



Grant Summary for FY2016

Ashaway

Name: Dawn Marie Spears Folk Arts Apprenticeships
City: Ashaway
Application Number: FY2016-17316 **Grant:** \$2,500.00

Description:

Folk Arts Apprenticeships are designed to foster the sharing of traditional (folk) artistic skills between a master and an apprentice who is already familiar with the genre. The program creates this opportunity specifically for individuals who share a common cultural heritage.

Dawn Spears learned from her mother the traditional art form of cornhusk dolls. The dolls are related to Native creation stories and are significant in both spiritual and educational ways.

Barrington

Name: Kevin Doyle Administrative
City: Barrington
Application Number: FY2016-17701 **Grant:** \$300.00

Description:

Presentation at Cultural Facilities Award Ceremony

Name: Susan Catherine Collyer Project Grant - Individual Artist
City: Barrington
Application Number: FY2016-17327 **Grant:** \$1,500.00

Description:

Susan Collyer & Judy dePerla will stage the oral history of nine senior citizens in the East Bay area. Three seniors are over 101 years old and all have been interviewed on film. A script has been created from their personal stories to be acted out by high school students.

Name: Eric Larson Gunness Project Grant - Individual Artist
City: Barrington
Application Number: FY2016-17337 **Grant:** \$1,500.00

Description:

Our fifth annual "Fiddle 'n' Folk Fest" produced by Local Brew Events will be much the same as in previous years: a free outdoor concert and folk event featuring local and regional musicians, storytellers, poets, visual displays from local artists, folk music workshops, and children's activities. The event will be held at Haines Park in Barrington on September 12th, 2015 (13th as rain date).

Name: St Luke School Big Yellow School Bus Grant Program
City: Barrington
Application Number: FY2016-17517 **Grant:** \$400.00
Description:
12/03/15 "Xmas Carol"

Name: Deborah Elizabeth Baronas Project Grant - Individual Artist
City: Barrington
Application Number: FY2016-17674 **Grant:** \$2,500.00
Description:
Deborah Baronas will document the activities and the cultural histories of textile workers and mill sites through paintings, textiles, video, music, archival materials and photography. With Rhode Island as the focus, the study becomes an examination of New England's textile heritage that is applicable to other parts of the country.

Name: Barrington Recreation Department Arts Access Grants
City: Barrington
Application Number: FY2016-17555 **Grant:** \$900.00
Description:
The Town of Barrington wishes to provide artists of all disciplines with a venue for showcasing their work on the historic Town Hall property. The intent of the Barrington Festival of the Arts is to present works of art that demonstrate innovation and originality in a unique environment for celebrating the power of the arts in the community.

Block Island

Name: Block Island Economic Development Foundation Administrative
City: Block Island
Application Number: FY2016-17720 **Grant:** \$500.00
Description:
Block Island Trail Map

Bradford

Name: Bradford School Big Yellow School Bus Grant Program
City: Bradford
Application Number: FY2016-17520 **Grant:** \$210.00
Description:
RI Philharm 4/15/16

Bristol

Name: Ellen Blomgren Education Partnership
City: Bristol
Application Number: FY2016-17702 **Grant:** \$1,500.00
Description:

Name: ArtNight Bristol Warren Arts Access Grants
City: Bristol
Application Number: FY2016-17274 **Grant:** \$750.00
Description:

Art Night Bristol Warren is a membership based organization that hosts five open studio/gallery/performance events the last Thursday of the month from May-September; a community kickoff and end celebration of participating artist, business, and gallery members; seminars and workshops; and kid friendly programming.

Name: Community String Project Arts Access Grants
City: Bristol
Application Number: FY2016-17280 **Grant:** \$2,500.00
Description:

The Community String Project will continue making afterschool orchestral string music lessons available to all East Bay youth (ages 8-18), currently serving 115 children/youth, 125 expected by 2015/16 academic year. 35% meet income qualifications for free instruction & subsidized use of an instrument, removing cost as a barrier to participation.

Name: Community String Project Arts Access Grants
City: Bristol
Application Number: FY2016-17547 **Grant:** \$2,000.00
Description:

The Community String Project will continue making afterschool orchestral string music lessons available to all East Bay youth (ages 8-18), so far serving 110 children/youth during the 2015/16 academic year. 42% meet income qualifications for free instruction & subsidized instrument, removing cost as a barrier. (Largest % subsidy since inception.)

Central Falls

Name: Ella Risk School/ Central Falls School District Project Grant - Education
City: Central Falls
Application Number: FY2016-17246 **Grant:** \$529.00
Description:

Students will take ownership of their environment by planning, designing & creating art/murals inside and outside their school building. This will include Words and images that will have a common theme to promote respect, responsibility, pride and a caring atmosphere.

Name: Ella Risk School Big Yellow School Bus Grant Program
City: Central Falls
Application Number: FY2016-17420 **Grant:** \$400.00
Description:
RI Philharm. 4/13/16

Name: The Learning Community Charter School Big Yellow School Bus Grant Program
City: Central Falls
Application Number: FY2016-17426 **Grant:** \$400.00
Description:
RI Philharm. 4/15/16

Name: Alfonso D Acevedo Project Grant - Individual Artist
City: Central Falls
Application Number: FY2016-17680 **Grant:** \$1,500.00
Description:
For the Program of The New Millennium Art Factory on 2016, we planning to direct all the focus in the art creation process by promoting an aware about the need to be connect with the neighborhood through development of art pieces which send a message to the audience about the work together for a friendly community. For this project we will include all the family of our students in the project.

Name: Cowden Street Collaborative Big Yellow School Bus Grant Program
City: Central Falls
Application Number: FY2016-17718 **Grant:** \$400.00
Description:
Busses to Trinity Rep's "To Kill a Mockingbird" 3/22/16

Name: Ella Risk School/ Central Falls School District Project Grant - Education
City: Central Falls
Application Number: FY2016-17584 **Grant:** \$1,500.00
Description:
The proposed education project is to decorate the inside and outside surroundings of our school to beautify and promote a respectful, responsible, safe and healthy school environment. Students will take ownership of their environment by planning, designing and creating artwork inside and outside of their school building.

Name: The Learning Community Charter School Project Grant - Education
City: Central Falls
Application Number: FY2016-17567 **Grant:** \$800.00
Description:
The Learning Community Charter School will host its second collaboration with RISCA Roster Artist Jess Regelson. The mosaic project will take place this spring and focus on connecting literature and arts through fantasy, allowing 5th graders to leave a lasting artistic impression on their school.

Chepachet

Name: Harmony Hill School

Project Grant - Education

City: Chepachet

Application Number: FY2016-17593

Grant: \$1,200.00

Description:

Ceramic artist, Melissa Loffler, will come to Harmony Hill School to create a large clay mural with students and staff. Students will gain a sense of community, self-worth, accomplishment and confidence through working with our visiting artist and exploring different art materials.

Coventry

Name: Coventry H S

Education Partnership

City: Coventry

Application Number: FY2016-17690

Grant: \$377.00

Description:

Arts integration project as part of the Arts Talk professional development program.

Name: Coventry H S

Big Yellow School Bus Grant Program

City: Coventry

Application Number: FY2016-17408

Grant: \$400.00

Description:

RISD Museum 12/4/15

Name: Feinstein Middle School Alan Shawn

Big Yellow School Bus Grant Program

City: Coventry

Application Number: FY2016-17407

Grant: \$400.00

Description:

"Nutcracker" @ Stadium Theatre 12/18/15

Cranston

Name: Cranston H S East

Education Partnership

City: Cranston

Application Number: FY2016-17689

Grant: \$295.00

Description:

For an arts integration project as part of the Arts Talk professional development program.

Name: **Arlington School** Big Yellow School Bus Grant Program
City: Cranston
Application Number: FY2016-17507 **Grant:** \$400.00
Description:
RI Philharm. 4/15/16

Name: **Artists' Exchange** Investments in Arts & Culture
City: Cranston
Application Number: FY2016-17218 **Grant:** \$759.00
Description:
This grant provides operational support for arts organizations which, in turn, contribute to the economic, educational and cultural life of RI communities.

Name: **Chester W Barrows School** Big Yellow School Bus Grant Program
City: Cranston
Application Number: FY2016-17411 **Grant:** \$120.00
Description:
Trinity Rep. "Xmas Carol" 12/15/15

Name: **Latino Public Radio** Investments in Arts & Culture
City: Cranston
Application Number: FY2016-17228 **Grant:** \$2,277.00
Description:
This grant provides operational support for arts organizations which, in turn, contribute to the economic, educational and cultural life of RI communities.

Name: **Megan and Murray McMillan** Project Grant - Individual Artist
City: Cranston
Application Number: FY2016-17339 **Grant:** \$3,000.00
Description:
We will create a large scale video installation, In What Distant Sky, to premiere for a large RI audience in September 2015 and then exhibit at the Massachusetts Museum of Contemporary Art from May 2016 to May 2017. RI audiences will stand inside a floating tea house fabricated from reclaimed industrial hardwood and look over a coal rock garden to see a video featuring similar elements.

Name: **Rhode Island Civic Chorale and Orchestra** Investments in Arts & Culture
City: Cranston
Application Number: FY2016-17163 **Grant:** \$2,193.00
Description:
This grant provides operational support for arts organizations which, in turn, contribute to the economic, educational and cultural life of RI communities.

Name: RI Alliance for Arts Education Education Partnership
City: Cranston
Application Number: FY2016-17385 **Grant:** \$14,700.00
Description:
Grant for Assistance to Education Program. Includes fiscal agent fee of \$700.

Name: RI Alliance for Arts Education Education Partnership
City: Cranston
Application Number: FY2016-17386 **Grant:** \$10,238.00
Description:
Arts Learning Network. Includes fiscal agent fee of \$488.

Name: Worship Arts Restoration, Inc Arts Access Grants
City: Cranston
Application Number: FY2016-17273 **Grant:** \$750.00
Description:
Worship Arts Restoration plans to facilitate a 4 week Summer Workshop Series for intergenerational participants, followed by a Fall session for students at EECA High School in Providence. The creative expressions of all ages will be developed through various genres and incorporated into a culminating production presented at URI in February 2016.

Name: Michael David Gore Project Grant - Individual Artist
City: Cranston
Application Number: FY2016-17667 **Grant:** \$2,500.00
Description:
Michael Gore and members of the Extraordinary Rendition Band will continue to teach instrument lessons, music, dance, instrument making, street performance and the role of arts in community activism at local schools, culminating in public performances with community partners.

Name: Paul Phillips Fellowship in Music Composition
City: Cranston
Application Number: FY2016-17604 **Grant:** \$1,000.00
Description:
Fellowships are highly-competitive grants designed to recognize and support artists doing exemplary work in their art form.

Name: Nancy Ann Richardson Project Grant - Individual Artist
City: Cranston
Application Number: FY2016-17662 **Grant:** \$1,500.00
Description:
The Bohemian Quartet will provide two separate workshops, one in Narragansett and the other in Pawtucket, on the music and dance of the Romani culture. The musical portion of the workshop will be open to all violin, viola, cello, and bass players at an intermediate to advanced level of skill and the dance portion will be open to all members of the community, regardless of dance experience.

