

Tulalip Charitable Contributions Funds Distribution Report

NAME OF AGENCY: Village Theatre

ADDRESS: 2710 Wetmore Avenue, Everett, WA 98201 CONTACT: (425) 257-8600; www.villagetheatre.org

GENERAL GOALS: Village Theatre takes pride in nurturing tomorrow's audiences through

its youth education programs, Pied Piper and KIDSTAGE, serving over

63,000 young people, families, and schools annually.

SPECIFIC USE FOR THIS AWARD:

Portions of the grant are used for KIDSTAGE. KIDSTAGE staff completed a full year in the Youth Program Quality Initiative program. The program is funded in part by the Raikes Foundation and administered by School's Out Washington. The program assesses program quality and provides training to staff and educators to meet their program quality goals. Village Theatre KIDSTAGE continued in its second year to achieve among the highest scores in the nation for youth engagement and program quality.







For more information regarding the specific uses of the award, see the following pages from Village Theatre.



ROBB HUNT Executive Producer

STEVE TOMKINS Artistic Director

Report for Village Theatre Q3 2013 14.2 http://www.villagetheatre.org/everett/kidstage-everett.php

July 22, 2014

Tulalip Tribe Charitable Fund Marilyn Sheldon 8802 27th Ave. NE Tulalip, WA 98271-9694

Dear Marilyn and the Tulalip Tribes Charitable Fund Board,

Thanks in part to your generosity this year; we have many exciting things to report!

- 1) Record breaking attendance at KIDSTAGE-Currently over 450 students are attending or will attend summer camps at the new Second Stage and Youth Education Center. Up from 357 last year. Over 100 kids are in one of the summer productions *Anything Goes* or *Footloose*. 1,300 for the school year.
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- 3) Free performances in the Wetmore Theater Plaza began Friday July 11th and run each week on Fridays at noon. Come and visit! Between 150 and 250 young people and their families attend.
- 4) Pied Piper provided two free Sensory-Friendly performances for 400 people with special needs.
- 5) Nearly 3,000 children received free in-school workshops prior to seeing a Pied Piper production with their class that brought literature to life on stage. 2,500 students received free tickets to Pied Piper shows.
- 7) We are providing program support for 32 youth from the Stillaguamish Tribes.

We are grateful for all that the Charitable Fund does to make our communities strong and healthy.

Sincerely,

Kati Nickerson

Director of Youth Education and Community Outreach