

Charlotte Martin Foundation: June 2013 Grant Cycle (Total Awarded: \$239,365)

Grantee	Grant Purpose	Grant Summary	Amount	State
Wildlife and Habitat Preservation				
Advocates for the West	Protecting the Sagebrush Sea	Conserve and protect the sagebrush steppe ecosystem by leveraging the threats facing sage-grouse and other native threatened species into improvements in public lands management.	\$5,000	ID
Craighead Institute	Pika Habitat and Climate Change	Identify pika distribution and habitat in order to assess the vulnerability of the species to climate change.	\$7,000	MT
Friends of the Ridgefield National Wildlife Refuge	Restoration and Education Specialist	Lead wildlife habitat restoration work events with volunteers and assist with environmental/cultural education visits for local school students.	\$6,000	WA
Owl Research Institute	Snowy Owl Research, Outreach, and Education	Promote Snowy Owl and Arctic conservation on the Beaufort Coastal Plain adjoining Barrow, Alaska	\$5,000	MT
Pacific Biodiversity Institute	Study the Inland Waters Harbor Porpoise	Asses the current base population of harbor porpoises in Washington's Inland Waters and assist in the recovery of this species by testing innovative passive acoustic monitoring technologies, and engage citizen scientists to raise public awareness about the species.	\$10,000	WA
The Lands Council	A Landscape Approach to Forestry in Idaho	The Panhandle Forest Collective will bring new landscape level science to a restoration design for the critical Coeur d'Alene watershed.	\$5,000	WA
Vital Ground Foundation	Elk Flats Neighbors Project	Secure conservation easements in the Swan Valley of Montana to protect a block of low-elevation habitat frequented by grizzly bear.	\$5,000	MT
Western Rivers Conservancy	Conserving Priority Migration Corridor for Threatened Wildlife	Acquiring a missing link in a high priority wildlife migration corridor, the Bennett Meadows tract in northeastern Washington provides essential habitat for wolverines, Canada lynx and diverse species including grizzly bears. Engage diverse stakeholders in completing a landscape linkage in Northwest crucial wildlife movement corridor.	\$5,000	OR
Xerces Society	Conserving Habitat for Wild Bumble Bee Pollinators in the Western US	Assess the conservation status of the most vulnerable bumblebee species in Western U.S. and provide workshops to land managers, and outreach to agencies that manage wildlife to assist in monitoring and conserving the species.	\$5,000	OR
Youth Athletics				
Arctic Heat	Promoting Girls Fast Pitch Softball to Girls in Alaska	Uniforms and equipment to sustain girls' softball program for ages 11-18.	\$5,000	AK
Billings Aquatic Club	Starting Block Replacement	Install new starting blocks at the Fortin Pool Center at Rocky College and make it available to both the developing swim lesson program and for hosting competitive swim teams from across Montana.	\$5,000	MT

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Four Rivers Community School	Fitness For A Lifetime	Gives bilingual rural K-8 youth access to athletic equipment and sports opportunities.	\$1,944	OR
Grand Coulee Dam School District	Lake Roosevelt High School Ladies Basketball	Providing basketball equipment and engaging high school athletes and coaches in girls basketball development program.	\$5,678	WA
Havre Youth Hockey Association	Girls' Hockey	Convert a large storage room into a new girls' locker room for youth hockey players ages 6-18.	\$3,800	MT
Livingston Park County Tennis Association	Ten and Under Tennis Equipment	Provide small tennis racquets, foam balls, and small nets for three elementary PE programs.	\$1,075	MT
McCall-Donnelly High School	Volleyball Purchase	Purchase new stock of volleyballs for program for elementary through high-school youth, including club and camps for all age groups.	\$2,250	ID
Parma Middle School	Uniform Replacement	Purchase new uniforms for middle school athletes who have had mostly hand me downs from the high school teams for 15 years.	\$6,145	ID
Porter Middle School	Girls Volleyball Uniforms	Purchase extra knee pads and volleyball shirts that girls could borrow for their middle school career, if they are unable to purchase them.	\$300	MT
River Discovery	Activity Adventures for Youth Cancer Survivors	Free river adventure programs for youth/teen cancer survivors engaging them in outdoor activities such as rafting, kayaking, hiking, swimming, and camping.	\$3,250	ID
Scenic 6 Community Development Council	Tennis Camp	Purchase tennis nets for the Potlatch School District Tennis Courts and bring in coaches to run free summer tennis camp for youth in low income rural community.	\$850	ID
Special Olympics Oregon	Youth Coaches	Recruit, train and support volunteer youth coaches for Special Olympics.	\$5,000	OR
Youth Culture				
Alaska Federation for Community Self-Reliance	Young Native Fiddlers	Traditional group fiddle or guitar lessons taught by Athabaskan musicians, weekly individual violin or guitar lessons to assist youth in gaining skills; participation in performances throughout the community.	\$5,000	AK
Applegate Regional Theater	Drama and Art Classes	After school program for rural youth, offering hands-on classes in the performing arts for younger kids and for teens, including movement for musical theater; make-up and costuming; set building, prop gathering and construction; acting, improvisation, and theater games; storytelling; and lighting and sound design	\$5,000	OR
Baker Community Choir	After School Childrens Choir	Expanding free after school program teaching basic vocal music fundamentals to elementary students.	\$1,000	OR
Ballet Fantastique	Boys Dance Lab	Engaging at-risk male youth ages 11-14 in dance education in two public schools serving high percentages of low-income families.	\$5,000	OR