Cumberland

Name: Blackstone River Theatre

Arts Access Grants

City: Cumberland

Application Number: FY2016-17288

Grant: \$2,000.00

Description:

Showcasing world-class traditional performers preserving Irish traditional music and Songs of the Sea, BRT will host two live events. Matt Molloy, John Carty and Arty McGlynn will perform on Sat., Aug. 8, 2015. The second event will be a "Sea Music Festival" featuring The Johnson Girls, Dan Milner and Robbie O'Connell on Sat., Nov. 21, 2015.

East Greenwich

Name: Nicole Capobianco

Education Partnership

City: East Greenwich

Application Number: FY2016-17712

Grant: \$600.00

Description:

Arts Talk arts integration services at Coventry HS.

Name: Music on the Hill

Investments in Arts & Culture

City: East Greenwich

Application Number: FY2016-17233

Grant: \$1,825.00

Description:

This grant provides operational support for arts organizations which, in turn, contribute to the economic, educational and cultural life of RI communities.

Name: Musica Dolce

Investments in Arts & Culture

City: East Greenwich

Application Number: FY2016-17204

Grant: \$3,478.00

Description:

This grant provides operational support for arts organizations which, in turn, contribute to the economic, educational and cultural life of RI communities.

East Providence

Name: RI Philharmonic Orchestra & Music School

Community Service Objective-Services to Schools

City: East Providence

Application Number: FY2016-17396

Grant: \$3,649.00

Description:

Community Service Objective-Services to Schools

Name: RI Philharmonic Orchestra & Music School Education Partnership
City: East Providence
Application Number: FY2016-17699 **Grant:** \$4,665.00

Description:

For Arts Talk services provided to Cranston East HS, Coventry HS, N Smithfield HS, Sanchez Educational Complex, Walsh HS, and professional development sessions. Arts Talk is an arts integration professional development program for high school educators.

Name: Bradley Hospital Arts Access Grants
City: East Providence
Application Number: FY2016-17286 **Grant:** \$2,500.00

Description:

Bradley Hospital's Healing Arts Program provides creative and therapeutic activities that improve and enhance the physical, mental, and emotional well-being of our patients. The Healing Arts Program is an umbrella of community based organizations that visit Bradley and offer a wide variety of visual arts, performance arts, and musical programs.

Name: Cathren Lee Housley Project Grant - Individual Artist
City: East Providence
Application Number: FY2016-17328 **Grant:** \$1,500.00

Description:

Award winning illustrator Cathren Housley brings a series of picture book workshops to libraries in underserved communities in RI. This creative story telling project gives children something more than their own mini-books to bring home. Kids learn problem solving skills that they can take with them through every area of life.

Name: Orlo Avenue School Big Yellow School Bus Grant Program
City: East Providence
Application Number: FY2016-17509 **Grant:** \$400.00

Description:

Performance @ PPAC 3/3/16 "Toying w/ Science"

Name: Providence Singers Investments in Arts & Culture
City: East Providence
Application Number: FY2016-17151 **Grant:** \$10,933.00

Description:

This grant provides operational support for arts organizations which, in turn, contribute to the economic, educational and cultural life of RI communities.

Name: RI Philharmonic Orchestra & Music School Investments in Arts & Culture
City: East Providence
Application Number: FY2016-17203 **Grant:** \$72,640.00

Description:

This grant provides operational support for arts organizations which, in turn, contribute to the economic, educational and cultural life of RI communities.

Name: The Narragansett Bay Symphony Community Orchestra Arts Access Grants

City: East Providence

Application Number: FY2016-17266 **Grant:** \$2,000.00

Description:

The Narragansett Bay Symphony Community Orchestra will perform its first two concerts of the 2015-2016 season on October 18, 2015 and December 6, 2015. Both concerts will be held at The Smith Center for the Performing Arts at 3:00pm. Featured soloist for October: Eric Mazonson, piano. Featured local composer for December: Dan Pelletier.

Name: Cathren Lee Housley Project Grant - Individual Artist

City: East Providence

Application Number: FY2016-17665 **Grant:** \$1,500.00

Description:

Award winning illustrator Cathren Housley brings a series of picture book workshops to libraries in the underserved communities of RI. This creative story telling project gives children something more than their own mini books to bring home- kids learn problem solving skills that they they can take with them to every area of life.

Name: Ocean State Montessori School Project Grant - Education

City: East Providence

Application Number: FY2016-17578 **Grant:** \$1,000.00

Description:

Working in compliment with current teaching curriculum, Marvelous Marvin plans to take class lesson plans on light, simple machines, chemistry and the human body and transform them into kinesthetic exercises, conduct these exercises with students, film these explorations and create a finished film to be used as learning tools for other teachers.

Exeter

Name: Tomaquag Indian Memorial Museum Investments in Arts & Culture

City: Exeter

Application Number: FY2016-17239 **Grant:** \$1,822.00

Description:

This grant provides operational support for arts organizations which, in turn, contribute to the economic, educational and cultural life of RI communities.

Foster

Name: Captain Isaac Paine Big Yellow School Bus Grant Program

City: Foster

Application Number: FY2016-17419 **Grant:** \$335.00

Description:

RI Philharm. 4/12/16

Name: Foster Gloucester Regional School District Project Grant - Education
City: Foster
Application Number: FY2016-17255 **Grant:** \$2,200.00

Description:

The Integrated Theater Arts Program offers elementary-aged children the opportunity to explore social-emotional development through theater and choral arts. Integrated Theater Arts is an expansion on a successful extension program, encouraging collaboration between staffed teachers, parent helpers, and local artists.

Name: Captain Isaac Paine Project Grant - Education
City: Foster
Application Number: FY2016-17573 **Grant:** \$700.00

Description:

The Expanded Theater Arts Program offers elementary-aged children the opportunity to explore social/emotional development and build their communications skills through theater. Integrated Theater Arts is an expansion on a successful extension program, encouraging collaboration between staffed teachers, parent helpers, and local artists.

Greenville

Name: Brian O'Malley Fellowship in Film and Video
City: Greenville
Application Number: FY2016-17301 **Grant:** \$5,000.00

Description:

Fellowships are highly competitive grants designed to recognize and support artists doing exemplary work in their art form.

Name: William Winsor School Big Yellow School Bus Grant Program
City: Greenville
Application Number: FY2016-17415 **Grant:** \$400.00

Description:

Prov. Ballet "Night Before Xmas" @ RIC 12/18/15

Harrisville

Name: Burrillville Middle School Big Yellow School Bus Grant Program
City: Harrisville
Application Number: FY2016-17686 **Grant:** \$400.00

Description:

Ocean State Theatre Co. "1776" on 3/4/16

Hope

Name: Hope Elementary School Big Yellow School Bus Grant Program
City: Hope
Application Number: FY2016-17418 **Grant:** \$400.00
Description:
Trinity Rep. 11/12/15

Name: Rhode Island Chamber Music Concerts Investments in Arts & Culture
City: Hope
Application Number: FY2016-17235 **Grant:** \$1,350.00
Description:
This grant provides operational support for arts organizations which, in turn, contribute to the economic, educational and cultural life of RI communities.

Jamestown

Name: Jamestown Arts Center Investments in Arts & Culture
City: Jamestown
Application Number: FY2016-17212 **Grant:** \$2,657.00
Description:
This grant provides operational support for arts organizations which, in turn, contribute to the economic, educational and cultural life of RI communities.

Johnston

Name: Johnston Sr H S Education Partnership
City: Johnston
Application Number: FY2016-17691 **Grant:** \$576.00
Description:
Arts integration project as part of the Arts Talk profesisonal development program.

Name: Daniel Larsh Education Partnership
City: Johnston
Application Number: FY2016-17705 **Grant:** \$750.00
Description:
Arts Talk arts integration program at Johnston HS.

Lincoln

Name: Fusionworks Investments in Arts & Culture
City: Lincoln
Application Number: FY2016-17172 **Grant:** \$4,410.00

Description:
This grant provides operational support for arts organizations which, in turn, contribute to the economic, educational and cultural life of RI communities.

Name: Lincoln Middle School Big Yellow School Bus Grant Program
City: Lincoln
Application Number: FY2016-17513 **Grant:** \$400.00

Description:
Hispanic Flamenco Ballet @ Columbus Theatre 11/6/15

Name: The State Ballet of RI Investments in Arts & Culture
City: Lincoln
Application Number: FY2016-17150 **Grant:** \$2,930.00

Description:
This grant provides operational support for arts organizations which, in turn, contribute to the economic, educational and cultural life of RI communities.

Middletown

Name: Common Fence Music Investments in Arts & Culture
City: Middletown
Application Number: FY2016-17191 **Grant:** \$8,250.00

Description:
This grant provides operational support for arts organizations which, in turn, contribute to the economic, educational and cultural life of RI communities.

Newport

Name: Newport Performing Arts Center Community Service Objective-Legislative Line Item
City: Newport
Application Number: FY2016-17393 **Grant:** \$25,000.00

Description:
Community Service Objective-Legislative Line Item

Name: Rebecca Noon Administrative
City: Newport
Application Number: FY2016-17405 **Grant:** \$400.00

Description:
Partial support to participate in a New England delegation to promote collaboration between Rhode Island and Ireland

Name: Boys & Girls Clubs of Newport County Investments in Arts & Culture
City: Newport
Application Number: FY2016-17222 **Grant:** \$1,283.00

Description:

This grant provides operational support for arts organizations which, in turn, contribute to the economic, educational and cultural life of RI communities.

Name: Francisco Pais Cardoso Project Grant - Individual Artist
City: Newport
Application Number: FY2016-17324 **Grant:** \$1,500.00

Description:

Over the next several months guitarist Francisco Pais' collective, a collaboration featuring Argentinian pianist Leo Genovese, drummer Ferenc Nemeth, saxophonist Myron Walden and bassist Peter Slavov, will perform and hold 3 concerts and 3 clinics at Sandywoods center for the arts in Tiverton RI, the Providence Athenaeum and Dexter Park. Open and free to the public and all ages.

Name: Flickers, the Newport Film/Video Society & Arts Co Investments in Arts & Culture
City: Newport
Application Number: FY2016-17147 **Grant:** \$4,386.00

Description:

This grant provides operational support for arts organizations which, in turn, contribute to the economic, educational and cultural life of RI communities.

Name: Island Moving Co. Investments in Arts & Culture
City: Newport
Application Number: FY2016-17149 **Grant:** \$17,250.00

Description:

This grant provides operational support for arts organizations which, in turn, contribute to the economic, educational and cultural life of RI communities.

Name: Newport Art Museum and Art Association Investments in Arts & Culture
City: Newport
Application Number: FY2016-17215 **Grant:** \$21,468.00

Description:

This grant provides operational support for arts organizations which, in turn, contribute to the economic, educational and cultural life of RI communities.

