



# Sid W. Richardson Foundation

Annual Report 2012



*Supporting nonprofit organizations  
that serve the people of Texas*



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# About the Sid W. Richardson Foundation and Its Founder

Sid W. Richardson established the Richardson Foundation in 1947 for the purpose of supporting organizations that serve the people of Texas. Throughout the years, the directors and staff have sought to fulfill his vision by providing grants primarily to educational, health, human service and cultural organizations. When substantial income from assets from the late Mr. Richardson's estate became available in 1962, the Foundation began its current program of distributing major grants, which have totaled \$402,095,260.

A lifelong resident of Texas, Mr. Richardson was born on April 25, 1891, in the East Texas town of Athens. Although his interests reached beyond Texas and his personal contacts were worldwide, he retained his utmost concern for the people of his home state. For this reason, he provided in the Foundation's charter that all grants be used to serve the people of Texas.

Oil, cattle and land formed the basis of his lifework. His fortune paralleled the boom and bust nature of the petroleum industry in its early years, but his inherent drive for accomplishment, coupled with his keen insight into human nature and sincere interest in people, contributed more than anything else to his success. He had an amazing instinct about people.

His capacity for generating and maintaining real friendships was exceptional, and he loved to be around true friends. His friends knew him as a man of great courage, yet soft-spoken, kind, sentimental, and loyal to everyone who befriended him.

Mr. Richardson was as much at home with cowboys in a country café as dining in fine New York restaurants. He was in no sense extravagant or flamboyant, and he was not impressed with ostentatiousness and people who practiced it.

He had a strong desire to create and build, and his entrepreneurship led him to accept and pursue challenges throughout his life. He was known for his ability to condense complicated situations into simple "horse sense" that endeared him to presidents and business executives. When once asked to describe his own business philosophy, he said, "I guess my philosophy of business life is: Don't be in too big of a hurry, don't get excited, and don't lose your sense of humor."

His reputation as a tireless dealmaker stayed with him to the end of his life. After a full day's work, he died quietly in his sleep on September 30, 1959.

In addition to Mr. Richardson's business dealings, a love for Western art emerged from his ranching experience, which provided him with vivid impressions of the Old West. He became an avid collector of paintings by Frederic Remington and Charles M. Russell. He thought they captured, better than any other artists, the vitality, color and motion that he had always associated with the West. Today, these magnificent paintings are on permanent exhibit in Sundance Square in Fort Worth, Texas, at the Sid Richardson Museum, supported

by the Foundation. Established in 1982, the Museum has one of the nation's most significant private collections of paintings of the late 19th- and early 20th- century American West by Remington and Russell. Visitors from all 50 states and 68 countries have come to view the paintings. The Museum is open daily except for major holidays, and admission is free.

Mr. Richardson continues to have a tremendous impact on his native state through the broad and diverse programs of the Richardson Foundation.



Sid W. Richardson Foundation

# Remembering Nancy Lee Bass

Nancy Lee may not have been aware that her marriage to Perry Bass would create a team – including her four sons– that would have such a great impact on Fort Worth and Texas. Nancy Lee, who passed away on February 28, 2013, was married to Perry Bass for 65 years, until his death on June 1, 2006.

Perry was the nephew of Sid Richardson. When Perry became President of the Sid W. Richardson Foundation, Nancy Lee began a three-decade role as a Vice President and



● Perry R. and Nancy Lee Bass (1998)



member of the Board of Directors of the Foundation. During her many years of service on the Board, she provided insight regarding grant proposals, particularly from those organizations serving children in education, special medical care, and participation in the arts.

As the Foundation program moved gradually from the emphasis on support for physical facilities to programs in education, health, human services and the arts, Nancy Lee recognized the importance of the programs that would “help people to help themselves.” To accomplish that vitally important goal, she recognized the necessity of developing public-private partnerships with broad community support. Her relationships in the community made her an important advocate of that successful role played by the Foundation during its formative years.

Her interest in those programs that became the Foundation’s hallmark led to her service to many nonprofit organizations. She played a major role in establishing Bass Performance Hall and its Children’s Program for all of the thousands of students in our public schools. She became a member of the board of the Modern Art Museum of Fort Worth, the advisory board of the Van Cliburn Piano Competition, the University of Texas at Austin Development Board, the Smithsonian Institution National Council, and the Collector’s Committee of the National Gallery of Art. She was a past president of the Assembly and a member of the Junior League, the Jewel Charity Ball, and the Fort Worth Garden Club.

Her service did not go unnoticed. She was the first recipient of the Gloria Lupton Tennison Pioneer Award from the National Cowgirl Museum and Hall of Fame, the Distinguished Alumnus/a Award from the University of Texas at Austin Ex-Students Association, and the Golden Deeds Award for Outstanding Citizen of the Year from the Exchange Club of Fort Worth, joining Perry who had received the award three decades earlier. How appropriate that was!

Nancy Lee excelled in many ways, as a loving wife, as a mother raising her four sons to be leaders in their communities, and as a wonderful example of community leadership in her own life.

Valleau Wilkie, Jr.

*Head of the Sid W. Richardson Foundation  
from 1973 until his retirement in 2011*



## Imagination Celebration

- **Imagination Celebration of Fort Worth** (ICFW) was incorporated in 1989 to discover, create and present innovative programming, linking the arts with the humanities and sciences to inspire creativity and ignite learning in students. Each year, it provides arts and cultural experiences for over 60,000 FWISD K-12 students, producing performing arts programs, sending artists into schools, and collaborating with other arts and cultural institutions in Fort Worth, including the Sid Richardson Museum. ICFW produces lesson plans for teachers and study guides for students, tying cultural experiences directly to grade-level-required curricula. ICFW also designs and produces special programs for a model arts integration campus at Glen Park Elementary School in southeast Fort Worth. In the Young Artist Apprenticeship Program, talented high school artists meet with professional visual artists to receive advanced instruction in artistic techniques and gain insight into career options in the arts. For ICFW's annual Special Weekend for the Deaf, 600 deaf and hearing-impaired students, teachers and support staffs from Texas school districts come to Fort Worth for performances, workshops and events by visual and performing artists. ([www.icfw.org](http://www.icfw.org))



# Statement of Assets and Liabilities

Year Ended December 31, 2012

Cash and Short-term Cash Investments	\$40,213,911
Accounts and Other Receivables	666,036
Marketable Securities at fair value	149,332,452
Hedge Funds at fair value	89,399,147
Mineral Interests at fair value	11,900,000
Real Estate at fair value	25,043,300
Other Assets at fair value	<u>184,105,274</u>
	<u>\$500,660,120</u>

At December 31, 2012, the Foundation owed \$6,607,000 on balance of unpaid grants.

Other liabilities totaled \$3,815,360 including accounts payable.

Net income was \$7,392,196 after payment of federal excise taxes of \$231,010.

The distributable amount for grants is based on the fair value of investment assets.

# Grant Guidelines

## Eligibility

To qualify for consideration for a grant, an organization must have received a determination letter (or letters) from the Internal Revenue Service indicating that it is an organization described in Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 and is treated as other than a private foundation within the meaning of Section 509(a) of the Code.

An organization may also qualify if it falls within the terms of Section 170(c)(1) and the contribution requested is to be used exclusively for public purposes.

Grant requests must be limited to programs and projects within the state of Texas.

No grants can be made to individuals.

Although the Foundation does provide support for programs in some aspects of education and health on a statewide basis, grants are limited to our local area for human services and cultural organizations.

## Application process

The Foundation requests a preliminary inquiry, in the form of a letter briefly describing the project or program, prior to the filing of the formal application.

If the project falls within Foundation guidelines, a formal proposal will be accepted for staff review. An applicant may either complete the application form supplied by the Foundation or provide a letter based on the information requested in the form. The applicant may provide additional information as needed to describe special aspects of the project or program. Where appropriate, a copy of the IRS 501(c)(3) determination letter must be supplied.

In most instances, the staff will conduct a site visit.

## Deadline for formal applications

The Board of Directors will hold one meeting each year to consider grant proposals for that year. Formal applications must be received no later than **January 15**.

## Approval process

After the winter board meeting, decisions on all requests will be reported by mail. Applicants whose proposals have been approved will receive a letter of agreement outlining the terms and conditions of the grant. After an authorized organization official has signed and returned the letter to the Foundation office, thereby indicating acceptance of the terms and conditions, a schedule of grant payments will be established.

Preliminary inquiries should be addressed to:

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Be An Angel Fund, Inc.

## Be An Angel Fund, Inc.

- The mission of **Be An Angel** is to improve the quality of life for children with multiple disabilities or profound deafness by providing wheelchairs, hearing aids, and other adaptive equipment, including indoor and outdoor recreational facilities. In 2012, Be An Angel constructed the Alison Hardin Playground and Eli Bradford Garden of Angels, a barrier-free playground and a memorial garden, at the Jo Kelly School in Fort Worth. Students attending Jo Kelly have disabilities such as cerebral palsy, encephalopathy, sensory impairments, epilepsy, degenerative medical conditions and traumatic brain injuries. The school serves over 50 special needs students each year, and their numbers continue to grow. Be An Angel has found that barrier-free playgrounds give children with disabilities the opportunity to play alongside their able-bodied peers. The playgrounds have been an enormous success and have exceeded Be An Angel's expectations in terms of their benefits to special needs children. ([www.BeAnAngel.org](http://www.BeAnAngel.org))



## Cassata High School

- **Cassata High School** is a private, nonprofit secondary school that is committed to providing young people with another chance at success. Cassata's mission has been the same since its founding in 1975: to provide a quality education that enables students of all backgrounds to overcome personal challenges and complete their secondary education. Cassata provides a nurturing and rigorous educational opportunity for students from in and around Fort Worth. Most of Cassata's students have had difficulty in traditional schools and face serious obstacles to completing their high school education. With the proper learning environment and resources, Cassata students are transformed from potential dropouts to thriving high school graduates. During the 2012-2013 school year, Cassata served 208 students. For the 2012-2013 school year, 55% of graduates were the first in their family to earn a high school diploma, and 49% were former dropouts. Consistent with previous years, 89% of last year's 47 graduates enrolled in two- or four-year colleges, enlisted in the military or started trade school. ([www.cassatahs.org](http://www.cassatahs.org))

# Grants for Education

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<b>American Enterprise Institute for Public Policy Research</b>	<b>\$30,000</b>
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*Washington*

These funds provided support for an education conference in Houston co-sponsored with Rice University.

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<b>Austin College</b>	<b>\$42,000</b>
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*Sherman*

This grant provided support for the 2013 Summer Language Institute.

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<b>Back to School Roundup</b>	<b>\$15,000</b>
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*Dallas*

This grant provided support for the program to provide school supplies and health and social services to low-income students in Tarrant County.

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<b>Bobby Bragan Youth Foundation, Inc.</b>	<b>\$10,000</b>
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*Fort Worth*

This grant provided support for the college scholarship/stay-in-school program in North Texas.

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<b>Breakthrough Fort Worth</b>	<b>\$50,000</b>
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*Fort Worth*

This grant provided general support for the summer school program on the Fort Worth Country Day School campus for Fort Worth ISD middle school students.

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<b>George W. Bush Foundation</b>	<b>\$600,000</b>
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*Dallas*

These funds provided support for two education programs at the Bush Institute: Middle School Matters, the Institute's middle school transformation initiative; and the Alliance for the Reform of Educational Leadership, the Institute's principal preparation program.

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<b>Cassata High School</b>	<b>\$50,000</b>
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*Fort Worth*

This grant provided general support for the operations of the Cassata High School, an alternative to traditional high schools for struggling teens.

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<b>College for All Texans Foundation: Closing the Gaps</b>	<b>\$210,000</b>
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*Austin*

This multi-year grant provided support for a partnership between the College for All Texans Foundation and the Center for Research, Evaluation and Advancement of Teacher Education (CREATE) to improve the preparation of teachers for Texas schools.

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<b>Communities in Schools, Fort Worth, Inc.</b>	<b>\$100,000</b>
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*Fort Worth*

These funds provided counseling services for at-risk students in 36 public schools in Tarrant County.



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<b>Community Foundation of North Texas</b>	<b>\$10,000</b>
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*Fort Worth*

This grant provided funding for the FWISD Excellence Fund to support the PTA's Middle School Student Leadership Conference held in April 2012.

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<b>Cowboy Heritage Association of Fort Worth</b>	<b>\$10,000</b>
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*Fort Worth*

This grant provided general support for the college scholarship program for students from North Texas farm and ranch families.

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<b>First Texas Council of Camp Fire, Inc.</b>	<b>\$150,000</b>
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*Fort Worth*

This grant provided general support for the Kindergarten Readiness Program, a collaboration between Camp Fire and the Fort Worth ISD to improve pre-K education in childcare centers in Tarrant County.

