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There is a winner in our midst. A musician? A sculptor? An actor? A painter? A writer? A dancer? A film-maker? Suggestions?

One of the North Shore's many outstanding, internationally renowned artists will be honoured at home in October. And we want you to tell us who.

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