Name: Newport Gallery Organization Investments in Arts & Culture
City: Newport
Application Number: FY2016-17225 **Grant:** \$1,366.00

Description:

This grant provides operational support for arts organizations which, in turn, contribute to the economic, educational and cultural life of RI communities.

Name: Rebecca Noon Project Grant - Individual Artist
City: Newport
Application Number: FY2016-17330 **Grant:** \$1,000.00

Description:

Strange Attractor Theatre will create and perform "Before We Begin" at AS220's Black Box. A playful, personal, immersive theatrical experience that examines human connection, "Before We Begin" incorporates live musicians, a video artist, and a spirit guide. In conjunction with the performances we will volunteer with the Manton Avenue Project and clean the sidewalks around the venue.

Name: Andrea Dawn Shelley Project Grant - Individual Artist
City: Newport
Application Number: FY2016-17340 **Grant:** \$2,000.00

Description:

RI-based choreographer Andrea Dawn Shelley will present, 'UNTITLED' & 'the secret to life is to fall seven times & to get up eight times' at Great Friends Dance Festival on July 16,17,18,19 in Newport. The U.S. premiere of 'the secret to life is to fall seven times & to get up eight times' will fulfill the second installment of a 3-part series of her choreographic work presented in black box theaters.

Name: Newport Public Schools Project Grant - Education
City: Newport
Application Number: FY2016-17570 **Grant:** \$700.00

Description:

Newport Schools continue their partnership with Island Moving Co to integrate dance into the curriculum. IMC will engage 3rd graders, "text into movement", creative movement residency, and will continue and expand the 2nd graders "Math Into Movement" program. Fifth graders will attend an IMC rehearsal to interact and participate with the dancers.

Name: Rebecca Noon Project Grant - Individual Artist
City: Newport
Application Number: FY2016-17664 **Grant:** \$1,000.00

Description:

Strange Attractor is creating a new play using Shakespeare's "As You Like It" as primary source material. "Sans Everything" follows a ship of space explorers forced to perform "As You Like It" for a hostile space presence. Set so far in the future that Shakespeare has been lost, "Sans Everything" asks: what will it mean to be human long after everything we've made is forgotten?

North Kingstown

Name: Davisville Middle School Project Grant - Education
City: North Kingstown
Application Number: FY2016-17245 **Grant:** \$4,000.00

Description:

Ninety seventh grad+Q2:Q15e students from Davisville Middle School will enhance their understanding of Asian and African cultures by "travelling" down the Silk Road in 4-D: Dance, Drama, Drumming and Design. Students will work with experts to create large scale performances for their peers and community to share the lessons they learned on the Silk Road

Name: Terrence Shea Project Grant - Individual Artist
City: North Kingstown
Application Number: FY2016-17349 **Grant:** \$1,500.00

Description:

Festival51 will be a showcase for new plays or regional premieres written by women. Selected scripts will be staged at Mixed Magic Theater in Pawtucket in Summer 2015. Festival 51 will be an opportunity for local theater artists, from playwrights, to artistic staff, to performers, to create and produce new work by and for the RI community.

North Providence

Name: Everett Hoag Education Partnership
City: North Providence
Application Number: FY2016-17717 **Grant:** \$500.00

Description:

For arts integration services to the Arts Talk program.

Name: Luis Alberto Contreras Folk Arts Apprenticeships
City: North Providence
Application Number: FY2016-17312 **Grant:** \$2,500.00

Description:

Folk Arts Apprenticeships are designed to foster the sharing of traditional (folk) artistic skills between a master and an apprentice who is already familiar with the genre. The program creates this opportunity specifically for individuals who share a common cultural heritage.

Luis Contreras studied Quechua, the Native indian language of Ecuador, vocalized and used in the traditional Ecuadorian folk dance. He also received 3 full years of structured theoretical and practical training under the guidance of professional dances from the "Cultural Foundation Humanizarte", Ecuadorian Ballet.

Name: Jonathan Michael James-Perry Fellowship in Folk Arts
City: North Providence
Application Number: FY2016-17207 **Grant:** \$1,000.00

Description:

Fellowships are highly-competitive grants designed to recognize and support artists doing exemplary work in their art form.

Jonathan Perry is a Wampanoag Native American artist who works with natural materials available to him in his homeland community of Aquinnah. His focus is copper, which is the most significant metal in Wampanoag Society, and has been used for thousands of years.

Name: Joseph A Whelan Elementary Sch Big Yellow School Bus Grant Program
City: North Providence
Application Number: FY2016-17413 **Grant:** \$400.00
Description:
Stadium Theatre "Xmas Carol" 12/11/15

Name: Meghan Taryn Fogarty Project Grant - Individual Artist
City: North Providence
Application Number: FY2016-17671 **Grant:** \$5,000.00
Description:
ProvSlam Youth offers writing and performance programming to local youth including monthly poetry slams, writing workshops, and an intensive summer program that culminates with a trip to the Brave New Voices International Poetry Festival. Through spoken word, ProvSlam Youth works to provide mentorship, artistic and critical development, and space for young writers to collaborate and generate work.

Name: Neal Leaheey Project Grant - Education
City: North Providence
Application Number: FY2016-17572 **Grant:** \$700.00
Description:
The RI Interscholastic Improv League partners with local high schools to provide education in the performing arts linked with the English and Language Arts Common Core curriculum. The League then creates final improvised theatrical performances that bring students from different schools together to collaborate.

North Smithfield

Name: N Smithfield Jr/Sr H S Education Partnership
City: North Smithfield
Application Number: FY2016-17692 **Grant:** \$3,278.00
Description:
Arts integration project as part of the Arts Talk professional development program.

Pascoag

Name: Erin Whalen Education Partnership
City: Pascoag
Application Number: FY2016-17721 **Grant:** \$300.00
Description:
Artist services at Woonsocket HS for arts integration project.

Name: Dan Butterworth Project Grant - Individual Artist
City: Pascoag
Application Number: FY2016-17659 **Grant:** \$2,000.00

Description:

Four artists/ boat builders/ historians will create a 'museum quality' replica of a Tall Ship that will let wheelchairs enter and direct. This grant will pay for the hull, the attachments and a simulacrum of the three masts. Plans obtained will direct carving and painting of decking and guns ports while the rigging, little guns, and simple puppets to raise and lower the sails will be added later.

Name: Chance to Dance/RI Dance Alliance Arts Access Grants
City: Pascoag
Application Number: FY2016-17549 **Grant:** \$900.00

Description:

Chance to Dance is an established arts program that gives Rhode Island children in grades 3-6 a unique hands on experience with the arts. From October through May children participate in weekly dance classes held at their schools during school hours. These classes are taught by specially trained dance teachers and accompanied by a live musician.

Pawtucket

Name: Amy Leidtke Administrative
City: Pawtucket
Application Number: FY2016-17406 **Grant:** \$250.00

Description:

Name: Amy Leidtke Education Partnership
City: Pawtucket
Application Number: FY2016-17703 **Grant:** \$1,500.00

Description:

Arts Talk project at Coventry HS.

Name: Mixed Magic Theatre and Cultural Events Administrative
City: Pawtucket
Application Number: FY2016-17403 **Grant:** \$500.00

Description:

Name: Stephanie Stanford Shaw Education Partnership
City: Pawtucket
Application Number: FY2016-17716 **Grant:** \$600.00

Description:

Arts Talk arts integration program at Shea HS.

Name: **Shea Sr. High School** Education Partnership
City: Pawtucket
Application Number: FY2016-17693 **Grant:** \$525.00
Description:
Arts integration project as part of the Arts Talk professional development program.

Name: **VSA arts Rhode Island** Partnership Grants
City: Pawtucket
Application Number: FY2016-17723 **Grant:** \$350.00
Description:
Support for 13th Annual Sherlock Memorial Art Show in Atrium Gallery

Name: **J M Walsh School f/t Perf & Visual Arts** Education Partnership
City: Pawtucket
Application Number: FY2016-17695 **Grant:** \$800.00
Description:
Arts integration project as part of the Arts Talk professional dvelopment program.

Name: **Aurea, Inc.** Investments in Arts & Culture
City: Pawtucket
Application Number: FY2016-17168 **Grant:** \$1,924.00
Description:
This grant provides operational support for arts organizations which, in turn, contribute to the economic, educational and cultural life of RI communities.

Name: **Blackstone Valley Tourism Council** Investments in Arts & Culture
City: Pawtucket
Application Number: FY2016-17224 **Grant:** \$4,048.00
Description:
This grant provides operational support for arts organizations which, in turn, contribute to the economic, educational and cultural life of RI communities.

Name: **Flora S Curtis Memorial School** Big Yellow School Bus Grant Program
City: Pawtucket
Application Number: FY2016-17421 **Grant:** \$400.00
Description:
RI Philharm. 4/1/4/16

Name: **Mixed Magic Theatre and Cultural Events** Investments in Arts & Culture
City: Pawtucket
Application Number: FY2016-17153 **Grant:** \$4,724.00

Description:

This grant provides operational support for arts organizations which, in turn, contribute to the economic, educational and cultural life of RI communities.

Name: **Old Slater Mill Association** Investments in Arts & Culture
City: Pawtucket
Application Number: FY2016-17176 **Grant:** \$5,694.00

Description:

This grant provides operational support for arts organizations which, in turn, contribute to the economic, educational and cultural life of RI communities.

Name: **Pawtucket School Department COZ** Project Grant - Education
City: Pawtucket
Application Number: FY2016-17250 **Grant:** \$3,712.00

Description:

COPE Circles Of Peace Education is an interdisciplinary arts program that uses the arts as a venue to address bullying in the school community. The program culminates with a fiber arts exhibit of group peace gardens and symbolic banners and an open to the public poetry, song and dance performance.

Name: **Potter-Burns School** Big Yellow School Bus Grant Program
City: Pawtucket
Application Number: FY2016-17422 **Grant:** \$400.00

Description:

RI Philharm. 4/15/16

Name: **Sandra Feinstein-Gamm Theatre** Investments in Arts & Culture
City: Pawtucket
Application Number: FY2016-17148 **Grant:** \$27,500.00

Description:

This grant provides operational support for arts organizations which, in turn, contribute to the economic, educational and cultural life of RI communities.

Name: **Sandra Feinstein-Gamm Theatre** Education Partnership
City: Pawtucket
Application Number: FY2016-17387 **Grant:** \$14,000.00

Description:

Rhode Island Teaching Artists' Center Partnership
RI Teaching Artists Center (RITAC) is a virtual and physical center for teaching artists that promotes and supports the positive impact of teaching artists across the state's various sectors, particularly education and healthcare. RITAC serves as a bridge between teaching artists and those in need of teaching artists, provides physical and virtual places or teaching artists to further develop their skills, and connect philanthropists with innovative teaching artist projects.

Name: International Charter School Project Grant - Education
City: Pawtucket
Application Number: FY2016-17261 **Grant:** \$5,500.00

Description:

As part of a social studies unit "Documenting Cultural Communities," 3rd grade teachers at ICS partner with photographer Mary Beth Meehan to teach students to use photography to document their cultural communities, culminating in a public exhibition of their photographs and texts. This year, we we added a video component using the app Aurasma.