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<b>Fort Worth Independent School District</b>	<b>\$155,000</b>
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*Fort Worth*

This multi-year grant provided operational support for the Texas Academy of Biomedical Sciences, a Fort Worth ISD "early college" high school preparing students for careers in health professions.

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<b>Fort Worth Independent School District</b>	<b>\$200,000</b>
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*Fort Worth*

This grant provided funding for an audit of the Fort Worth ISD curriculum to assist the district in preparing for the new state standards and testing requirements.

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<b>Fort Worth Independent School District</b>	<b>\$30,000</b>
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*Fort Worth*

This grant funded a web-based instruction pilot among Fort Worth ISD high schools.

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<b>Fort Worth Independent School District</b>	<b>\$1,500</b>
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*Fort Worth*

This grant provided funding for the purchase of basketball uniforms for the students at the Young Men's Leadership Academy.

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<b>Generation Hope Laptop Program</b>	<b>\$50,000</b>
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*Fort Worth*

These funds provided general support for the after-school program for students in the Crowley, Everman and Fort Worth public schools.

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<b>Girls Incorporated of Tarrant County</b>	<b>\$75,000</b>
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*Fort Worth*

This grant provided support for "Operation SMART," a math, science and technology education program for elementary and middle school girls in Tarrant County.

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<b>Humanities Texas</b>	<b>\$50,000</b>
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*Austin*

This grant provided funding for an evaluation of the effectiveness of professional development workshops in the humanities for secondary school teachers in Texas.

## I Have A Dream Foundation - Fort Worth

\$25,000

### Fort Worth

This grant provided general support for the mentoring and scholarship program for Fort Worth ISD students.

## Just Say Yes

\$50,000

### Dallas

This grant provided general support for the delivery of risk-avoidance educational programming in Tarrant County schools.



Uplift Education

## Uplift Education

- **Uplift Education** is a network of high-performing public charter schools, founded in Irving, Texas, in 1996. Uplift opened three schools in southeast Fort Worth in 2012, Uplift Mighty Primary School, Uplift Mighty Middle School and Uplift Meridian Primary School. In their inaugural year, the schools served grades K-2 and 6-7, enrolling about 460 scholars. Uplift Mighty will add grades each year to become a full K-12 school. Uplift Meridian will remain an elementary school with grades K-5. Uplift, a network of tuition-free public charter schools, currently serves 10,000 students at 28 schools located on 13 campuses across North Texas, with 8,000 students on its waiting list. Believing that all children should be prepared for college, Uplift uses the International Baccalaureate program at all campuses to ensure academic rigor, consistency of curriculum and college readiness. For the past four years, 100% of Uplift graduates have been accepted to a four-year college. ([www.uplifteducation.org](http://www.uplifteducation.org))

## Kids Who Care, Inc.

\$50,000

Fort Worth

This grant provided general support for the performing arts and life skills education program for youth.

## Learning Center of North Texas

\$50,000

Fort Worth

This grant provided general support for educational services for children and adults with learning differences.



Tarrant County College Foundation

## Tarrant County College Academic Enrichment Program

- Since its first campus opened in the fall of 1967, **Tarrant County College** has changed the lives and futures of hundreds of thousands of individuals in North Texas by providing affordable educational opportunities through open access to quality teaching and learning. Reflecting its commitment to student success, TCC launched the **Academic Enrichment Program** in 2012, a pilot initiative to address the critical issue of college readiness. Structured as an intensive “boot camp” environment, AEP focuses on the individual student’s identified deficiencies in math, reading and language skills and helps to overcome them through a personalized educational plan. Because of the positive outcome for AEP students in the pilot, TCC has expanded the AEP to serve more students, preparing them for success in college and their careers. ([www.tccd.edu/foundation](http://www.tccd.edu/foundation))

<b>McMurry University</b>	<b>\$75,000</b>
<i>Abilene</i>	
This multi-year grant provided support for the Math-Science Magnet School, a collaboration between the Abilene Independent School District and McMurry.	
<b>Military Child Education Coalition</b>	<b>\$10,000</b>
<i>Harker Heights</i>	
This grant provided general support for educational services for children of military families in Texas.	
<b>The New Teacher Project, Inc.</b>	<b>\$200,000</b>
<i>Cedar Park</i>	
This multi-year grant provided support for Texas Teaching Fellows, a program that recruits and prepares teachers for Texas public schools.	
<b>Davey O'Brien Educational and Charitable Trust</b>	<b>\$15,000</b>
<i>Fort Worth</i>	
This grant provided support for the annual high school scholar/athlete recognition program.	
<b>Philanthropy Roundtable</b>	<b>\$25,000</b>
<i>Washington</i>	
This grant provided support for the national education reform conference held in Dallas in April 2013.	
<b>Lena Pope Home, Inc.</b>	<b>\$200,000</b>
<i>Fort Worth</i>	
These funds provided support for books, classroom technology and lab equipment for Chapel Hill Academy, a public charter school in south Fort Worth.	
<b>Tarleton State University</b>	<b>\$25,000</b>
<i>Stephenville</i>	
This multi-year grant provided support for the launch of a web-based pilot program to provide quality science instruction to high schools in rural Texas.	
<b>Tarrant County College Foundation</b>	<b>\$250,000</b>
<i>Fort Worth</i>	
This grant provided start-up and general support for the TCC Academic Boot Camp initiative, an academic remediation program to prepare students for success in college.	
<b>Tarrant County Youth Collaboration</b>	<b>\$50,000</b>
<i>Fort Worth</i>	
This grant provided funding for "Kid's College," an online and self-paced education program for elementary school students in Tarrant County.	
<b>Tarrant NET</b>	<b>\$10,000</b>
<i>Fort Worth</i>	
This grant provided support for Read2Win, a literacy program placing volunteer reading coaches in elementary schools in the Fort Worth ISD.	

