

Zach Babat

Zach was taken from us too soon, but his legacy will live on through his art. Zach was a professional artist and Alaskan bush pilot. He split his time between Alaska and Montana, the two states with the best fish and wildlife in the world.

Zach spent over 20 years as an outdoor guide and pilot. These experiences gave him the inspiration for his artwork. He had the opportunity to get face-to-face with the wildlife species of the west.

Zach said "it is the close interaction with animals, their personalities I try to capture, not just the horns, claws, and teeth."

Zach used watercolor, transparent and opaque, to bring his animals and fish to life. He perfected the use of watercolor on canvas.

This scholarship opportunity is funded by family and friends in the hope that young artists will continue to learn, experiment, and perfect their skills.



Annual

Zach Babat

Memorial Fine Art

Scholarship



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**OUT WEST YOUNG MASTERS
ART SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM**

**OUT WEST ART FOUNDATION, INC.
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Zach Babat Memorial Fine Art Scholarship

Who Qualifies?

The scholarships are available for any Montana high school senior who plans to pursue a career in fine art or fine art education.

What kind of work qualifies for application?

The types of art to be submitted for scholarship consideration should include watercolor, gouache, graphite, oils, and/or acrylics. Wildlife preferred, but all subjects will be considered.

How are the Scholarships Chosen?

An anonymous jury selects up to two \$500 scholarships per year in two dimensional work only.

When will scholarship winner(s) be announced?

Scholarship winners will be notified immediately at the end of the jury cycle in mid-February. Winner(s) will be presented during the Out West Art Show in Great Falls during the annual Young Masters Awards Ceremony in mid-March. Winners may choose to be present or not.

Application

For any Montana high school senior

Application Specifics

Submissions must include at least 2 original images in a digital format, either on thumb drive or cd with this form. Additional images not to exceed 6 images may be included with information as indicated on the right side of this page. Do not include any frame or mat. On a separate sheet, include the following:

Any awards or shows participated in.

Any school art projects applicant participated in.

List of participation in community art projects.

Include docent or volunteer work done at an art show, museum, or gallery.

Include 2 letters of recommendation by at least one art instructor.

Monies awarded are restricted to tuition, fees, supplies and will be paid directly to accredited schools.

Submit online applications to:

Zach Babat Memorial Fine Art Scholarship Program

ronukrainetz@outwestartshow.com or mail to:

Zach Babat Memorial Fine Art Scholarship Program
PO Box 6241, Great Falls, MT 59406-6241

Deadline is January 31st of each year

Applicant information

Name _____

Address _____

City/State/Zip _____

Phone _____

Email _____

Artwork Information

Title of work _____

Medium _____

Dimensions _____

Title of work _____

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