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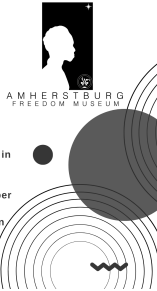


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Mac Simpson & Maturine-Romain Awards



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The Amherstburg Freedom Museum is a curated archive that preserves and shares Amherstburg's stories of the Underground Railroad, and the compassion and solidarity it took to make this network possible.

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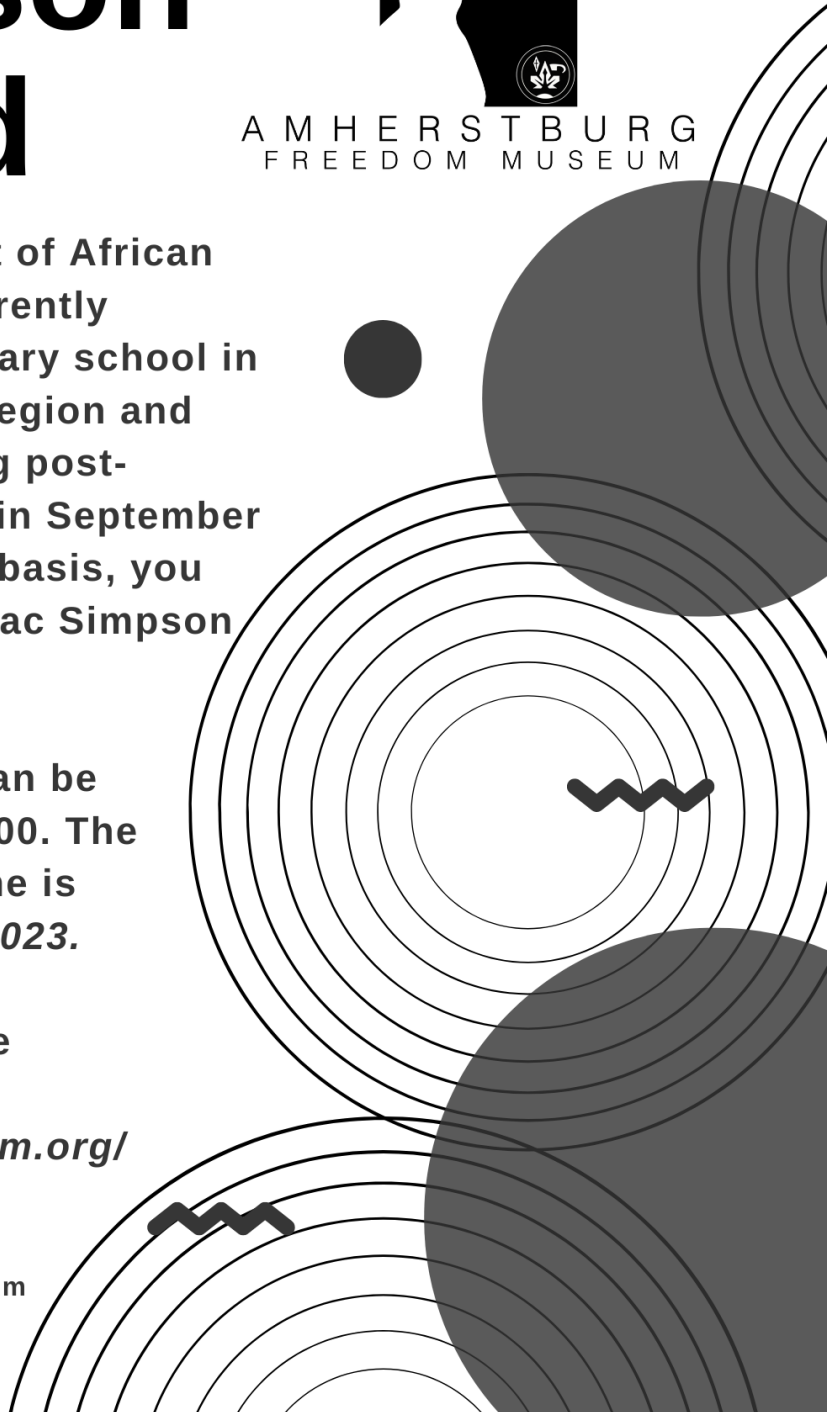
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Applications can be downloaded at amherstburgfreedom.org/scholarships

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Maturine-Romain Award

The Maturine-Romain Award

A one-time scholarship of up to \$2,000 may be awarded annually by The Amherstburg Freedom Museum on Behalf of Dr. Bernice McKenzie

About

- To honour the memory and lives of Evelina Maturine and Lucie Romain, the grandmothers of Dr. Bernice McKenzie, this scholarship has been created to support and encourage students of African descent as they pursue post-secondary studies.

Eligibility

- This award will be given annually to at least one student of African descent who is currently attending a secondary school in the Essex County area and will be commencing post-secondary studies in September 2023 on a full-time basis (students will be required to provide proof of attendance).

Application Forms

- Applications can be downloaded at www.amherstburgfreedom.org/scholarships

Deadline to Apply

- **The submission deadline to apply is Monday, June 26th, 2023**

More Information

- Please contact the Amherstburg Freedom Museum at 519-736-5433
- Or visit amherstburgfreedom.org



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