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FORM A

MSHSL Foundation Application for Grant for Student Participation

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Awarding of Grants: The primary goal of the Foundation will be to award grants that assist, recognize, promote, and fund extra-curricular participation by high school students in athletic and fine arts programs. These grants will be awarded based upon gender balance, school size and geographic location to the extent possible.

The Minnesota State High School League Foundation Board of Directors has determined that the number of Free and reduced lunch students in grades 9-12 will be used for classification purposes. The MSHSL Foundation wants to encourage each school to seek students whose family income may be limited and encourage them to participate in athletic and fine arts programs in each school community and to recognize the role you play in this endeavor and to assist you in your continued efforts to engage more students.

In order to receive funds from the MSHSL Foundation, member schools must complete this form **AFTER OCTOBER 1, 2011**. The form must be submitted to the MSHSL Foundation and **POSTMARKED OR EMAILED PRIOR TO NOVEMBER 1, 2011**.

1. Please confirm the number of free and reduced lunch students identified in your October 1, 2011 report to the Minnesota Department of Education.

Grade 9:	<u>162</u>	TOTAL	<u>652</u>
Grade 10:	<u>162</u>		
Grade 11:	<u>160</u>		
Grade 12:	<u>168</u>		

2. Of that total number of free and reduced lunch students, please indicate the total number of free and reduced lunch students who participate in your school's athletic and fine arts programs.

Identify the current number of participants for the 2011-2012 fall season and add to that total the number of 2010-2011 winter and spring participants. Please list the total UNDUPLICATED number of free and reduced lunch student participants in grades 9-12. Only count each student participant one (1) time.

TOTAL 110

3. Attach a copy of the resolution approved by your school board with this application and describe how the funds you may receive will be used.

Name of School: Denfled High School Federal Tax ID # 8014301

Street Address: 401N 44th Ave West

City, State, Zip: Duluth MN 55807

Carolyn Graves
Name of Person Completing this Form

Dr. I.V. Foster, Jr.
Name of School Superintendent

Carolyn Graves
Signature

Dr. I.V. Foster, Jr.
Signature

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MSHSL Foundation
2100 Freeway Blvd.
Brooklyn Center, MN 55430-1735
www.mshslfoundation.org

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~~91~~ 91

Grade 10:

~~103~~ 103

Grade 11:

~~89~~ 89

Grade 12:

~~87~~ 87

TOTAL

380

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TOTAL

45

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DULUTH EAST H.S.

Federal Tax ID #

Street Address:

301 N. 40TH AVE E.

City, State, Zip:

DULUTH MN 55804

Name of Person Completing this Form

SHAWN ROED - A.D.

Signature

SLR

Name of School Superintendent

Dr. V. V. Foster, Jr.

Signature

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NORTHLAND FOUNDATION

October 19, 2011

Mark Hughes, Guidance Counselor
Denfeld High School - ISD #709
4405 West Fourth Street
Duluth, MN 55807

Project #5075

Dear Mr. Hughes:

I am pleased to inform you that the Northland Foundation has reviewed your proposal for the **Youth Frontiers - Respect Retreat for 9th Grade Students project** and has approved a grant of **\$2,000.00** for the period (11/1/2011 to 4/30/2011) to **Denfeld High School - ISD #709**. If the timeline for your project is different than what is identified above, please notify us and your reporting date will be adjusted.

Enclosed are two copies of the Agreement of Grantee for your review. If you agree with the conditions presented, please have one copy signed by the authorized official and return it to our office by **October 31, 2011**.

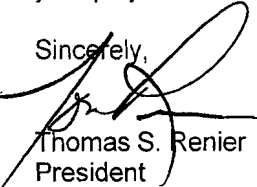
The Northland Foundation will implement a full payment schedule for this grant. If all of the grant conditions are met, this payment will be distributed in the sum of **\$2,000.00 in November 2011**.

The Northland Foundation will be making public news releases through the regional media regarding all of the grants awarded. Please utilize your community media resources to announce receipt of these funds to your project. The Northland Foundation would appreciate being acknowledged as a source of support in all news releases initiated by you. Please provide us with copies of any press coverage and photographs received by your project, as well as any media releases and program materials you produce. These will be added to your file and may be utilized by the Northland Foundation in our public information efforts.

As you will note, one of the conditions of the Agreement of Grantee is the submission of a final report on the progress, outcomes, and financial activity of your project. We will expect this report from you by **May 31, 2012**. Please provide us sufficient narrative to describe the progress and impact of your project. For your convenience, the reporting form for grants "\$5,000 and Under" is available on-line at www.northlandfdn.org/Grants/ReportingForms. The completed report can be submitted electronically to carole@northlandfdn.org. If you would like to request a paper copy of the report form, contact Carole Saylor at the Foundation.

On behalf of the Northland Foundation, I would like to extend sincere congratulations to you and your organization. Please call Carole Saylor, if you have any questions. I look forward to learning about the progress and success of your project.

Sincerely,


Thomas S. Renier
President

Enclosures

cc: Carole Saylor
Carol Chipman

AGREEMENT OF GRANTEE

As a condition of a total grant of **\$2,000.00** from the Northland Foundation to **Denfeld High School - ISD #709** to support the **Youth Frontiers - Respect Retreat for 9th Grade Students project**, the undersigned agrees:

1. To use the funds only for the designated purpose as described in the grant notification letter dated October 19, 2011 and to notify the Northland Foundation of and obtain its consent to any substantial deviations from said grant application.
2. To maintain its books and records to show, and separately account for, the funds received under this grant, and to maintain records of expenditures adequate to identify the purposes for which grant funds have been expended.
3. To permit the Northland Foundation, at its request, to have complete access to the grantee's files and records for the purpose of making such financial audits, verifications, and investigations as it deems necessary concerning the grant, and to maintain such files and records for a period of at least four years after completion or termination of the project.
4. To repay to the Northland Foundation any portion of the grant which is not used for the purposes specified herein or in the grant application.
5. To not use the funds for any purpose prohibited by law, and to immediately notify the Northland Foundation of any lawsuit or any proceedings before any federal, state, or local administrative agency, which may be initiated against it.
6. To submit progress reports to the Northland Foundation, detailing activities and progress in accomplishing the objectives of the project, as well as all expenditures made in administration of the grant, as requested by the Northland Foundation staff.
7. Upon completion of the period for which funds were granted, to submit a detailed final report of the activities carried out under the grant, a final expenditures report, and an evaluation of what has been accomplished by the project.
8. That the total amount of this grant, or any payment thereof, may be discontinued, modified or withheld at any time when, in the judgment of the Northland Foundation, such action is necessary to comply with requirements of the law.

Name of Organization or Fiscal Agent

Authorized by Organization
(Administrator, Officer, Board Chair, Superintendent)

Date

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