran Church.	\$ 2,773	Steven Thomas
12. Scranton Public Theatre	Support for the 20 th annual Jason Miller Summer Theatre Festival at the newly constructed Hanlon's Grove Amphitheatre in Nay Aug Park.	\$ 2,902	Bob Shlesinger
13. Scranton Tomorrow	First Night Scranton artistic performances in and around Court House Square providing entertainment for all age groups. Features a number of local talents.	\$ 2,741	Paige Balitski
14. University of Scranton	"NEPA Regional Art 2006" display that will include the galleries located within Keystone College, Marywood College, and the Artists for Art Gallery and The University of Scranton.	\$ 3,000	Darlene Miller Lanning
15. Richard Wargo	Coach vocalists for "Mostly Opera" performances featuring Wargo's original compositions.	\$ 2,741	Richard Wargo
16. The Northeast Theatre	Support for performance of Rapunzel's Song to be presented at the TNT Space at the Jermyn.	\$ 2,579	David Zarko

17. Actor's Circle	Support for summertime series of short one-act plays to be presented at several open air venues around Lackawanna County during the summer of 2006.	\$ 2,308 Lou Bisignani
18. Community Film Project	Support for the development and promotion of regional, independent motion picture projects enabling area artists to share their areas of expertise or interest.	\$1,361 Jeffrey Fowler
19. LRCA	Lackawanna River Corridor Association. Grant money will be used in support of Riverfest, a daylong musical celebration of the Lackawanna River.	\$ 2,579 Bernard McGurl
20. Devorah Namm	Design and performance of a poetry and music event to benefit middle school and senior citizens.	\$ 2,515 Devorah Namm
21. Frank Goryl	Raku Ceramic Firing three seasonal weekends featuring the process and exhibition of the creations.	\$ 2,579 Frank Goryl
22. Scranton Local #120 American Federation of Musicians	Interactive concerts to be held at area venues to benefit area senior citizens	\$ 2,902 Doug Smith
23. Cheryl A. Kasuba	Project to present historic scenes performed at various locations in Courthouse Square	\$ 2,902 Cheryl Kasuba
24. Lackawanna Historical Society	Support to produce a historical drama based on the lives of the founders of the Scranton Century Club during Women's History Month, March 2006	\$ 2,321 Mary Ann Moran