Funds Distribution Report



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TulalipCares.org

Recipient Organization:

Washington Vocational Services

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Organization's General Goals:

Washington Vocational Services (WVS) believes every person with a disability has employment potential. Our purpose is to match the unique talents of each individual with the specific need of the employer. WVS has been supporting choice, inclusion, and empowering clients since May 3, 1976.

Date of Award: Level:

2019 Q1 \$5,001 to \$7,500

For more information, please read the attached report from Washington Vocational Services.



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Summer Camps 2019 – Tulalip Tribes Charitable Contributions Grant Report

Report Code: Q1 2019 14.2 # of Camper Slots: 75 spaces WVS's URL: www.wvs.org Grant Amount: \$

This year, Washington Vocational Services was able to serve fifteen individuals for five weeks in our Summer Day Camp program. Campers participated in adaptive yoga, swimming, rock-climbing, gymnastics, computer workshops, community service projects, sports activities, wood workshops, and much more! These activities helped campers stay engaged in their community during summer months, and helped prevent the regression of critical social skills that are gained during the school year. We served a gaping need in our county by providing a great way for individuals with disabilities to make friends, be physically active, and stay included in their community.

In addition, WVS Summer Camp participants contributed in various activities that gave back to our community. These activities not only complimented the unique talents of each camper, but they also provided a meaningful and purpose driven summer for our camp participants. Our campers completed a two day community service project at the Habitat for Humanity Store, assisting store volunteers with various tasks like cutting carpet, measuring doors, and disassembling light fixtures. Camp participants also volunteered at Skagit Gleaners, the YMCA Teen Oasis Shelter, Neighbors in Need Food Bank, the Burlington Fire Department, the Padilla Bay Interpretive Center, and the Burlington Parks and Recreation Department. At Neighbors in Need Food Bank, camp participants assembled 80 backpacks for their CHOW program (Child Hunger On the Weekends), which went to feed hungry children/families.

WVS Summer Camps enjoyed a full roster of campers each week, and operated with a waiting list for three of the five weeks.

Week 1 - Computers and Jugglers



Typing Workshop at Burlington Public Library



Tennis at Maiben Park

Week 2 - In Search of the Salish Sea







Camper Holding a Crab



Padilla Bay Beach Seine Activity

Week 3 – Music, Movement, & Service!





ABOVE: Parachute Team-Building Game

LEFT: Rock climbing at Riverstone Climbing Gym

Week 4 – YMCA





ABOVE: Swimming at YMCA

LEFT: Rope Swing at Ground Zero Gymnastics

Week 5 - Parks and Recreation



Building a Candy Dispenser at Maiben Park



Washing Trucks at the Burlington Fire Station