

Palo Alto Weekly Holiday Fund 2016 Grant Recipients

10 Books A Home

In-home tutoring and literacy program helping parents prepare their preschoolers for kindergarten through age-appropriate books and reading exercises **\$15,000**

Ada's Café

Training and support of developmentally disabled employees and high school interns **\$5,000**

Adolescent Counseling Services

On-Campus Counseling Program, providing crisis intervention and prevention services to middle and high school students in Palo Alto and Menlo Park through on-campus counselors **\$10,000**

Art in Action

Art education at three East Palo Alto elementary schools **\$5,000**

Art of Yoga Project

Yoga and creative arts program supporting teen girls in the juvenile justice system **\$5,000**

Blossom Birth

Bilingual yoga and meditation classes for new mothers in East Palo Alto **\$5,000**

Beechwood School

Outdoor education program for low income elementary and middle school children **\$5,000**

Building Futures Now

Summer program to help disadvantaged teens prepare academically for high school **\$5,000**

CASSY

School-based mental health services to students and families at Ravenswood district elementary and middle schools **\$10,000**

Children's Center of the Stanford Community

Renovation of infant/toddler outdoor play area **\$5,000**

Children's Health Council

New initiative to address teen anxiety, depression and suicide prevention **\$10,000**

Common Ground

Classes and workshops for adults and children on pest-proofing and water conservation in gardening **\$5,000**

Community Legal Services in East Palo Alto

Legal assistance to East Palo Alto residents facing rental housing problems and conflicts **\$7,500**

Community Working Group

Summer program for children residing at the Opportunity Center **\$5,000**

Computers for Everyone

Computer repair program offering recent military veterans apprenticeship opportunities **\$7,500**

Deborah's Palm

Counseling, job search support and mentoring for low income women **\$5,000**

Downtown Streets Team

Stipends for homeless who perform community services in downtown Palo Alto as they transition to regular employment **\$7,500**

DreamCatchers

Support for newly established program director position to enable expansion of after school tutoring to low-income Palo Alto middle school students **\$10,000**

East Palo Alto Children's Day

Annual community celebration of diverse cultures through a fun day centered around children's activities **\$5,000**

East Palo Alto Kids Foundation

Educator Micro Grants Program, providing up to \$600 grants to teachers in schools in East Palo Alto and east Menlo Park **\$5,000**

East Palo Alto Tennis & Tutoring

Southern California college tour for sophomores and juniors **\$5,000**

East Palo Alto Youth Court

Youth-led community service diversion program for minor criminal offenses committed by adolescents **\$5,000**

Environmental Volunteers

Monthly hands-on environmental education events for all ages **\$5,000**

Family Engagement Institute

Leadership training program to increase educational success for low income families with students at East Palo Alto Charter School **\$5,000**

Friends of Palo Alto Junior Museum & Zoo

Science Outreach Program providing hands on science instruction at Willow Oaks Elementary School **\$5,000**

Girls to Women

After-school tutoring and STEM learning program for girls attending East Palo Alto elementary and middle schools **\$5,000**

Grace Lutheran Preschool

Replacement of sunshade, outdoor play equipment and indoor tables **\$5,000**

Hagar Services Coalition

Leadership training to encourage public service and engagement in East Palo Alto **\$5,000**

Health Connected

Sexual health education instruction in Ravenswood middle schools **\$5,000**

InnVision Shelter Network

After-school tutoring and general support for children living at the Opportunity Center in Palo Alto **\$7,500**

Jasper Ridge Farm

Summer camp program for low-income children facing life-threatening illness **\$5,000**

JLS Middle School

Homework Habitat after-school homework and tutoring program three days a week **\$5,500**

Jordan Middle School

Jordan Homework Center after-school study center serving students three days a week **\$5,500**

Kara

Continued expansion of Spanish language peer grief support program **\$10,000**

The Learning Center

Purchase of large playground blocks **\$5,000**

Marine Science Institute

Environmental and marine science education program for Ravenswood school district students **\$5,000**

Music in the Schools Foundation

Music education expansion in Ravenswood school district. Third year of three-year grant. **\$10,000**

New Voices for Youth

Video production training for high school students preparing videos on complex issues or subjects affecting their lives **\$3,000**

Nuestra Casa

English language instruction for East Palo Alto parents focusing on language needs for everyday life experiences at school, home and work **\$7,500**

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One East Palo Alto

Summer job and mentoring program for at-risk East Palo Alto youth **\$5,000**

Palo Alto Art Center Foundation

Cultural Kaleidoscope, an arts-education program linking Palo Alto and East Palo Alto schools **\$5,000**

Palo Alto Community Child Care

Purchase of iPads to facilitate documentation of children's development and activity at PACCC centers **\$5,000**

Palo Alto Friends Nursery School

Replacement of flooring **\$4,000**

Palo Alto School District Music Department

Purchase of loaner musical instruments for Palo Alto middle school students living in East Palo Alto **\$7,500**

Palo Alto Housing Corporation

Academic support and enrichment activities for children living in low-income PAHC housing **\$5,000**

Parents Nursery School

Parent education resources, including books and projector for presentations **\$4,000**

Peninsula Bridge

Saturday program for low income eighth graders to develop skills to help them succeed in high school and remain on a path to college **\$5,000**

Peninsula College Fund

Skill-building and internship placements for first generation college bound students **\$5,000**

Peninsula HealthCare Connection

Medical supplies and equipment for clinic located at the Opportunity Center **\$5,000**

Project WeHOPE

Classes and counseling to support the homeless, including referrals to health and social service agencies **\$15,000**

Quest Learning Center

After school reading and language support for 2nd to 5th graders at the East Palo Alto library **\$5,000**

Ravenswood Education Foundation

Science lab materials for schools in the Ravenswood school district **\$7,500**

RISE - