Funds Distribution Report



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TulalipCares.org

Recipient Organization: Seattle Children's Theatre

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Organization's General Goals:

SCT is proud to be one of the most prominent theatres for young audiences in the United States and the world. Our mission is to provide children of all ages and backgrounds access to professional theatre, with a focus on new works, and theatre education. For many children, we are the first, and sometimes, sole, exposure they have to live theatre.

Date of Award: Level:

2020 Q4 \$500 to \$2,500

For more information, please read the attached report from Seattle Children's Theatre.



Tulalip Tribes Charitable Fund 8802 27th Avenue NE Tulalip, WA 98271

May 24, 2023

Dear Tulalip Tribes Charitable Fund,

Thank you for your patience in waiting to receive this Report for Tulalip Tribes Charitable Fund's gift of cowards Seattle Children's Theatre's Education & Engagement Programs for the 2021-22 Season. We experienced a gap in the Institutional Giving role and are now catching up on some of the things we missed. Relaunching our Mainstage Season and in-person Education & Engagement Programs following our theater's closure in March of 2020 has been a joy and a challenge. As we reflect on our 2021-22 Season, there is much to celebrate. It is with great pride I send a report detailing our achievements and takeaways from this incredibly unique season.

SCT is so grateful for Tulalip Tribes Charitable Fund for supporting our Education and Engagement Programs. Tulalip Tribes has been such a generous partner to SCT, with both past and present support, that elevates our mission to provide children of all ages access to professional theater through new works and theater education.

In 2021-22, we were able to:

- Reach 2,600 students (PreK 12th grade) through our school programs and partnerships,
- Work with 38 schools and organizations to provide,
- 698 hours of workshops and residencies,
- Subsidize \$62,616 in scholarships and free programming,
- And work with nine community-based organizations also serving Washington's youth.

Throughout the year, our esteemed Education teams were tasked with coordinating field trips with Seattle Public Schools and pairing each classroom with a workshop or residency. When we asked educators what aspect of the residency content was most valuable for their students, one educator responded, "Community building, a different opportunity for specific students to be successful in the classroom, positive attention for following directors, creative outlet." It is a heart-warming reminder that our work with community-based organizations and schools results in students' increased ability to work with their peers. Another educator provided feedback, detailing, "I have a couple of students who have behaviors that are difficult to manage, and they don't often have opportunities to feel successful with the typical content of the day. During improv, they got to really shine. One student in particular really grew in following directions, contributing to the class community, and he felt very rewarded in the positive attention from his peers."

Investing in children of all ages and backgrounds is paramount to building a more just and equitable society and as an institution, SCT will use its privilege and leadership to uphold the voices and stories of those underrepresented in our country. Children should see themselves reflected in arts programming and have access to creative environments where they can learn and grow.

Support from Tulalip Tribes Charitable Fund goes beyond supporting the Children's Theatre; it directly supports the youth of our region by connecting them with stories of optimism, adversity, and tools that will last for the rest of their lives. Your generosity is a signal to our greater community that young people are worth investing in. Your trust in SCT to continue providing access to professional theatre through new works and education specifically designed for young audiences means the world to us. Together, we have provided safe spaces for young people to learn and play and we look forward to sharing with you more about what is coming as we approach SCT's 49th Season!

Thank you for supporting SCT now and in the future.

Warm regards,

Kevin Malgesini Managing Director