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Center for Music by People with Disabilities	Music and Dance Lessons	Provide music and dance lessons for 65 children with disabilities coming mostly from low income households.	\$5,000	MT
Cornucopia Arts Council	Clear Creek Music Festival Kids' Camp	Clear Creek Music Festival will develop a two-week Kids' Camp to be held during the festival in July, 2013. with activities designed to further students' musical knowledge, choral participation, and hands-on playing experience, culminating in public performances at the end of the festival.	\$5,000	OR
Coyote Central	Hit the Streets	Twenty four at risk youth will work with professional artist to design, create and install mosaic artwork on a series of concrete seatwalls at Rainier Vista Community Farm.	\$5,000	WA
Four Rivers Cultural Center and Museum	Summer Theater Camp	Collaboration with the Missoula Children's Theatre to conduct Summer theatre camp for 60 children ages 6-18, culminating in two performances. Children are taught to act, dance and sing. Two professional actor/directors provide a set, lights, costumes, props and make-up, everything to put on a play, except for the cast.	\$3,350	OR
Lillian Vallely School	Native American Culture Program	Classes in Native American (Shoshone) language (speaking, reading, writing), traditional flute (playing, performing and composing), traditional dances (Shoshone and inter-tribal) and traditional crafts, particularly leather and beading.	\$5,000	ID
Livingston Center for Art and Culture	Education Expansion Through Collaboration	The Livingston Center will open a classroom in the Shane Lalani Center in order to increase capacity for arts programming for children 6-18, integrating theater and movement arts into classes and children's camps.	\$5,000	MT
Metropolitan Youth Symphony	Beginning Strings Program	Free Beginning Strings class for students who cannot afford lessons, classes or instruments.	\$5,000	OR
Nature of Words	The Storefront Project	Free after-school, drop-in creative writing instruction students age 11-18, tutoring by appointment, specialty workshops in fiction, nonfiction, poetry and performance poetry, and free public readings at NOW's downtown literary arts center.	\$5,000	OR
Pend Oreille Players Association	Youth Season 2013/2014	Youth summer camps for ages 6-18, staging 4 full length productions for youth only, including Fiddler on the Roof, A Serviceman's canteen - USO style show, and Beauty is a Beast.	\$5,000	WA
Stumptown Stages	Education & Outreach	Workshops honing the performance skills of high school students interested in performing arts, where arts programs are not currently accessible to them due to location or low socioeconomic status; scholarships to workshops in partnership with targeted Portland Metro high schools to bring no-cost workshops to interested students.	\$5,000	OR