<b>Teach for America, Inc.</b>	<b>\$250,000</b>
<i>Dallas</i> This multi-year grant provided support for the placement of Teach for America teachers in Tarrant County public schools.	
<b>Texas Institute for Education Reform</b>	<b>\$10,000</b>
<i>Austin</i> This grant provided general support for the program to improve state education policy for Texas public schools.	
<b>Texas Lyceum Association, Inc.</b>	<b>\$5,000</b>
<i>Dallas</i> This grant provided support for a conference held in San Antonio in April 2012, "Education, Our Workforce, and the Economy: Is Texas on a Path to Prosperity or Peril?"	
<b>Texas State University</b>	<b>\$36,000</b>
<i>San Marcos</i> This multi-year grant funded a partnership between Texas State and the San Marcos public schools to improve middle school math instruction.	
<b>United Way of Metropolitan Tarrant County</b>	<b>\$10,000</b>
<i>Fort Worth</i> This grant provided support for the early childhood working group sponsored by the Fort Worth ISD.	
<b>University of Houston</b>	<b>\$50,000</b>
<i>Houston</i> This grant provided support for teachHOUSTON, an alternative math and science teacher preparation program.	
<b>University of North Texas Foundation</b>	<b>\$25,000</b>
<i>Denton</i> These funds provided scholarships for teachers and students from Tarrant County to participate in the Mayborn Nonfiction Literary Conference.	
<b>University of North Texas Foundation</b>	<b>\$150,000</b>
<i>Denton</i> This multi-year grant provided support for the Morningside Children's Partnership, a comprehensive education effort in the Morningside neighborhood in Southeast Fort Worth.	
<b>The University of Texas at Arlington</b>	<b>\$75,000</b>
<i>Arlington</i> This grant provided support for UTeach Arlington, an alternative math and science teacher preparation program.	
<b>The University of Texas-Pan American Foundation</b>	<b>\$67,500</b>
<i>Edinburg</i> This grant provided start-up funding for a bachelor of science degree program in early childhood education in the Rio Grande Valley.	



## University of Texas at San Antonio

\$150,000

*San Antonio*

This grant provided general support for TexPREP, a summer mathematics education program for high school students held on college campuses across Texas.

## Uplift Education

\$250,000

*Irving*

This grant provided general support for the opening of three charter public schools in southeast Fort Worth.

## World Affairs Council of Dallas Fort Worth

\$20,000

*Dallas*

This grant provided support for the international affairs education program for school teachers and students in North Texas.



Lena Pope Home

## Lena Pope Home

- Since 1930, **Lena Pope Home** has been working to help create hope, happiness and success for children and families. Lena Pope Home now provides counseling and educational services that impact 20,000 children and families a year in North Texas. Chapel Hill Academy is the agency's open-enrollment public charter school, serving 500 children in pre-K to fifth grade at its south Fort Worth campus. Chapel Hill Academy has a special focus on early literacy and employs an individualized approach to education that utilizes integrated technology, including iPads, an outdoor learning center and a fully operational science lab. In addition to a strong traditional curriculum, Chapel Hill Academy focuses on helping students develop responsible behavior and life skills and on meeting the needs of the students' families. With these foundational skills, Lena Pope Home believes that students will be prepared for middle school, high school and a bright and fulfilling future. ([www.lenapopehome.org](http://www.lenapopehome.org))

# Grants for Health

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<b>AIDS Outreach Center, Inc.</b>	<b>\$50,000</b>
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*Fort Worth*

This grant provided support for the construction of the medical and dental clinic for HIV/AIDS patients.

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<b>Baylor College of Medicine</b>	<b>\$300,000</b>
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*Houston*

These four grants funded research in Ophthalmology, Internal Medicine and Otorhinolaryngology.

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<b>Cancer Care Services</b>	<b>\$25,000</b>
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*Fort Worth*

This grant provided general support for services provided to low-income cancer patients and their families in Fort Worth.

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<b>Candlelighters Childhood Cancer Foundation of Greater Fort Worth</b>	<b>\$10,000</b>
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*Bedford*

These funds provided general support for the program serving low-income families with children who have cancer.

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<b>Dental Health of Arlington, Inc.</b>	<b>\$25,000</b>
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*Arlington*

This grant provided support for the dental care program for low-income children in schools in Tarrant County.

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<b>ECHO (Empowering Church Healthcare Outreach)</b>	<b>\$75,000</b>
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*Fort Worth*

This multi-year grant provided assistance in the establishment of primary care clinics for low-income residents in Tarrant County.

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<b>Harris Hospital - Methodist</b>	<b>\$150,000</b>
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*Fort Worth*

This grant provided support for the Nursing Excellence Fund, an effort to increase the quantity and quality of degreed nurses through nursing education at TCU and UTA.

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<b>Immunization Collaboration of Tarrant County</b>	<b>\$5,000</b>
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*Fort Worth*

These funds provided operational support for the immunization program for low-income children in Tarrant County.

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<b>Ronald McDonald House of Fort Worth, Inc.</b>	<b>\$75,000</b>
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*Fort Worth*

This multi-year grant provided support for the expansion of the Ronald McDonald House.



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## Ronald McDonald House of Fort Worth

- Established in 1981, the **Ronald McDonald House of Fort Worth** provides a supportive and caring home-away-from-home for families of children who travel more than 40 miles for treatment in Fort Worth hospitals. Ronald McDonald served 797 families in 2012. For most of the year, demand exceeded capacity, which meant that families in need were turned away. To help meet the growing need for services, the RMHFW broke ground on a 20,000-square-foot expansion in July 2012, adding capacity for 20 additional families. The completed facility will accommodate 58 families per night. ([www.rmhfw.org](http://www.rmhfw.org))





## Texas Health Resources Nursing Excellence Fund

- Excellent nursing is key to the commitment of **Texas Health Resources** to transform healthcare delivery in North Texas. Because nurses touch every patient and family that passes through its doors, Texas Health's nurses directly advance its mission "to improve the health of the people in the communities we serve." Texas Health's hospitals are working to maintain nursing as a core strength of its system. Established in 1997 with the merger of Harris Methodist Health System, Presbyterian Healthcare Resources and Arlington Memorial Hospital, Texas Health is the largest faith-based, nonprofit healthcare provider in North Texas. Texas Health Resources is part of a statewide effort to double the number of new bachelor of science-degreed nurses by 2020. The **Nursing Excellence Fund** is part of this effort, providing scholarships for students enrolled in baccalaureate nursing programs or nurses seeking advanced practice degrees. The nursing education supported by the fund is provided through the excellent nursing programs at Texas Christian University and The University of Texas at Arlington. ([www.texashealth.org](http://www.texashealth.org))

<b>Mission Metroplex, Inc.</b>	<b>\$35,000</b>
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*Arlington*

This grant provided general support for the Mann Medical Clinic in Arlington, a clinic providing primary care to low-income populations in North Texas.

<b>Open Arms Health Clinic, Inc.</b>	<b>\$20,000</b>
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*Arlington*

This grant provided support for the purchase of equipment and supplies for the start-up of a medical clinic for low-income patients in eastern Tarrant County.

<b>Scott &amp; White Healthcare Foundation</b>	<b>\$100,000</b>
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*Temple*

These funds provided assistance to expand and improve pediatric services in rural areas of Central Texas.

