# **Funds Distribution Report**

#### CHARITABLE CONTRIBUTIONS

8802 27th Ave NE Tulalip, WA 98271

TulalipCares.org

### **Recipient Organization:**

## **Whatcom Family YMCA**

#### Address:

1256 N. State Street Bellingham, WA 98225

#### **Contact:**

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https://www.whatcomymca.org

#### **Organization's General Goals:**

The Whatcom Family YMCA is an association of individuals with shared values which enhance the community with programs for the spirit, mind and body.

Date of Award: Level:

2017-Q4 \$500 to \$2,500

For more information, please read the attached report from Whatcom Family YMCA.

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Whatcom Family Y- Final Report for Y Adventure School 1256 N State St.

**Tulalip Tribes Charitable Contributions** 

Dear Marilyn Sheldon,

Bellingham, WA 98225

Thank you for allowing us the privilege to support our community in a greater capacity. We were able to impact more youth because of your generous donation.

- 1. Pictures below
- 2. We had 120 youth in our Y Adventure School Program
- 3. Whatcom Family Y's URL- <a href="https://www.whatcomymca.org/">https://www.whatcomymca.org/</a>
- 4. Code for the report: Q4 2017 14.2
- 5. Report due April 30th, 2019

#### Y Adventure School report:

Y Adventure School provides teens with an opportunity to learn in environments outside the classroom. Our curriculum focuses on leadership skills, environmental awareness, and team-building. However, our main goal is to promote social and emotional learning among the students in order to help them develop self-efficacy. They accomplish these goals through the outdoors and giving back to their community. The YAS program includes a variety of challenges to help students grow, which can take many forms.

So far this year, we have worked with students from Kulshan, Fairhaven and Blaine Middle Schools. We have volunteered to clean-up beaches at both Squalicum Beach and Point Whitehorn Marine Reserve. We have learned about outdoor ethics and how to identify native plants and animals while hiking in the Chuckanut Mountains. We learned how to set goals and manage our fears while rock climbing. We practiced verbal and non-verbal communication skills while doing team-building activities at the Y. And most importantly, we have learned about diversity and different perspectives when we've discussed and debriefed all of the aforementioned activities as a group. With YAS, students learn about themselves just as much as they learn about their peers and the environments they live in.

#### Point Whitehorn Marine Reserve Beach Clean-up October 2018



# Fragrance Lake hike March 2019





Deception Pass hike September 2018



## Larrabee State Park October 2018



Thank you,

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