Name: International Charter School Big Yellow School Bus Grant Program
City: Pawtucket
Application Number: FY2016-17429 **Grant:** \$400.00

Description:

RI Philharm. 4/15/16

Name: St Cecilia School Big Yellow School Bus Grant Program
City: Pawtucket
Application Number: FY2016-17516 **Grant:** \$400.00

Description:

Trin. Rep. "Xmas Carol" 12/17/15

Name: The Art Connection-RI Arts Access Grants
City: Pawtucket
Application Number: FY2016-17276 **Grant:** \$500.00

Description:

During the month of July 2015, The Art Connection-RI (TAC-RI) will curate and install an exhibit at the URI Feinstein Gallery featuring a selection of work from 35 artists who have donated artwork to TAC-RI over the past 4 years. The exhibit will open on July 1, followed by a reception and artist's talk coinciding with Gallery Night on July 16.

Name: VSA arts Rhode Island Investments in Arts & Culture
City: Pawtucket
Application Number: FY2016-17216 **Grant:** \$7,900.00

Description:

This grant provides operational support for arts organizations which, in turn, contribute to the economic, educational and cultural life of RI communities.

Name: VSA arts Rhode Island Education Partnership
City: Pawtucket
Application Number: FY2016-17388 **Grant:** \$8,000.00

Description:

VSA arts produces the weekly television show for RI PBS by, for and about teens on behalf of the RI Arts Learning Network.

Name: VSA arts Rhode Island Education Partnership
City: Pawtucket
Application Number: FY2016-17404 **Grant:** \$18,485.00

Description:

Poetry Out Loud is the national program of the National Poetry Foundation and the National Endowment for the Arts. VSAarts produces the teaching artist and teacher professional development portion of the program, and organizes in partnership with RISCA the POL state finals that send the Ri state winner to the national competition in Washington, D.C. Partnership with VSAarts ensures that all students, with and without disabilities, are included in this statewide program.

Name: Blackstone Academy Charter School Project Grant - Education
City: Pawtucket
Application Number: FY2016-17581 **Grant:** \$2,000.00

Description:

Blackstone Academy, an urban public charter high school, has just completed Phase 1 of a major expansion project. Over the Spring, 2016 semester, 25 students will work with RISCA artist Jess Regelson to design a tile mosaic for our new multi-purpose room. Hundreds of individuals in our wider community will be involved in the mural installation.

Name: City of Pawtucket Arts Access Grants
City: Pawtucket
Application Number: FY2016-17535 **Grant:** \$500.00

Description:

Pawtucket was awarded an NEA grant in 2014 to install a piece of artistically excellent, community inspired, artwork on the George Street Overpass, a project that the City named Art Bridges Pawtucket. Pawtucket plans to hold a series of community engagement events over the next year as the artist designs, fabricates and installs this artwork.

Name: Friends of the Rhody Center, Inc. Arts Access Grants
City: Pawtucket
Application Number: FY2016-17554 **Grant:** \$1,000.00

Description:

Friends of the Rhody Center, Inc. is seeking funds to help fund community ensembles of steel pans (often called "steel drums"). The ensembles will be a new venture of our nonprofit organization, and will be free for kids and teens to join.

Name: Jenks Jr High School Dance Dept Project Grant - Education
City: Pawtucket
Application Number: FY2016-17568 **Grant:** \$3,300.00

Description:

4 groups of Jenks dance students will study with professional dancers to create new dances to be performed at year-end culmination events at school and off campus. Artists will collaborate with teachers of ELA, Social Studies, and Spanish to reinforce and express curriculum content through dance arts. All 170 dance students will study Folklorico.

Name: Jenks Jr High School Dance Dept Big Yellow School Bus Grant Program
City: Pawtucket
Application Number: FY2016-17722 **Grant:** \$400.00

Description:

To attend Festival Ballet

Name: Betsy Miller Fellowship in Choreography
City: Pawtucket
Application Number: FY2016-17523 **Grant:** \$1,000.00

Description:

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Name: Betsy Miller Project Grant - Individual Artist
City: Pawtucket
Application Number: FY2016-17660 **Grant:** \$1,000.00

Description:

In June 2016, Betsy Miller Dance Projects will present "Favorites": performances of Miller's most celebrated contemporary dance repertory, at the AS220 Black Box Theatre. Additional events include a workshop for students at Jenks Junior High School in Pawtucket, a free open rehearsal showing, a masterclass in contemporary technique and repertory for dancers, and post-performance artist Q&A.

Name: The Samaritans Inc Arts Access Grants
City: Pawtucket
Application Number: FY2016-17562 **Grant:** \$750.00

Description:

The Samaritans' Forget-Me-Not Gallery "67 Park Place Concert Series" presents: Members of Silk Road, Aurea and Pendragon in Concert.

Name: International Charter School Project Grant - Education
City: Pawtucket
Application Number: FY2016-17565 **Grant:** \$2,000.00

Description:

Photographer Mary Beth Meehan will guide 3rd grade students through an inquiry into the ways in which we discover & express ideas, feelings, nature, culture, beliefs & values; the ways in which we reflect on, extend & enjoy our creativity; our appreciation of the aesthetic?part of our new International Baccalaureate unit "How We Express Ourselves".

Peace Dale

Name: Unitarian Universalist Congregation of South Count Arts Access Grants
City: Peace Dale
Application Number: FY2016-17282 **Grant:** \$750.00

Description:

Music at Lily Pads continues as an ongoing music and performance series in a church sanctuary venue in Peace Dale, Rhode Island. Entering our fifth year, we plan to present a variety of artists from Rhode Island, the Northeast, and national and international talent.

Portsmouth

Name: Amy Bartlett Wright Education Partnership
City: Portsmouth
Application Number: FY2016-17715 **Grant:** \$500.00

Description:

Arts Talk arts integraion program at Walsh School.

Providence

Name: Alliance of Artists Communities Administrative
City: Providence
Application Number: FY2016-17402 **Grant:** \$5,000.00

Description:

Support for National Conference in Providence

Name: AS220 Community Service Objective-Legislative Line Item
City: Providence
Application Number: FY2016-17389 **Grant:** \$14,427.00

Description:

Community Service Objective-Legislative Line Item

Name: AS220 Education Partnership
City: Providence
Application Number: FY2016-17713 **Grant:** \$500.00
Description:
Arts Talk arts integration services at TAPA, provided by AS220 youth program's Anjel Newman.

Name: Kate Champa Education Partnership
City: Providence
Application Number: FY2016-17707 **Grant:** \$750.00
Description:

Name: Laura Colella Education Partnership
City: Providence
Application Number: FY2016-17708 **Grant:** \$950.00
Description:
Arts Talk arts integration program at Shea HS.

Name: Community MusicWorks Community Service Objective-Legislative Line Item
City: Providence
Application Number: FY2016-17390 **Grant:** \$6,328.00
Description:
Community Service Objective-Legislative Line Item

Name: FirstWorks Community Service Objective-Legislative Line Item
City: Providence
Application Number: FY2016-17391 **Grant:** \$3,608.00
Description:
Community Service Objective-Legislative Line Item

Name: FirstWorks Education Partnership
City: Providence
Application Number: FY2016-17710 **Grant:** \$890.00
Description:
For Arts Talk arts integration program with Walsh School.

Name: Museum of Art, Rhode Island School of Design Community Service Objective-Services to Schools
City: Providence
Application Number: FY2016-17392 **Grant:** \$3,128.00
Description:
Community Service Objective-Services to Schools

Name: Trinity Repertory Company Community Service Objective-Legislative Line Item
City: Providence
Application Number: FY2016-17398 **Grant:** \$9,113.00
Description:
Community Service Objective-Legislative Line Item

Name: Trinity Repertory Company Education Partnership
City: Providence
Application Number: FY2016-17697 **Grant:** \$6,493.00
Description:
For Arts Talk services provided to Cranston East HS, Coventry HS, Johnston HS, N Smithfield HS, Sanchez Educational Complex, TAPA, Walsh HS, and professional development sessions. Arts Talk is an arts integration professional development program for high school educators.

Name: WaterFire Providence Community Service Objective-Legislative Line Item
City: Providence
Application Number: FY2016-17399 **Grant:** \$375,000.00
Description:
Community Service Objective-Legislative Line Item

Name: Art League of Rhode Island Arts Access Grants
City: Providence
Application Number: FY2016-17278 **Grant:** \$750.00
Description:
The Art League of Rhode Island plans to use 2 curatorial mentors to guide in the creation of 2 exhibitions and the companion programs and materials. These experienced curatorial mentors will guide emerging curators who will be responsible for Winter 2015 & Spring 2016 at The VETS Gallery, One Avenue of the Arts, Providence, RI.

Name: Arts Marketplace Pawtucket Arts Access Grants
City: Providence
Application Number: FY2016-17267 **Grant:** \$750.00
Description:
Held at the historic Pawtucket Armory Arts Center, Arts Marketplace Pawtucket is a two day juried fine art and contemporary craft show and sale. Over fifty artists working in a variety of media. The event which is free and open to the public, is held the weekend of Sept. 26 & 27 in conjunction with the Pawtucket Arts Festival.

Name: AS220 Investments in Arts & Culture
City: Providence
Application Number: FY2016-17221 **Grant:** \$38,488.00
Description:
This grant provides operational support for arts organizations which, in turn, contribute to the economic, educational and cultural life of RI communities.

Name: Juan Jose Barboza-Gubo Fellowship in Three-Dimensional Art
City: Providence
Application Number: FY2016-17375 **Grant:** \$5,000.00

Description:

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Name: Henry Barnard School Big Yellow School Bus Grant Program
City: Providence
Application Number: FY2016-17511 **Grant:** \$200.00

Description:

VMA "Miss Nelson.." 1/27/16

Name: Ali Boyd Project Grant - Individual Artist
City: Providence
Application Number: FY2016-17325 **Grant:** \$1,000.00

Description:

I am continuing my work on The Man is Dead, which is a feature length documentary about 1960s outlaw psych-folk singer/songwriter, Peter Kelley. Peter was signed to Sire in the late 1960s by Seymour Stein and Richard Gottehrer. He was born, raised and died in Rhode Island.

Name: Andy James Boyd Fellowship in Playwriting/Screenwriting
City: Providence
Application Number: FY2016-17107 **Grant:** \$1,000.00

Description:

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Name: Butler Hospital Arts Access Grants
City: Providence
Application Number: FY2016-17275 **Grant:** \$2,500.00

Description:

The Healing Arts at Butler Hospital Residency and Training Project will be an 8-month residency program of Music and Movement Therapy on our eight in-patient units, and will provide training in creating Expressive Arts groups for unit staff, as well as provide a Visual Arts residency in the hospital's Patient Assessment Services area.

Name: Laura Raquel Cetilia Project Grant - Individual Artist
City: Providence
Application Number: FY2016-17334 **Grant:** \$2,000.00

Description:

Imaginary Landscapes - Providence 2015 is a festival, held at Machines with Magnets in August 2015, celebrating the release of 42 lathe cut records by local record label Estuary Ltd.