<b>Tarrant County Academy of Medicine</b>	<b>\$100,000</b>
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*Fort Worth*

This multi-year grant provided support for Project Access Tarrant County, a program to provide healthcare to low-income populations through the utilization of donated medical services and facilities.

<b>University of North Texas Health Science Center</b>	<b>\$10,000</b>
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*Fort Worth*

These funds provided general support for the Building Bridges Initiative, a program providing OB/GYN services to international refugees living in North Texas.



# Grants for Human Services

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<b>Allied Communities of Tarrant</b>	<b>\$50,000</b>
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*Fort Worth*

This multi-year grant provided support for a program to improve parental and community support for public education.

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<b>Aransas County Council on Aging</b>	<b>\$12,000</b>
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*Rockport*

This grant provided general support for the meals program for homebound seniors in Aransas County, Texas.

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<b>Be An Angel Fund, Inc.</b>	<b>\$20,000</b>
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*Houston*

This grant provided funding for the construction of a “barrier free” playground for the special needs children at Fort Worth ISD’s Jo Kelly School.

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<b>Big Brothers Big Sisters Lone Star</b>	<b>\$150,000</b>
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*Fort Worth*

This grant provided support for Little Steps Big Futures, a program to provide academic and life-skills mentors for children in Tarrant County.

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<b>Boy Scouts of America, Longhorn Council</b>	<b>\$50,000</b>
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*Hurst*

This grant provided support for the after-school urban scouting program for inner-city youth in Tarrant County.

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<b>Boys &amp; Girls Clubs of Greater Fort Worth, Inc.</b>	<b>\$70,000</b>
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*Fort Worth*

This grant provided general support for the after-school and summer enrichment programs for students of the Uplift public schools in southeast Fort Worth.

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<b>Brighter Outlook Foundation</b>	<b>\$52,500</b>
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*Fort Worth*

Three separate grants provided operational and capital improvement funding for the community center located in southeast Fort Worth.

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<b>CASA of Tarrant County, Inc.</b>	<b>\$40,000</b>
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*Fort Worth*

This grant provided general support to provide advocates for abused children in Tarrant County Family Court proceedings.



## Trinity Habitat for Humanity

- **Trinity Habitat for Humanity** builds homes and hope in partnership with hard-working, low-income families in Johnson, Parker, Tarrant and Wise Counties. Providing a hand-up and not a hand-out, Trinity Habitat has placed over 1,200 North Texas families in new and refurbished homes. Prospective homeowners provide 250 hours of “sweat equity” on their own homes and other Habitat projects and earn the right to purchase their homes from Habitat with a zero-interest mortgage. In order to generate supplemental income to support its mission, Habitat operates nonprofit “ReStores,” building supply retail stores that sell donated new and used building materials to the public. Through its “Foundation to Build” capital campaign, THFH was able to acquire a new ReStore in 2012, its fourth retail outlet, and to purchase property to build a consolidated warehouse office campus. Trinity Habitat is only the second of 1,500 Habitat affiliates in the United States to operate four ReStores. The income provided through the ReStores and the efficiencies gained with the new office and warehouse campus will help the agency serve more hard-working families and transform lives and neighborhoods for generations to come. ([www.trinityhabitat.org](http://www.trinityhabitat.org))

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<b>Catholic Charities Diocese of Fort Worth</b>	<b>\$250,000</b>
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*Fort Worth*

These funds provided funding for purchase and renovation of an apartment complex to provide housing for low-income clients.

<b>Child Study Center</b>	<b>\$100,000</b>
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*Fort Worth*

This grant provided support for the program for children with developmental disabilities.

<b>City of Fort Worth Animal Control</b>	<b>\$10,000</b>
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*Fort Worth*

These funds provided support for the operations and expansion of the PetSmart dog and cat adoption program.

<b>City of Fort Worth Parks and Community Services Department</b>	<b>\$6,876</b>
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*Fort Worth*

This grant provided funding for the Summer Day Camp Program for children in the Como community.

<b>Communities Foundation of Texas, Inc.</b>	<b>\$10,000</b>
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*Dallas*

This grant provided funding for the 2012 North Texas Giving Day, an annual DonorBridge fundraising event that supports development efforts of area nonprofits.

<b>Community Food Bank</b>	<b>\$22,610</b>
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*Fort Worth*

Two grants provided funding to upgrade the refrigerated food lockers and support the Thanksgiving meal program.

<b>Community Foundation of North Texas</b>	<b>\$25,000</b>
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*Fort Worth*

This grant provided funding for "ToolBox Grants," a capacity-building effort for mid-sized nonprofits in North Texas.

<b>Community Learning Center</b>	<b>\$75,000</b>
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*Fort Worth*

This grant provided general support for a job-training program for veterans recently discharged from the military.

<b>Cornerstone Assistance Network, Inc.</b>	<b>\$100,000</b>
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*Fort Worth*

This grant provided funding for operations and for the finish-out of dental and eye clinics at the Cornerstone center in eastern Tarrant County.

## First Christian Church of Fort Worth

\$10,000

### Fort Worth

This grant provided general support for a new vision clinic offering services to low-income populations at a location in downtown Fort Worth.

## Fort Worth Black Chamber of Commerce

\$10,000

### Fort Worth

These funds provided support for "Paths Forward," a leadership development program for young leaders in the African-American community.



Bill Lawrence

## The Brighter Outlook, Inc.

- Formed in 2007 by the 180-member Ebenezer Baptist Church, **The Brighter Outlook, Inc.**, provides a broad range of educational, recreational and social services to the underserved residents of southeast Fort Worth's Stop Six neighborhood. The residents of Stop Six are predominately poor, minority and young, with one out of every three people at or below the poverty line. At the last census, forty percent of the residents were under age 25. The residents receive spiritual, social and emotional support at the community center, develop a "brighter outlook," and seek to overcome the poverty and challenges of their neighborhood. Services provided at the community center include youth sports, health programs, tutoring for children, services for pregnant and parenting women, literacy and technology training, employment assistance and a wide range of senior activities and programs. Volunteers distribute back-to-school clothes and backpacks to children at the beginning of every school year. ([www.thebrighteroutlookinc.org](http://www.thebrighteroutlookinc.org))





Rudy Taylor

## Community Food Bank

- The **Community Food Bank** is a food bank and food pantry, distributing food at no cost to nonprofit agencies and households from all area zip codes. Operating out of its warehouse and with more than 23,000 square feet of refrigerated and frozen storage, the food pantry distributes not only packaged, frozen and canned foods, but fresh meat, milk, eggs and produce to over 400 families every weekday. Based on an average family size of four, over 100,000 people are projected to receive nutritious food in 2013 from the pantry door alone. During the holidays, the food bank provides Thanksgiving and Christmas turkeys with all the trimmings to over 1,700 low-income families. Community Food Bank also distributes pet food for the "Don't Forget to Feed Me" Pet Food Pantry, providing 50 tons of pet food in 2012. ([www.food-bank.org](http://www.food-bank.org))



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<b>Fort Worth Chamber Foundation, Inc.</b>	<b>\$20,000</b>
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*Fort Worth*

This grant provided support for Vision Fort Worth's "Big Brainstorm," a series of community-wide forums to engage young leaders in planning the future of Fort Worth.