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Whitefish Theatre Company	Educational Theatre Performance	Full-scale productions of "The Lion, the Witch, and the Wardrobe," (30 children) and the family musical "Oliver!" (10 children), and a black curtain production of a Shakespeare play (20 children).	\$5,000	MT
Youth Education				
Alaska Arts Southeast	Native Jazz Workshop	Professional quality jazz education to students from around the country, to transfer traditional native melodies from Southeast Alaska into contemporary works and present numbersour concerts. All new music will be documented on CD and DVD.	\$5,000	AK
Bike Works Seattle	Youth Experiential and Environmental Education Programs	Designed around bicycle repair and cycling, program combines critical thinking, practical skills, physical activity, leadership development, and community service.	\$5,000	WA
Born	Northern Cheyenne Second Season Youth Park	Moving from design to construction, a youth designed recreation area will to be built in Lame Deer, MT. on a plot of land granted to students by the Tribal Land Authority.	\$5,000	MT
Bus Project Foundation	Democracy Cup	Civics education and leadership development program for high school students, engaging 20 local young professional as volunteers to run classroom workshops and mentor students; teaching 4,500-5,500 high school students basic concepts in civic responsibility in a hands-on, nonpartisan classroom workshop; engaging 20 student led teams to create their own civic engagement project.	\$5,000	OR
Central Klickitat Conservation District	Swale Creek Planting	Centerville youth will develop and implement planting plans restoring riparian vegetation on a reach of Swale Creek, a state-designated impaired water body that impacts aquatic habitat.	\$5,000	WA
Friends Forever Mentoring	Mentoring Native American Youth	Weekly one-on-one mentoring sessions for at risk youth on Flathead Reservation. Tutoring, play, physical interactive games, that will increase academic efficacy, attitude towards school, classroom participation, peer relationships, self-esteem, and attendance.	\$8,000	MT
Hearts Gathered	Salish Language Immersion for Elementary Students	Teacher training, learning materials, and classroom furniture for first and second graders on the Colville Reservation to promote immersion learning and subsequent preservation of the salxcin language.	\$10,000	WA
Mckenzie Watershed Alliance	Watershed Education Program	A cooperative project between the McKenzie Watershed Council, three school districts and the US Forest Service to engage youth in outdoor education projects which integrate field science with active watershed restoration and monitoring projects.	\$5,000	OR
National American Indian Alaskan and Hawaiian Educational Development Center	K-5 Mathematics Intervention to Empower American Indigenous Children	Expanding intervention program to include 3rd-5th grades to meet 3 needs: unavailable intervention services, student mobility, and inadequate staffing.	\$5,000	WY

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Okanogan Conservation District	Ecology of the Okanogan Science Class	High school students engage in local habitat restoration and salmon recovery efforts through a year-long ecology course featuring field-based learning experiences, active monitoring of restoration sites and water quality, and student-designed public outreach efforts. Students work with natural resource professionals from state, local, and tribal agencies, allowing them to see the connection between academic accomplishment and science as a profession.	\$5,000	WA
Port Townsend Marine Science Society Fort Worden State Park	Whales of the Salish Sea	Multi-day intensive science experience that immerses 5th and 6th graders from the rural Olympic Peninsula in a topic relevant to their community and their culture- whales, with action oriented follow-up activities and lessons, integrated by teachers with their science curriculum.	\$5,000	WA
Red Lodge Area Community Foundation	Connecting Kids to Their Community	Youth volunteer program to connect at-risk kids to their community, a mentoring program to connect kids to caring adults, and a college access program to connect kids to hope for the future.	\$2,000	MT
Sound Experience	Girls at the Helm	Girls in grades 7 to 12 have a 4-day 3-night program aboard Adventuress to sail the ship with an all-female crew, learn from six women mentors, and become more aware of how to protect the ecology of Puget Sound.	\$2,500	WA
Tonasket Elementary School	Green City Challenge	Hands-on STEM activity promotes the theme of renewable, sustainable energy by developing robotic building and programming skills and taking on the challenge of missions simulating real-life challenges, each environmentally focused.	\$4,223	WA
Umpqua Watersheds	Environmental Education Curriculum, "Student Today, Steward Tomorrow,"	Umpqua Watersheds partners with McGovern Elementary School in Winston, Oregon to launch environmental education curriculum for Grade 6 students to teach concepts and skills in the field of land stewardship through inquiry-based learning activities that will help students meet Oregon's education standards in science, mathematics, and writing.	\$5,000	OR