Name: Colin Channer Fellowship in Fiction
City: Providence
Application Number: FY2016-17099 **Grant:** \$5,000.00

Description:
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Name: Franny Choi Fellowship in Poetry
City: Providence
Application Number: FY2016-17145 **Grant:** \$5,000.00

Description:
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Name: Franny Choi Project Grant - Individual Artist
City: Providence
Application Number: FY2016-17341 **Grant:** \$3,750.00

Description:
Providence Poetry Slam Co-Director Franny Choi plans to bring 16 outstanding poets to perform at AS220 and lead youth writing workshops at New Urban Arts.

Name: City of Providence Dept of Art, Culture + Tourism Investments in Arts & Culture
City: Providence
Application Number: FY2016-17242 **Grant:** \$5,229.00

Description:
This grant provides operational support for arts organizations which, in turn, contribute to the economic, educational and cultural life of RI communities.

Name: Community MusicWorks Investments in Arts & Culture
City: Providence
Application Number: FY2016-17213 **Grant:** \$11,454.00

Description:
This grant provides operational support for arts organizations which, in turn, contribute to the economic, educational and cultural life of RI communities.

Name: Craig Alan Demi Fellowship in Fiction
City: Providence
Application Number: FY2016-17098 **Grant:** \$1,000.00

Description:
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Name: DownCity Design Project Grant - Education
City: Providence
Application Number: FY2016-17253 **Grant:** \$3,500.00

Description:

DownCity Design will run a 6-week Summer Design Camp in partnership with the Providence Career and Technical Academy from July 6 – August 14, 2015. 3 Design Educators will partner with a Math teacher and an English teacher to work with 35 PCTA students to design and build small-scale installations for up to four non-profit partner organizations.

Name: E-3 Academy Big Yellow School Bus Grant Program
City: Providence
Application Number: FY2016-17430 **Grant:** \$266.00

Description:

Gamm Th. 12/4/15

Name: Everett Investments in Arts & Culture
City: Providence
Application Number: FY2016-17217 **Grant:** \$19,650.00

Description:

This grant provides operational support for arts organizations which, in turn, contribute to the economic, educational and cultural life of RI communities.

Name: Festival Ballet Providence Investments in Arts & Culture
City: Providence
Application Number: FY2016-17211 **Grant:** \$22,056.00

Description:

This grant provides operational support for arts organizations which, in turn, contribute to the economic, educational and cultural life of RI communities.

Name: FirstWorks Investments in Arts & Culture
City: Providence
Application Number: FY2016-17240 **Grant:** \$7,118.00

Description:

This grant provides operational support for arts organizations which, in turn, contribute to the economic, educational and cultural life of RI communities.

Name: Mary E Fogarty Elem School Big Yellow School Bus Grant Program
City: Providence
Application Number: FY2016-17514 **Grant:** \$400.00

Description:

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Name: Gallery Night Providence Investments in Arts & Culture
City: Providence
Application Number: FY2016-17186 **Grant:** \$5,000.00

Description:

This grant provides operational support for arts organizations which, in turn, contribute to the economic, educational and cultural life of RI communities.

Name: Topher Gent Fellowship in Crafts
City: Providence
Application Number: FY2016-17072 **Grant:** \$5,000.00

Description:

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Name: Girls Rock! Rhode Island Investments in Arts & Culture
City: Providence
Application Number: FY2016-17230 **Grant:** \$2,309.00

Description:

This grant provides operational support for arts organizations which, in turn, contribute to the economic, educational and cultural life of RI communities.

Name: Greater Kennedy Plaza c/o Coalition for Community Arts Access Grants
City: Providence
Application Number: FY2016-17289 **Grant:** \$2,500.00

Description:

Greater Kennedy Plaza Arts & Cultural Programming revitalizes our capitol city by providing free, high quality, accessible public programming in downtown parks. Programs include the Burnside Music Series, Noon Tunes and family programs such as Storytime & Art in the Park as well as public art and community programs hosted at the Imagination Center.

Name: Highlander Charter School Big Yellow School Bus Grant Program
City: Providence
Application Number: FY2016-17512 **Grant:** \$400.00

Description:

RI Philharm 4/13/16

Name: Michelle Kaminsky Folk Arts Apprenticeships
City: Providence
Application Number: FY2016-17315 **Grant:** \$2,500.00

Description:

Folk Arts Apprenticeships are designed to foster the sharing of traditional (folk) artistic skills between a master and an apprentice who is already familiar with the genre. The program creates this opportunity specifically for individuals who share a common cultural heritage.

Michelle Kaminsky is a master fiddle player who studied under many fiddlers and musicians including Dudley Laufman, Rodney Miller, Pete Sutherland, Nat Hewitt, Kerry Elkin, Donna Hebert, Lisa Ornstein and jim Joseph.

Name: Bisi Osulale Kolawole Fellowship in Folk Arts
City: Providence
Application Number: FY2016-17206 **Grant:** \$5,000.00

Description:

Fellowships are highly-competitive grants designed to recognize and support artists doing exemplary work in their art form. Two awards are given out, one for \$5,000 and one for \$1,000.

Bisi is a very accomplished drummer with a long history of teaching others. He is very involved in his community and has a strong RI connection. He has a strong legacy of involvement with the community ceremonies, rituals, weddings, and Yoruba culture.

The traditional art of drumming has been in his family for several generations. He was born in the ancient city of Ile-Ife in the South Western part of Nigeria.

Name: Lillian Feinstein Elem School Big Yellow School Bus Grant Program
City: Providence
Application Number: FY2016-17423 **Grant:** \$400.00

Description:

RI Philharm. 4/13/16

Name: Lincoln School Arts Access Grants
City: Providence
Application Number: FY2016-17287 **Grant:** \$500.00

Description:

The Rhode Island Festival of Children's Books and Authors is looking to include a storyteller's tent at their annual event. Oral storytelling will enhance, bring diversity and provide a rich dynamic to the community of the Festival. This is a perfect marriage between the written and the spoken word.

Name: Sidy Maiga Project Grant - Individual Artist
City: Providence
Application Number: FY2016-17333 **Grant:** \$2,500.00

Description:

Afrika Nyaga is an annual drum and dance festival held in Rhode Island since 2009. The festival involves drum and dance workshops for all family members during the day, followed by several concerts held at night in an outdoor summer event.

Name: Jose Maldonado Project Grant - Individual Artist
City: Providence
Application Number: FY2016-17347 **Grant:** \$3,750.00

Description:

Project 401 Founder and Leader Jose “Facce” Maldonado will plan, organize, do outreach for, and execute Project 401's second annual Summer Jam Series, a comprehensive Hip Hop programming series involving instruction and mentorship in Breakdancing, Rapping, and Djing, as well as facilitated discussions on pertinent socio-political issues and monthly public “Jams” at the PC Annex on Douglas Ave.

Name: The Manton Avenue Project Investments in Arts & Culture
City: Providence
Application Number: FY2016-17219 **Grant:** \$3,796.00

Description:

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Name: Alexandria Marro Project Grant - Individual Artist
City: Providence
Application Number: FY2016-17343 **Grant:** \$1,500.00

Description:

Xander Marro will present a collection of writing and pictures by various artists with connections to Rhode Island.

Name: Zachary Scott Martin Folk Arts Apprenticeships
City: Providence
Application Number: FY2016-17314 **Grant:** \$2,500.00

Description:

Folk Arts Apprenticeships are designed to foster the sharing of traditional (folk) artistic skills between a master and an apprentice who is already familiar with the genre. The program creates this opportunity specifically for individuals who share a common cultural heritage.

Zachary Martin comes from a long lineage of woodworkers that date back to 1730, his grandfather fabricated patterns for steam engines and industrial applications. Zachary went on to be a cabinetmaker and musician, he studied at the School of violin making and went on to apprentices in cello repairs with Russell Wagner at Chicago Cello Works. He opened up his own shop in 2003 in Providence, he has worked in wood from a young age and has studied lutherie for almost 20 years.

Name: Meeting Street Project Grant - Education
City: Providence
Application Number: FY2016-17262 **Grant:** \$6,000.00

Description:

Meeting Street will host a theatre arts program in collaboration with RISCA Education Roster organization Center for Dynamic Learning/Traveling Theatre. Serving students in grades K-5, the proposed project will connect to our literacy, music and art curricula through the existing school-wide read aloud program.

Name: Museum Concerts Investments in Arts & Culture
City: Providence
Application Number: FY2016-17238 **Grant:** \$1,140.00

Description:

This grant provides operational support for arts organizations which, in turn, contribute to the economic, educational and cultural life of RI communities.

Name: Museum of Art, Rhode Island School of Design Investments in Arts & Culture
City: Providence
Application Number: FY2016-17187 **Grant:** \$68,728.00

Description:

This grant provides operational support for arts organizations which, in turn, contribute to the economic, educational and cultural life of RI communities.

Name: New Urban Arts Investments in Arts & Culture
City: Providence
Application Number: FY2016-17241 **Grant:** \$9,671.00

Description:

This grant provides operational support for arts organizations which, in turn, contribute to the economic, educational and cultural life of RI communities.

Name: Olneyville Housing Corporation Arts Access Grants
City: Providence
Application Number: FY2016-17271 **Grant:** \$1,250.00

Description:

The Olneyville Fall Festival is an annual community celebration for Olneyville residents and neighborhood organizations. The goal of the festival is to provide safe, positive community building activities and cultural programming for the neighborhood and celebrate the community.

Name: Ed Osborn Project Grant - Individual Artist
City: Providence
Application Number: FY2016-17338 **Grant:** \$1,500.00

Description:

Gain Stage is an audio installation that shapes acoustic space in relation to a series of physical and mechanical tableaux. Each tableau focuses on a single device or object which involves a process of mechanical amplification or inscription, and the movements in each tableau are amplified so that their sounds are heard in varying combinations from speakers spread throughout the exhibition space.

Name: Part of the Oath Arts Access Grants
City: Providence
Application Number: FY2016-17281 **Grant:** \$750.00

Description:

Voices of Beauty is a collaboration between young poets, choreographers and dancers focusing on issues of body image which our youth struggle with. We visit different middle schools and high schools throughout Rhode Island; Health care providers lead discussions on obesity, eating disorders, and other relevant issues after performances.

Name: Providence Athenaeum Investments in Arts & Culture
City: Providence
Application Number: FY2016-17232 **Grant:** \$2,521.00

Description:

This grant provides operational support for arts organizations which, in turn, contribute to the economic, educational and cultural life of RI communities.

Name: Providence Children's Film Festival Investments in Arts & Culture
City: Providence
Application Number: FY2016-17171 **Grant:** \$3,500.00

Description:

This grant provides operational support for arts organizations which, in turn, contribute to the economic, educational and cultural life of RI communities.

Name: Providence CityArts for Youth Investments in Arts & Culture
City: Providence
Application Number: FY2016-17243 **Grant:** \$5,397.00

Description:

This grant provides operational support for arts organizations which, in turn, contribute to the economic, educational and cultural life of RI communities.

