

To Whom it May Concern

My name is Mike Nicholson. I am the owner of "The Vinyl Room" record shop in Chatham, On. I also paint as a hobby.

This letter is to support Shannon of "Shannon Rose Art and Photography" in her endeavor to pursue her passion as a visual artist. I have known her for approximately 20 years. Shannon was creating art as long as I have known her, recycling old records into bowls and also making various crafts.

In the past year I have seen more of her and have seen her create and implement a positive idea to involve people in Chatham-Kent. Putting on workshops to promote anti-bullying and creative art painting positive messages on old records. I have seen first hand how she creates art and inspires others as well. Shannon has then taken these records to create colourful murals to hang throughout the community.

She has tremendous passion for art and helping others as well and would recommend any opportunity to show off her skills.

Sincerely  
Mike Nicholson