



Grant Application

Promote appreciation and understanding of Wellfleet's shellfishery or initiate a project for the betterment of Wellfleet. Some examples of what SPAT supports include:

- Art or Craft Project
- Educational Project
- Environmental Project
- Film or Photo Exhibit
- Humanitarian Aid Project
- Literary Work
- Shellfish-Related Teaching or Learning Activity

Wellfleet S.P.A.T.
(Shellfish Promotion and Tasting)

**Organizers of the
Wellfleet OysterFest**

Wellfleet SPAT is a nonprofit organization dedicated to encouraging greater understanding and appreciation of Wellfleet's shellfishery. Because of the generous support from the Town of Wellfleet, Mid Cape Home Centers, many generous shellfishermen and women, local businesses and volunteers; we are pleased to be able to offer the ongoing SPAT Grants program.

SPAT's grant awards program provides funds to those whose creative or educational contributions increase awareness of the community's shellfishing practices and traditions, or enhance the Town of Wellfleet and support its community. Educational grants are awarded on an open rotating basis and are voted on at six annual board meetings.

- The grants will provide up to \$5,000 for use in any one given year.
- To apply, you must be sixteen years old or older.
- Wellfleet residents will receive first consideration.
- In order to be considered for an award, you must fill out the application on the back of this flyer, which includes a description of how the award money will help you in your learning (or how it would help educate others) about Wellfleet shellfishing or our shellfish. People who are not Wellfleet residents will be considered for grants if their projects are directly related to Wellfleet's shellfishery.
- You are encouraged to propose creative learning ideas. For example, you could ask for funds for an art project that explores shellfishing traditions, you could ask for support for taking a class about shellfishing and the environment, or for researching great local shellfish recipes...
- The application also requires a budget showing how the grant will be spent.
- Applications may be submitted at any time and will then be reviewed by the SPAT scholarship committee. Grant recipients will be notified within 6-8 weeks, and funding will be made available at that time.

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Grant Award Application, page 2

1. Candidate's Name:

Address: _____

Phone number: _____

E-mail: _____

2. Please describe your interest or involvement in Wellfleet's shellfishery: ____

3. Proposed grant amount: (\$5,000 or less)

4. Project description: Tell us what type of project you are developing, i.e. arts & crafts, cooking, photo or film, teaching or learning activity, etc. Attach the project description (no more than two pages) to this application form. Please use the headings below to describe what you propose to do:

a. Goals and Activities

b. How it will benefit you and/or others in the Wellfleet shellfishing community.

c. Timeframe for your project – when will it begin and end.

d. Budget for expenditures

5. Endorsement: If you are under 18 years of age, please include the endorsement of an adult relative, friend, or teacher who will stand by you in this activity, and who has reviewed this application with you.

Name: _____

Phone number: _____

Relationship to candidate: _____

Signature of endorser: _____

6. Agreement:

- I accept responsibility for the accuracy of the information provided on this application.
- I understand that if I am given an award:
 - An award check will be made out to me for the purpose of funding this project.
 - I will be asked to provide evidence of appropriate expenditures in my budget.
 - When my project is completed, I will make a brief report on the results to the SPAT board or scholarship committee, either in writing or by attending a SPAT meeting.

Applicant's Signature

Date

Please Send Your Completed Application to:

Wellfleet SPAT
P.O. Box 2156
Wellfleet, MA 02667
ATTN: SPAT Grants