Name: Providence College Arts Access Grants
City: Providence
Application Number: FY2016-17279 **Grant:** \$750.00

Description:

"A Sign Only Has to Serve as a Sign" is an exhibition and public programming series at PC Galleries at Providence College. The project features local and national artists who merge sign-making techniques with various artistic disciplines to generate text-based artworks at the nexus of contemporary art, poetry, protest and commercialism.

Name: Providence Community Library Investments in Arts & Culture
City: Providence
Application Number: FY2016-17214 **Grant:** \$3,207.00

Description:

This grant provides operational support for arts organizations which, in turn, contribute to the economic, educational and cultural life of RI communities.

Name: **Raising Hope Inc** Project Grant - Education
City: Providence
Application Number: FY2016-17258 **Grant:** \$3,000.00

Description:

Afro-Caribbean drumming is to enhance the creative skills of youth in the middle school to make cultural music, as well as enable cultural sensitivity through the understanding and participation in folk drumming workshops for ten weeks, taught by two Masters drummers.

Name: **Rhode Island Black Storytellers** Investments in Arts & Culture
City: Providence
Application Number: FY2016-17202 **Grant:** \$3,600.00

Description:

This grant provides operational support for arts organizations which, in turn, contribute to the economic, educational and cultural life of RI communities.

Name: **Rhode Island Wind Ensemble** Investments in Arts & Culture
City: Providence
Application Number: FY2016-17184 **Grant:** \$3,389.00

Description:

This grant provides operational support for arts organizations which, in turn, contribute to the economic, educational and cultural life of RI communities.

Name: **RPM Voices of Rhode Island** Investments in Arts & Culture
City: Providence
Application Number: FY2016-17223 **Grant:** \$760.00

Description:

This grant provides operational support for arts organizations which, in turn, contribute to the economic, educational and cultural life of RI communities.

Name: **Thad Russell** Fellowship in Photography
City: Providence
Application Number: FY2016-17201 **Grant:** \$1,000.00

Description:

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Name: Sophia Academy Project Grant - Education
City: Providence
Application Number: FY2016-17251 **Grant:** \$2,487.00

Description:

The Sophia Academy Theatre Arts/ Social Justice After-school program "STORY: SHE TALES OF REAL YESTERDAY" partners a storyteller with social studies faculty with the goal of connecting curriculum to the performing arts, deepening understanding and relevance so students may "tell" their own story in relation to a political issue through performance.

Name: The Providence Foundation Arts Access Grants
City: Providence
Application Number: FY2016-17272 **Grant:** \$1,250.00

Description:

Providence Art Windows provides art and art installations in downtown Providence that are available to everyone, 24 hours a day. They are placed in unused storefronts and with business partners to enliven the walking experience and fill what are normally empty spaces. Artists and artist teams are paid to loan or make work for each window.

Name: The Steel Yard Investments in Arts & Culture
City: Providence
Application Number: FY2016-17227 **Grant:** \$5,000.00

Description:

This grant provides operational support for arts organizations which, in turn, contribute to the economic, educational and cultural life of RI communities.

Name: The Wilbury Theatre Group Arts Access Grants
City: Providence
Application Number: FY2016-17292 **Grant:** \$2,500.00

Description:

The 2nd Annual Providence Fringe Theatre Festival, FringePVD 2015. Presented by The Wilbury Theatre Group, in collaboration with URI Providence.

Name: Trinity Academy for the Performing Arts Big Yellow School Bus Grant Program
City: Providence
Application Number: FY2016-17431 **Grant:** \$345.00

Description:

London Boyz @ Vets 2/1/16

Name: Trinity Repertory Company Investments in Arts & Culture
City: Providence
Application Number: FY2016-17146 **Grant:** \$90,140.00

Description:

This grant provides operational support for arts organizations which, in turn, contribute to the economic, educational and cultural life of RI communities.

Name: **Jamie R. Uretsky** Project Grant - Individual Artist
City: Providence
Application Number: FY2016-17350 **Grant:** \$1,000.00

Description:

Visual artist J.R. Uretsky has teamed up with cellist Emily Dix Thomas to create an affective experience specifically to encourage adjunct professors, art educators, fellow artists and the underemployed. This new work is titled Wild Hope and is a performance that unites live, contemporary cello music with video and abstract puppetry to highlight interpersonal intimacy.

Name: **Kirsten Volness** Project Grant - Individual Artist
City: Providence
Application Number: FY2016-17352 **Grant:** \$2,500.00

Description:

Kirsten Volness, along with a core group of locally-based musicians, plans a concert series of new music by Rhode Island composers. Two concerts will be presented in Providence at the downtown nightclub Aurora in December 2015, and at the Southside Cultural Center in Spring of 2016. The aim will be to bring together a diverse group of Rhode Island musicians and audience members.

Name: **What Cheer Arts Company** Arts Access Grants
City: Providence
Application Number: FY2016-17284 **Grant:** \$2,500.00

Description:

PRONK is a free, family-friendly, outdoor activist music festival, featuring brass & drum-based street bands from across the US & globe playing alongside local artists. The parade showcases activists, artists, and community members who spontaneously join in. PRONK invites all residents and visitors to reclaim its streets with brass, beats, & feet.

Name: **Roger Williams Middle School** Big Yellow School Bus Grant Program
City: Providence
Application Number: FY2016-17425 **Grant:** \$400.00

Description:

RISD & Haffenreffer Museums 3/29/16

Name: **Jim Wolpaw** Project Grant - Individual Artist
City: Providence
Application Number: FY2016-17344 **Grant:** \$3,500.00

Description:

The documentary film "Best Judgment: Ladd School Lessons" is using the story of Rhode Island's former facility for people with developmental disabilities as an anchor point in exploring and challenging attitudes toward those identified as having developmental disabilities. The film is being produced by individuals with developmental disabilities in collaboration with veteran media professionals.

Name: Young/Woods Elem School Big Yellow School Bus Grant Program
City: Providence
Application Number: FY2016-17427 **Grant:** \$400.00
Description:
Paper Bag Theatre @ RIC 4/26/16

Name: Meredith Younger Fellowship in Three-Dimensional Art
City: Providence
Application Number: FY2016-17369 **Grant:** \$1,000.00
Description:
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Name: Kelli Rae Adams Fellowship in New Genres
City: Providence
Application Number: FY2016-17504 **Grant:** \$5,000.00
Description:
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Name: Johnny Adimando Fellowship in Drawing and Printmaking
City: Providence
Application Number: FY2016-17456 **Grant:** \$5,000.00
Description:
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Name: Alliance of Artists Communities Administrative
City: Providence
Application Number: FY2016-17997 **Grant:** \$500.00
Description:

Name: Brown University/Rites and Reason Theatre Arts Access Grants
City: Providence
Application Number: FY2016-17533 **Grant:** \$1,500.00
Description:
The 2016 Black Lavender Experience is a 4-day convergence of ideas and issues presented through the lens of provocative theatre, artistic presentations and conversation sparked by queer artists of color. BLX 2016, the 8th annual, features new-play staged readings-each with a post-performance Folkthought discussion; panels; workshops, symposia.

Name: Laura Colella Project Grant - Individual Artist
City: Providence
Application Number: FY2016-17683 **Grant:** \$1,500.00

Description:

Writer/Director Laura Colella will complete post-production for a 15- to 20-minute film, THE FLYING ELECTRIC. The story takes place one rainy night in an old low-rent boarding house. As a couple's conversation is repeatedly interrupted by a series of visitors to their room, it becomes increasing possible that everyone we see is a facet of one overwhelmed mind.

Name: Kevin Cunningham Design Innovation Grant
City: Providence
Application Number: FY2016-17653 **Grant:** \$6,000.00

Description:

I proposed to further my design development of my innovative SeaResin material. SeaResin is made with found marine debris that washes ashore, such as ropes and nets, combined with eco-friendly materials. I am pursuing jewelry design which utilizes this unique, innovative material.

Name: DownCity Design Project Grant - Education
City: Providence
Application Number: FY2016-17574 **Grant:** \$2,000.00

Description:

DownCity Design educators will lead 65 or more Providence Public School students through the process of designing and building creative new amenities for at least 3 Providence Parks through in-school and after-school design/build programs throughout the 2015-16 academic year.

Name: Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. Elementary School Pare Project Grant - Education
City: Providence
Application Number: FY2016-17585 **Grant:** \$700.00

Description:

Fifth-grade students and teachers will work with renowned mosaic artist Jessica Regelson to create a mosaic. Ms. Regelson will work with fifth grade teachers to develop a curriculum centered theme. Students will work with Ms. Regelson and volunteers to create a colorful mosaic to highlight their learning and to decorate the school.

Name: Brett Michael Eberhardt Fellowship in Painting
City: Providence
Application Number: FY2016-17610 **Grant:** \$1,000.00

Description:

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Name: Educational Center for the Arts & Sciences Project Grant - Education
City: Providence
Application Number: FY2016-17582 **Grant:** \$2,000.00

Description:

Vida Theater will engage both ESL and native English speaking bilingual high school students in the production of a play titled "The Fox and the Grapes" which they will then perform in public. Students will learn the process of creating a play using Augusto Boal's technique, Forum Theater, with our Artistic Director and teaching staff.

Name: James William Evans Fellowship in Choreography
City: Providence
Application Number: FY2016-17527 **Grant:** \$5,000.00

Description:

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Name: Family Service of Rhode Island Arts Access Grants
City: Providence
Application Number: FY2016-17553 **Grant:** \$1,600.00

Description:

FSRI's Residential Treatment Program will partner with teaching artists from the Providence Poetry Slam to provide workshops to over 95 adolescent females with complex needs. These young women have experienced significant trauma. A series of poetry workshops will offer a therapeutic outlet for residents through spoken word poetry and visual arts.

Name: Peyman Farzinpour Project Grant - Individual Artist
City: Providence
Application Number: FY2016-17676 **Grant:** \$1,000.00

Description:

Ensemble Parallax is a new music group based in Providence, RI, featuring a core of Providence musicians, that will perform 20th and 21st century music featuring American (including RI resident) composers as well as renowned international ones, with some pieces accompanied by video art. Performances will take place at Aurora, in Providence.

Name: Frequency Writers Arts Access Grants
City: Providence
Application Number: FY2016-17552 **Grant:** \$750.00

Description:

Frequency Writers will host a roundtable discussion and reading with authors, Colin Channer and Sean Forbes. Each writer has a first book of poetry recently released, Providential and Providencia. The authors will discuss and read from their work.

Name: Richard Goulis Fellowship in New Genres
City: Providence
Application Number: FY2016-17474 **Grant:** \$1,000.00

Description:

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Name: Greater Kennedy Plaza c/o Coalition for Community Arts Access Grants
City: Providence
Application Number: FY2016-17539 **Grant:** \$1,500.00

Description:

Greater Kennedy Plaza Arts & Cultural Programming revitalizes our capitol city by providing free, high quality, accessible public programming in downtown parks. Programs include the Burnside Music Series, Noon Tunes and family programs such as Storytime & Art in the Park as well as public art and community programs hosted at the Imagination Center.