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<b>Fort Worth Habitat for Humanity</b>	<b>\$100,000</b>
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*Fort Worth*

This grant provided support for the development of a "ReStore," a nonprofit retail store that sells donated building materials in support of Habitat for Humanity operations.

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<b>Fort Worth Independent School District</b>	<b>\$85,000</b>
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*Fort Worth*

This grant provided support for health and wellness coordinators at 100 Fort Worth ISD schools.

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<b>Fort Worth Promotion and Development Fund</b>	<b>\$15,000</b>
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*Fort Worth*

This grant provided general support for "Steer Fort Worth," Mayor Betsy Price's young leader development program.

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<b>Fort Worth Teen Court, Inc.</b>	<b>\$10,000</b>
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*Fort Worth*

This grant provided general support for an alternative adjudication route for youth aged 10-18 who have committed minor misdemeanors.

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<b>Funding Information Center of Fort Worth</b>	<b>\$10,000</b>
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*Fort Worth*

This grant provided operational support to the Funding Information Center, a nonprofit research library that provides a range of services and resources to improve the effectiveness of area nonprofits.

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<b>Gill Children's Services, Inc.</b>	<b>\$30,000</b>
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*Fort Worth*

This grant provided funding for "last resort" health and social services for low-income children in Tarrant County.

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<b>Grace After Fire</b>	<b>\$10,000</b>
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*Fort Worth*

These funds provided operational support for the social services program for women veterans in the North Texas region.

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<b>Green Oaks School</b>	<b>\$50,000</b>
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*Arlington*

This grant provided support for the expansion of educational and life-skills programs for adults with Down Syndrome.

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<b>HI KIDS Incorporated</b>	<b>\$35,000</b>
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*Burleson*

This grant provided general support for the social services program for high-risk kids in Fort Worth.

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<b>Housing Opportunities of Fort Worth, Inc.</b>	<b>\$35,000</b>
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*Fort Worth*

These funds provided general support for the home-buyer and homeowner counseling and assistance program in Tarrant County.

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<b>The Ladder Alliance, Inc.</b>	<b>\$50,000</b>
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*Fort Worth*

This grant provided general support for the entry-level job training program for disadvantaged women in Tarrant County.

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<b>Make-A-Wish Foundation of North Texas</b>	<b>\$14,000</b>
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*Fort Worth*

This grant provided funding to grant "wishes" for children in North Texas facing life-threatening medical conditions.

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<b>Meals on Wheels, Inc.</b>	<b>\$50,000</b>
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*Fort Worth*

This grant provided general support for the delivery of meals and social services to homebound disabled and elderly people in Tarrant County.

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<b>MHMR Visions</b>	<b>\$50,000</b>
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*Fort Worth*

This grant provided general support for the adolescent substance abuse treatment program in Fort Worth.

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<b>The Multicultural Alliance</b>	<b>\$15,000</b>
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*Fort Worth*

This grant provided funding to hire an intern from Brite Divinity School to work with inter-faith programming in North Texas.

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<b>Northside Inter-Community Agency, Inc.</b>	<b>\$50,000</b>
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*Fort Worth*

This grant provided general support for programs providing assistance to low-income residents on the North Side of Fort Worth.

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<b>Opening Doors for Women in Need</b>	<b>\$10,000</b>
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*Fort Worth*

This grant provided general support for a program that provides housing, job and life-skills training, and a food pantry for single poor women in the Como neighborhood of Fort Worth.



## Girls Inc. of Tarrant County

- **Girls Inc. of Tarrant County** inspires girls to be strong, smart and bold through life-changing educational programs and life-skills training that help girls overcome gender, economic and social barriers. Using a research-based curriculum in an all-girl environment, professional instructors educate and mentor girls to achieve academically, lead healthy and physically active lives, manage money, navigate negative media messages, and discover an interest in science, technology, engineering and mathematics. In 2012, Girls Inc. served 7,484 girls in Tarrant County, with 86% from low-income families. Girls Inc.'s **Operation SMART®** is a hands-on program that engages girls in science, technology, engineering and mathematics (STEM), inspiring more girls to pursue STEM education and STEM careers. For girls from low-income neighborhoods, STEM education is a pathway out of poverty toward high-demand and well-paid occupations. Over 600 girls participated in Operation SMART in 2012. ([www.girlsintarrant.org](http://www.girlsintarrant.org))

<b>Pacific Youth Correctional Ministries</b>	<b>\$5,000</b>
<i>Arlington</i> This grant provided funding for chaplaincy services in youth incarceration facilities in Tarrant County.	
<b>The Parenting Center</b>	<b>\$75,000</b>
<i>Fort Worth</i> This grant provided general support for child abuse and neglect prevention programs in Tarrant County.	
<b>Lena Pope Home, Inc.</b>	<b>\$50,000</b>
<i>Fort Worth</i> This multi-year grant provided general support for the Family Matters Counseling Program.	
<b>Presbyterian Night Shelter of Tarrant County</b>	<b>\$50,000</b>
<i>Fort Worth</i> This grant provided support for "Moving Home," an initiative to move clients beyond chronic homelessness toward employment, permanent housing and independence.	
<b>Safe City Commission</b>	<b>\$100,000</b>
<i>Fort Worth</i> These funds provided general support for crime prevention programs in the city of Fort Worth.	
<b>Safe City Commission</b>	<b>\$1,000,000</b>
<i>Fort Worth</i> This grant provided funding to construct One Safe Place, a central resource facility for victims of domestic violence in Tarrant County.	
<b>SafeHaven of Tarrant County</b>	<b>\$50,000</b>
<i>Hurst</i> This grant provided general support for the school-based domestic violence prevention program in Tarrant County.	
<b>Special Olympics Texas, Inc.</b>	<b>\$5,000</b>
<i>Fort Worth</i> This grant provided general support for athletic activities for special needs children and adults in the Fort Worth area.	
<b>Star-Telegram Charities, Inc.</b>	<b>\$10,000</b>
<i>Fort Worth</i> This grant provided support for the Goodfellow Fund.	



