

Symposium for Professional Food Writers at The Greenbrier

Scholarship Application for Edible Communities Scholarship

This \$2,000 scholarship, to cover costs for the 2009 Symposium for Professional Food Writers, will be awarded to a food writer of demonstrated ability whose work pertains to honoring and preserving authentic regional foodways and embodies the Edible Communities mission of "Celebrating the Abundance of Local Foods, Season by Season." Essays and narrative non-fiction with a strong personal voice are encouraged.

Name _____

Address _____

City, State, Zip _____

Phone _____ Fax _____

E-mail _____

Please submit the following for scholarship consideration.

Two (2) writing samples, published in newspaper, magazine, book or online, or written/pre-published during the last two years; maximum of 8 pages per piece.

Necessary for Consideration:

- * Five (5) legible copies of each submission to be sent. Entries without 5 copies or submitted via e-mail or fax will not be accepted.
- * All references to writer's name and/or publication where writing was presented must be removed.
- * A short biography and this application form (1 copy of each)

Judges will score for writing style (60 points), knowledge of subject matter (15 points), topic and creative approach (15 points) and relevance - the fact that the story pertains to its topic (10 points).

Scholarship applications must be postmarked no later than February 28, 2009.

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