Name: Julia Gualtieri Project Grant - Individual Artist
City: Providence
Application Number: FY2016-17679 **Grant:** \$3,000.00

Description:

The Providence Comics Consortium will publish a comprehensive resource book and kit featuring all of the drawing games that have made the program a smash hit for the past five years. A series of free workshops will be taught in conjunction with the book release.

Name: HeadsUp Inc Arts Access Grants
City: Providence
Application Number: FY2016-17558 **Grant:** \$1,000.00

Description:

TRANS* is a project to gather oral histories from local members of the Transgender community and transform their stories into a play which will be presented to the community, intended to celebrate the individuals in the community and educate the community at large to the issues and experiences faced by the transgender community.

Name: James S Janeczek Fellowship in Drawing and Printmaking
City: Providence
Application Number: FY2016-17471 **Grant:** \$1,000.00

Description:

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Name: **Jamie Jewett** Project Grant - Individual Artist
City: Providence
Application Number: FY2016-17681 **Grant:** \$1,000.00

Description:

Candlelit Opera is a series of individual film and performance works exploring a cinematic relationship between light-based installations, music, and dance.

Name: **Center for Dynamic Learning** Project Grant - Education
City: Providence
Application Number: FY2016-17591 **Grant:** \$2,200.00

Description:

The Center for Dynamic Learning will provide a 5 month school day Theatre Residency for students attending The Metropolitan Career and Technical School. The culmination of this residency will be a full length performance of Anna Devere Smith's Twillight: Los Angeles with humanities discussions open to the community.

Name: **Talia Elizabeth Levitt** Fellowship in Painting
City: Providence
Application Number: FY2016-17625 **Grant:** \$5,000.00

Description:

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Name: **Jose Maldonado** Project Grant - Individual Artist
City: Providence
Application Number: FY2016-17670 **Grant:** \$5,000.00

Description:

Project 401 is now extending our summer programming into the school year, with programming locations at the Providence College Annex, The Institute for the Study and Practice of Nonviolence, and the MLK center in Newport. We'll be mentoring youth in Rap, DJing, Bboying/Bgirling, and Graffiti Drawing, while providing them with homework assistance and workshops on ethnic identity and healthy lifestyles.

Name: **McAuley Ministries** Arts Access Grants
City: Providence
Application Number: FY2016-17550 **Grant:** \$1,800.00

Description:

McAuley House provides an art education and enrichment program to its guests each week throughout the year. It is taught by a local artist and is a longstanding, successful program that culminates each year in a public art show that is well-attended and at which a significant amount of the artists' work is purchased.

Name: Meeting Street Project Grant - Education
City: Providence
Application Number: FY2016-17587 **Grant:** \$3,300.00

Description:

Meeting Street will host a theatre arts program in collaboration with RISCA Education Roster organization Center for Dynamic Learning/Traveling Theatre. Serving students in grades K-6, the proposed project will connect to our literacy curriculum through the existing school-wide read aloud program.

Name: Ana Paula Lopes Monteiro Project Grant - Individual Artist
City: Providence
Application Number: FY2016-17668 **Grant:** \$4,000.00

Description:

Ana Paula Monteiro, embarks on an emotional story-telling journey of how a financially abusive relationship landed her in a maximum security prison & sentenced to up to twenty years. Through provocative poetry, dancing, & singing...she explores the meaning of freedom, exposes the reality of incarcerated life for women, & the power struggle between a broken system and the human spirit.

Name: Nathan Bishop Middle School Project Grant - Education
City: Providence
Application Number: FY2016-17579 **Grant:** \$1,500.00

Description:

Approximately 200 seventh grade students at Nathan Bishop Middle School (core English, English Language Learners and intervention) will read and examine William Shakespeare's "The Winter's Tale" and work with Gamm Theatre artists to create a production of the play to perform for the entire school.

Name: Oasis International Arts Access Grants
City: Providence
Application Number: FY2016-17532 **Grant:** \$1,250.00

Description:

This project provide young people ages 10 to 18 the opportunity to explore their interest and talent in the visual arts. Art has been removed from most schools curriculum and our young people are not able to learn about the arts nor explore their talents. This organization feels that this is an important component of a well rounded education.

Name: Part of the Oath Project Grant - Education
City: Providence
Application Number: FY2016-17577 **Grant:** \$698.00

Description:

Artists from Part of the Oath will teach weekly classes at Nowell Academy which will engage the students in expressing themselves through poetry and movement. Our classes will focus on acknowledging health and physical changes in pregnancy, respecting and caring for oneself and taking pride in the new role of parenting.

Name: Jeff Prystowsky Fellowship in Music Composition
City: Providence
Application Number: FY2016-17597 **Grant:** \$5,000.00

Description:

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Name: Raising Hope Inc Project Grant - Education
City: Providence
Application Number: FY2016-17580 **Grant:** \$2,000.00

Description:

Afro-Caribbean drumming is designed to teach youth in middle school folk drumming; and enhance their music making skills, to becoming a useful participant in a group assemblage for public performance.

Name: Victor Elias Ramos Project Grant - Individual Artist
City: Providence
Application Number: FY2016-17661 **Grant:** \$3,000.00

Description:

Executive Producer Victorious Ramos follows up on his successful debut film, La Guagua (The Bus), with another bilingual feature film called Saving The Italian. This multicultural themed comedy will once again showcase local talent, partner with local businesses and feature cherished landmarks exclusive to the state of Rhode Island.

Name: Rhode Island College Foundation Administrative
City: Providence
Application Number: FY2016-17714 **Grant:** \$2,950.00

Description:

For administrative expenses associated with the 2016 RISCA Fellowship Exhibition at Rhode Island College.

Name: Rhode Island for Community & Justice Arts Access Grants
City: Providence
Application Number: FY2016-17536 **Grant:** \$1,250.00

Description:

RICJ's teen afterschool program, the Youth Action Council, plans student led and designed projects that display RICJ's mission while inspiring youth to positive action. The Youth Action Council will produce, direct, film and edit a short film on activism in Providence to be shared at a public viewing.

Name: Rhode Island Latino Arts Arts Access Grants
City: Providence
Application Number: FY2016-17534 **Grant:** \$1,800.00

Description:

We are requesting funds for a 6-week Spanish-language workshop with students at the Leviton Dual Language School. The workshop will include dance, music and culture of Puerto Rico.

Name: Andy Russ Project Grant - Individual Artist
City: Providence
Application Number: FY2016-17675 **Grant:** \$1,000.00

Description:

Passive Aggressive Novelty Company will premiere a new multimedia performance work at AS220's Black Box, in March, 2015. This "duet" will be performed by Andy Russ, and his video doppelgänger.

Name: Paul Cuffee School Project Grant - Education
City: Providence
Application Number: FY2016-17563 **Grant:** \$700.00

Description:

Keith Munslow, songwriter and performer, will visit Paul Cuffee School during Monday Morning Meeting to perform and lead traditional and original participatory songs.

Name: Shakespeare in the City/Lincoln School Project Grant - Education
City: Providence
Application Number: FY2016-17586 **Grant:** \$3,500.00

Description:

Since 2009 Shakespeare in the City has brought hundreds of Providence school children, from 2nd graders through high school age from public, charter, and independent schools to perform a Shakespeare play together. Teachers rehearse with their students all year. The performance is preceded by an all-day rehearsal and company building event.

Name: Smart Test, Inc. Project Grant - Education
City: Providence
Application Number: FY2016-17592 **Grant:** \$700.00

Description:

Smart Test plans to provide Pleasant View School with a 20-week Hip Hop Science program during school hours, in which students will learn some basic scientific principles of motion and apply Newton's Three Laws of Motion and the Law of Gravitation to the Hip Hop genre, using their own bodies to demonstrate concrete examples of scientific laws.

Name: Sophia Academy Project Grant - Education
City: Providence
Application Number: FY2016-17564 **Grant:** \$1,600.00

Description:

Sophia Academy will partner with Girls Rock! RI to offer Sophia Sings, a 14 week choral program for Sophia Academy students. Sophia Sings students will learn a developmentally appropriate and culturally relevant repertoire of songs and song writing techniques. The Sophia Sings Choir will publicly perform existing and original songs.

Name: The Wilbury Theatre Group Arts Access Grants
City: Providence
Application Number: FY2016-17545 **Grant:** \$1,500.00

Description:

Through our New Works program, The Wilbury Group presents workshops, readings, and full performances of new plays by local and regional playwrights, thereby supporting the creation of new work and creating an opportunity for artist development.

Name: UPP Arts Arts Access Grants
City: Providence
Application Number: FY2016-17561 **Grant:** \$2,000.00

Description:

UPP Arts will collaborate with local artists to provide educational art workshops and public awareness events with the focus on Urban Waterways and Indigenous Culture. Final projects will be shared and celebrated at the 9th annual Urban Pond Procession which will be a fun, engaging, and informative event enriched by performing artists.

Name: Vartan Gregorian Elementary School Project Grant - Education
City: Providence
Application Number: FY2016-17576 **Grant:** \$2,000.00

Description:

Vartan Gregorian Elementary PTO has partnered with Providence CityArts for Youth, a national award winning youth arts organization, to provide K-5 STEAM instruction to all 430 students in a five-month Friday residency program. Students will present projects to their families and community in a final exposition.

Riverside

Name: Riverside Middle School Big Yellow School Bus Grant Program
City: Riverside
Application Number: FY2016-17424 **Grant:** \$400.00

Description:

RISD Museum 5/27/16

Name: Chris Taylor Fellowship in Crafts
City: Riverside
Application Number: FY2016-17067 **Grant:** \$1,000.00

Description:

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Name: Shura Baryshnikov Project Grant - Individual Artist
City: Riverside
Application Number: FY2016-17663 **Grant:** \$3,000.00

Description:

Shura Baryshnikov and Danielle Davidson of Doppelgänger Dance Collective present The First Four at The Granoff Center, March 9-12, 2016. A three day symposium open to the public offering masterclasses by the commissioned choreographers as well as a panel and a round-table discussion. The symposium will be capped off by the premiere of The First Four concert performed with live accompaniment.

Rumford

Name: Elise Marie Arsenault Education Partnership
City: Rumford
Application Number: FY2016-17709 **Grant:** \$400.00

Description:

Arts Talk arts integration program at TAPA.

Name: Tina Cane Fellowship in Poetry
City: Rumford
Application Number: FY2016-17123 **Grant:** \$1,000.00

Description:

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Saunderstown

Name: Rhode Island Museum of Science and Art Investments in Arts & Culture
City: Saunderstown
Application Number: FY2016-17237 **Grant:** \$1,100.00

Description:

This grant provides operational support for arts organizations which, in turn, contribute to the economic, educational and cultural life of RI communities.