<b>Streams and Valleys, Inc.</b>	<b>\$50,000</b>
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*Fort Worth*

These funds provided support for the extension and improvement of hike and bike trails in the Trinity River watershed in Tarrant County.

<b>Tarrant County Black Historical and Genealogical Society, Inc.</b>	<b>\$5,000</b>
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*Fort Worth*

This grant provided support for a community festival in southeast Fort Worth.

<b>Texas Reentry Services</b>	<b>\$30,000</b>
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*Fort Worth*

This grant provided operational support for the program assisting formerly incarcerated persons seeking reintegration into society.

<b>United Community Centers, Inc.</b>	<b>\$80,000</b>
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*Fort Worth*

This grant provided funding for educational childcare services at three community centers serving low-income neighborhoods in Fort Worth.

<b>United Way of Metropolitan Tarrant County</b>	<b>\$100,000</b>
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*Fort Worth*

These funds provided support for the 2012 Campaign.

<b>James L. West Presbyterian Special Care Center</b>	<b>\$50,000</b>
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*Fort Worth*

This multi-year grant provided support for the Family Caregiver Education Program.

<b>The WARM Place</b>	<b>\$25,000</b>
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*Fort Worth*

The grant provided funding for the grief support program for children ages 5 through 18.

<b>The Women's Center of Tarrant County, Inc.</b>	<b>\$50,000</b>
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*Fort Worth*

This grant provided support for Jobs Now, a program offering job training and placement to low-income and unemployed women in Tarrant County.

<b>Young Men's Christian Association</b>	<b>\$35,000</b>
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*Fort Worth*

This grant provided general support for the Southeast and McDonald Branches of the YMCA.

<b>Young Women's Christian Association</b>	<b>\$65,000</b>
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*Fort Worth*

This grant provided funding for a childcare program for low-income and homeless families and transitional housing and job training for young women.

## Grants for Arts and Culture

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<b>Arts Council of Fort Worth and Tarrant County, Inc.</b>	<b>\$10,000</b>
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*Fort Worth*

This grant provided funding for the launch of a Business Volunteers for the Arts Program in Tarrant County.

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<b>Botanical Research Institute of Texas, Inc.</b>	<b>\$415,000</b>
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*Fort Worth*

This grant provided general support for BRIT's operations.

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<b>Casa Mañana, Inc.</b>	<b>\$50,000</b>
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*Fort Worth*

This grant provided support for Casa's Children's Theatre, performing arts education programming and outreach services to area youth.

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<b>CASETA - Center for the Advancement and Study of Early Texas Art</b>	<b>\$5,000</b>
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*Houston*

This grant provided support for CASETA's statewide symposium held in Fort Worth in 2012.

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<b>Chamber Music Society of Fort Worth, Inc.</b>	<b>\$8,000</b>
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*Fort Worth*

These funds provided support for the 25th anniversary chamber music concert series in the spring of 2013.

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<b>Circle Theatre, Inc.</b>	<b>\$20,000</b>
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*Fort Worth*

This grant provided general support for programming.

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<b>Fort Worth Art Association</b>	<b>\$750,000</b>
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*Fort Worth*

These funds provided general support for the museum's operations.

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<b>Fort Worth Museum of Science and History</b>	<b>\$150,000</b>
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*Fort Worth*

These funds provided general support for the museum's operations.

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<b>Fort Worth Museum of Science and History</b>	<b>\$25,000</b>
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*Fort Worth*

This grant provided supplemental funding for compensation for museum staff.

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<b>Fort Worth Opera Association</b>	<b>\$100,000</b>
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*Fort Worth*

These funds provided general support for the Fort Worth Opera.



## Fort Worth Opera

● **Fort Worth Opera** educates, entertains, and expands the artistic horizons of its audience through a variety of annual community engagement events and performances. Founded in 1946, FWOpera is the oldest continually performing opera company in Texas and among the oldest companies in the United States. Under the leadership of General Director Darren K. Woods, FWOpera has gained international recognition for its artistic quality and the championing of contemporary American work. In 2007, the company transitioned from a fall/winter schedule to a condensed, month-long spring festival. Since then, FWOpera has staged two world premieres and brought the North Texas community numerous regional premieres. The 2012 Festival entertained 18,000 patrons at 15 performances and welcomed nearly 13,000 visitors from out of town, benefitting the local economy through hotel and tourism sales. Additionally, the company reaches roughly 50,000 Texas students annually through its education program, Children's Opera Theatre. ([www.fwopera.org](http://www.fwopera.org))

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<b>Fort Worth Symphony Orchestra Association</b>	<b>\$750,000</b>
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*Fort Worth*

These funds provided general support for the Symphony Orchestra.

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<b>Fort Worth Zoological Association</b>	<b>\$375,000</b>
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*Fort Worth*

This grant provided general support for the Fort Worth Zoo.

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<b>Hip Pocket Theatre</b>	<b>\$10,000</b>
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*Fort Worth*

This grant provided general support for Hip Pocket Theatre.

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<b>Imagination Celebration of Fort Worth, Inc.</b>	<b>\$39,000</b>
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*Fort Worth*

This grant provided support for operations and programming for cultural education for youth in Tarrant County.

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<b>Jubilee Theatre</b>	<b>\$50,000</b>
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*Fort Worth*

This grant provided general support for Jubilee Theatre.

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<b>Latin Arts Association of Fort Worth</b>	<b>\$4,000</b>
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*Fort Worth*

This grant provided funding for spring opera performances at Rose Marine Theatre.

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<b>Mayfest, Inc.</b>	<b>\$20,000</b>
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*Fort Worth*

These funds provided general support for the Mayfest 2013 festival.

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<b>National Center for Policy Analysis</b>	<b>\$100,000</b>
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*Dallas*

These funds provided general support for NCPA.

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<b>National Cowboys of Color Museum and Hall of Fame</b>	<b>\$5,000</b>
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*Fort Worth*

These funds provided support for the three-day celebration of the National Day of the American Cowboy, held in the summer of 2012 in Tarrant County.

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<b>National Cowgirl Museum and Hall of Fame, Inc.</b>	<b>\$50,000</b>
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*Fort Worth*

These funds provided general support for the museum.

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<b>Performing Arts Fort Worth, Inc.</b>	<b>\$55,000</b>
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These funds provided general support for the Children's Education Program at Bass Performance Hall.