Slatersville

Name: Christian de Rezendes Fellowship in Film and Video
City: Slatersville
Application Number: FY2016-17293 **Grant:** \$1,000.00

Description:

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Name: Christian de Rezendes Project Grant - Individual Artist
City: Slatersville
Application Number: FY2016-17672 **Grant:** \$2,000.00

Description:

Filmmaker Christian de Rezendes plans to continue his ongoing documentary production of "Slatersville: America's First Mill Village" throughout the course of 2016. For the first half of the year, he will make significant progress in editing for a special event in June, at which new footage, images and sequences will be shown for the first time in a work-in-progress presentation.

Smithfield

Name: Gallagher Middle School Big Yellow School Bus Grant Program
City: Smithfield
Application Number: FY2016-17417 **Grant:** \$400.00

Description:

Trinity Rep. "Xmas Carol" 11/10/15

Name: Laotian Community Center of RI Investments in Arts & Culture
City: Smithfield
Application Number: FY2016-17229 **Grant:** \$1,668.00

Description:

This grant provides operational support for arts organizations which, in turn, contribute to the economic, educational and cultural life of RI communities.

Name: Laotian Community Center of RI Community Arts
City: Smithfield
Application Number: FY2016-17401 **Grant:** \$15,447.00

Description:

Support for the Community Arts Program and Atrium Gallery exhibit

Name: Revive The Roots Arts Access Grants
City: Smithfield
Application Number: FY2016-17543 **Grant:** \$1,000.00

Description:

In an effort to increase its community and arts programming, on Sunday, June 12th, 2016, Revive the Roots will host the 3rd annual Vernal Arts and Music Festival. Part performance, part art class, the event gathers Rhode Island artists to showcase their methods to community members, who in turn get to participate in the artists' projects.

Tiverton

Name: Living in Fulfilling Environments, Inc Arts Access Grants
City: Tiverton
Application Number: FY2016-17551 **Grant:** \$1,000.00

Description:

Conversations is a program from Top Drawer Art At The Brass, a studio and gallery for adults with developmental disabilities. With Conversations, established artists in the community hold one-time workshops in Top Drawer's art studio where the public is invited to attend and create alongside the artists of Top Drawer.

Wakefield

Name: GEAR Productions Arts Access Grants
City: Wakefield
Application Number: FY2016-17285 **Grant:** \$1,750.00

Description:

GEAR Production in partnership with the Contemporary Theater Company produced Gilbert and Sullivan's Pirates of Penzance with an "All Abilities" cast, supported by members of the community.

Name: Hera Educational Foundation, Inc Investments in Arts & Culture
City: Wakefield
Application Number: FY2016-17220 **Grant:** \$3,221.00

Description:

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Name: South Kingstown School District/ Wakefield Elem. Project Grant - Education
City: Wakefield
Application Number: FY2016-17248 **Grant:** \$2,000.00

Description:

Wakefield Elementary School will mount its seventh "All School Play" through a newly scripted, multi-arts theater production. More than 250 students and 75 adults will explore the human relationship with food: where it comes from; how it links to culture, history and aesthetics; what happens when we have too much or too little.

Name: The Contemporary Theater Company Arts Access Grants
City: Wakefield
Application Number: FY2016-17270 **Grant:** \$750.00

Description:

The Contemporary Theater Company is producing a collaborative, ensemble-based performance of original new works that are 1-5 minutes in length. A rotating lineup of twenty of the short plays will be performed each night in exactly one hour as a mainstage production in summer 2015.

Name: Mara Trachtenberg Fellowship in Photography
City: Wakefield
Application Number: FY2016-17181 **Grant:** \$5,000.00

Description:

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Warren

Name: 2nd Story Theatre Investments in Arts & Culture
City: Warren
Application Number: FY2016-17231 **Grant:** \$4,500.00

Description:

This grant provides operational support for arts organizations which, in turn, contribute to the economic, educational and cultural life of RI communities.

Name: Hugh Cole Elem School Big Yellow School Bus Grant Program
City: Warren
Application Number: FY2016-17412 **Grant:** \$400.00

Description:

Park Theatre "Xmas Carol" 12/11/15

Warwick

Name: Rebecca Stockdill Education Partnership
City: Warwick
Application Number: FY2016-17704 **Grant:** \$1,383.00

Description:

Arts Talk arts integration program at Coventry HS.

Name: Puerto Rican Institute for Arts Arts Access Grants
City: Warwick
Application Number: FY2016-17265 **Grant:** \$750.00

Description:

A Bombazo is a grand celebration uniting people together with dance to the traditional Puerto Rican music of Bomba. We want to create Bombazos in Providence! Our project aims to develop three community Bombazos at different outdoor venues in collaboration with CityArts, Providence College and RILA Network, all partners with PRIAA.

Name: Rhode Island Alliance for Arts in Education Arts Access Grants
City: Warwick
Application Number: FY2016-17540 **Grant:** \$1,500.00

Description:

Annually, the Alliance showcases student art & the selected District's "Gift of Art" at URI in Providence & a ceremony for PS2016 & the "Gift of Art" district, recognizing attending educators, parents & students. In June the Gift of Art framed works are hung at RIDE for 1 year & then displayed in a permanent exhibition in the halls of URI.

West Kingston

Name: Kingston Chamber Music Festival Investments in Arts & Culture
City: West Kingston
Application Number: FY2016-17174 **Grant:** \$1,822.00

Description:

This grant provides operational support for arts organizations which, in turn, contribute to the economic, educational and cultural life of RI communities.

Name: South County Chamber Singers Arts Access Grants
City: West Kingston
Application Number: FY2016-17290 **Grant:** \$500.00

Description:

The South County Chamber Singers will perform selections from Rage of the Heart, an original musical by Enrico Garzilli, on November 21st and 22nd, 2015 at the Courthouse Center for the Arts in West Kingston. On March 20, 2016, the chorus will perform Gabriel Faure's Requiem St. Francis of Assisi Church in Peace Dale.

West Warwick

Name: Cheryl Albright Project Grant - Individual Artist
City: West Warwick
Application Number: FY2016-17345 **Grant:** \$2,000.00

Description:

Singer Cheryl Albright shares her own story along with those of five African-American women vocalists from the 1880s through 2003 who entertained, inspired, and aroused the conscience of the nation. This partnership with the Providence Public Library, the Women's Correctional Facilities, the YWCA's Lowell Leadership Academy, and the Lifelong Learning Collaborative values audience feedback.

Name: John F Deering Middle School Big Yellow School Bus Grant Program
City: West Warwick
Application Number: FY2016-17409 **Grant:** \$400.00

Description:

Chamber Rep. Theatre @ Vets

Name: John Horgan Elementary School Big Yellow School Bus Grant Program
City: West Warwick
Application Number: FY2016-17510 **Grant:** \$400.00
Description:
RI Philharm. 4/15/16

Name: St Joseph School Big Yellow School Bus Grant Program
City: West Warwick
Application Number: FY2016-17416 **Grant:** \$400.00
Description:
"Xmas Carol" @ Stadium Theatre 12/11/15

Westerly

Name: Chorus of Westerly Investments in Arts & Culture
City: Westerly
Application Number: FY2016-17234 **Grant:** \$10,302.00
Description:
This grant provides operational support for arts organizations which, in turn, contribute to the economic, educational and cultural life of RI communities.

Name: The Colonial Theatre School, Inc. Investments in Arts & Culture
City: Westerly
Application Number: FY2016-17236 **Grant:** \$4,062.00
Description:
This grant provides operational support for arts organizations which, in turn, contribute to the economic, educational and cultural life of RI communities.

Name: Dunn's Corners Elementary School Big Yellow School Bus Grant Program
City: Westerly
Application Number: FY2016-17519 **Grant:** \$400.00
Description:
RI Philharm. 4/15/16

Name: Springbrook Elementary School Big Yellow School Bus Grant Program
City: Westerly
Application Number: FY2016-17521 **Grant:** \$400.00
Description:
RI Philharm 4/12/16

Name: State Street Elementary School Big Yellow School Bus Grant Program
City: Westerly
Application Number: FY2016-17518 **Grant:** \$400.00
Description:
RI Philharm. 4/14/16

Name: Westerly Middle School Big Yellow School Bus Grant Program
City: Westerly
Application Number: FY2016-17428 **Grant:** \$240.00
Description:
RISD Museum 4/19/16

Woonsocket

Name: Stadium Theatre Foundation Community Service Objective-Legislative Line Item
City: Woonsocket
Application Number: FY2016-17400 **Grant:** \$30,000.00
Description:
Community Service Objective-Legislative Line Item

Name: Woonsocket H S Education Partnership
City: Woonsocket
Application Number: FY2016-17696 **Grant:** \$2,048.00
Description:
Arts integration project as part of the Arts Talk professional development program.

Name: Citizens Memorial School Big Yellow School Bus Grant Program
City: Woonsocket
Application Number: FY2016-17508 **Grant:** \$400.00
Description:
RI Philharm. 4/13/16

Name: Connecting for Children and Families, Inc. Project Grant - Education
City: Woonsocket
Application Number: FY2016-17259 **Grant:** \$4,570.00
Description:
Woonsocket High School After-school Arts, taught by roster artists and qualified instructors, will increase access to the high-quality, curriculum-based arts learning and improve related fine arts proficiencies for up to 100 at-risk students in the 2015-2016 academic year.

Name: Daryl Glen Jamieson Project Grant - Individual Artist
City: Woonsocket
Application Number: FY2016-17331 **Grant:** \$1,500.00

Description:

Daryl Jamieson/Eastern Medicine Singers project is to mix Algonquin Culture with another Tribal Culture based on tribal sounds and techniques. It is a known fact that all tribal music has a base tone. The idea is to put one or more cultures together for an epic performance. We plan on traveling, to select the perfect tribal mix to align with the Native American sound.

Name: Mount Saint Charles Academy Big Yellow School Bus Grant Program
City: Woonsocket
Application Number: FY2016-17515 **Grant:** \$400.00

Description:

Trinity Rep. "To Kill a Mockingbird" 3/19/16

Name: RiverzEdge Arts Project Investments in Arts & Culture
City: Woonsocket
Application Number: FY2016-17226 **Grant:** \$10,962.00

Description:

This grant provides operational support for arts organizations which, in turn, contribute to the economic, educational and cultural life of RI communities.

Name: Stadium Theatre Foundation Investments in Arts & Culture
City: Woonsocket
Application Number: FY2016-17152 **Grant:** \$4,200.00

Description:

This grant provides operational support for arts organizations which, in turn, contribute to the economic, educational and cultural life of RI communities.

Name: Connecting for Children and Families, Inc. Project Grant - Education
City: Woonsocket
Application Number: FY2016-17575 **Grant:** \$700.00

Description:

The Woonsocket Middle School Theater Group provides artistic enrichment and the opportunity for creative expression to 85 underserved students in grades 6 to 8. Students develop critical academic, social, communication and teamwork skills needed for success in school and in life.

Name: Paul R Lowe Project Grant - Individual Artist
City: Woonsocket
Application Number: FY2016-17684 **Grant:** \$1,000.00

Description:

Paul Lowe and Ellie Brown are Community Builders in Residence in Woonsocket, RI. They plan to photograph young and adult members in the community which will be wheate pasted in public areas. The project will spotlight the diversity of the community.