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<b>Stage West Theatre</b>	<b>\$15,000</b>
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*Fort Worth*

This grant provided general support for the operations of the theatre.

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<b>Texas Ballet Theater, Inc.</b>	<b>\$125,000</b>
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*Fort Worth*

These funds provided general support for the Ballet.



## Van Cliburn Foundation, Inc.

\$100,000

Fort Worth

These funds provided funding for the documentary commemorating the 50th anniversary of the first Van Cliburn piano competition.

## Van Cliburn Foundation, Inc.

\$100,000

Fort Worth Fort Worth

These funds provided support for the Cliburn Concert Series.

## Youth Orchestra of Greater Fort Worth

\$25,000

Fort Worth

This grant provided general support for the Youth Orchestra.



Loli Kantor

## Hip Pocket Theatre

- **Hip Pocket Theatre** has been bringing new theatrical works to the Fort Worth community for 37 years. In 2012, Hip Pocket entertained 6,400 people of all ages at its season of shows at the Silver Creek Amphitheatre in west Fort Worth and with outreach programs around the region. Over the years, Hip Pocket Theatre and its founders, Johnny and Diane Simons, have worked with many area businesses and organizations, including the Kimbell Art Museum, the Dallas Museum of Art, the Nancy Lee and Perry R. Bass Performance Hall, and several area school districts to reach audiences across North Texas. Hip Pocket and its artists have performed around the country and around the world at such locations as the Edinburgh Fringe Festival, Duke University and London's Queen Elizabeth Hall, garnering critical acclaim along the way. Through all its success, Hip Pocket has remained loyal to providing the Fort Worth area with new and exciting theatre. ([www.hippocket.org](http://www.hippocket.org))



## Chamber Music Society of Fort Worth

- The **Chamber Music Society of Fort Worth** promotes and presents chamber music of the highest quality that reflects innovation, creativity in programming and artist selection. The Society presents seven concerts each season at the Modern Art Museum of Fort Worth and the Kimbell Art Museum, entertaining audiences with classical, romantic and contemporary chamber music. The Society employs professional musicians from local, national and international sources to present a broad sampling of the chamber music repertoire for a regional audience with limited access to such performances. Total attendance for the 2012-2013 25th anniversary season was 1,085. The Society also educates and entertains North Texas elementary and secondary school students with interactive demonstrations of ensemble music. In one-hour programs, students are taught basic principles of playing music together in small groups. Over 1,000 students participated in the Society's seven education programs during the last school year. ([www.chambermusicfw.org](http://www.chambermusicfw.org))*

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Tarrant Net

## Tarrant Net Read2Win

- Frederick Douglass once wrote, "Once you learn to read, you will be forever free." Reading is fundamental to every academic discipline and a life-skill essential for personal fulfillment and economic opportunity. Starting as a new initiative during the 2012-2013 school year, **Tarrant Net's Read2Win** program set a goal of assisting Fort Worth schools to achieve literacy for every student. Read2Win matches volunteers from churches and local businesses with elementary schools, with the goal of training and deploying 1,000 literacy coaches and serving every first-grade class in the 83 elementary schools in the Fort Worth Independent School District. During the first year of the initiative, Read2Win partnered with 27 schools and provided 320 literacy coaches for 494 first-grade students. Moving into the 2013-2014 school year, commitments have been made to 39 schools, with a goal of 42 schools and 400 volunteers providing 12,000 volunteer hours to first-graders in the FWISD. ([www.tarrantnet.org](http://www.tarrantnet.org))



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# Western Treasures

Through September 14, 2014

Sid Richardson amassed one of the most significant private collections of paintings of the late 19th- and early 20th-century American West by Frederic Remington (1861-1909), Charles M. Russell (1864-1926) and their contemporaries. *Western Treasures*, the current exhibition at the [Sid Richardson Museum](#), reunites well known with rarely seen paintings from his collection. Visitors can also view six bronze sculptures by these two iconic artists on loan from private collectors.

"*Western Treasures* celebrates the strength of the Museum's collection and enables us to gain a greater appreciation of Russell's early work and his affinity with the American Indian," said Museum Director Mary Burke. "The paintings on display reflect Sid Richardson's fascination with the American West and affirm his foresight in collecting paintings by the artists who best captured the spirit and history of our western frontier."

Of the 39 paintings in the exhibition, three Russells have not been displayed in the Museum in several years. *The Scout* (1907), a watercolor of a solitary, proud, mounted Pawnee warrior poised for action, shows Russell at the top of his form. *Seeking New Hunting Grounds* (ca. 1891) and *Bringing Up the Trail* (1895) are oil paintings illustrating one of his favorite themes at the time: Indians breaking camp. They show women (who also erected the lodging) and children on the move, outfitted for travel.

One of the oldest Russell paintings collected by Richardson, *Western Scene* (ca. 1885), has never before been displayed in the Museum. Believed to be Russell's first formal commission, it hung above the bar in the saloon owned by his friend, James R. Shelton, in Montana's Judith Basin. While clearly the work of a developing artist, it depicts themes Russell returns to throughout his career and includes a buffalo skull, which became his trademark.

Three of the bronzes in the exhibition depict American Indian rituals. *Smoking With the Spirit of the Buffalo* is an example of the small Russell bronzes created for a public eager for his decorative utilitarian sculptures.

The Remington bronze in the exhibition, *Dragoons 1850*, reveals his ability to seize a moment of dramatic tension between American cavalrymen and Plains Indians.

The Museum, open daily except for major holidays, has free admission. Docents lead free tours of *Western Treasures* each Tuesday and Saturday at 2 p.m. Group tours are by appointment only. On the Second Saturday of each month at 3 p.m., the gallery tour is followed by a live performance by a docent portraying Nancy Cooper Russell, wife of Charles M. Russell, telling stories about his career.  
([www.sidrichardsonmuseum.org](http://www.sidrichardsonmuseum.org))



Top to bottom:

*The Scout*, 1907 (detail), Charles M. Russell, watercolor, pencil and gouache on paper, Sid Richardson Museum

*Bringing Up the Trail*, 1895, Charles M. Russell, oil on canvas, Sid Richardson Museum

*Western Scene*, ca. 1885, Charles M. Russell, oil on wood panel, Sid Richardson Museum





Top: *Smoking With the Spirit of the Buffalo* (unknown cast number), 1915, Charles M. Russell, bronze, private collection

Bottom: *Dragoons 1850* (cast number 5), 1917, Frederic Remington, bronze, private collection

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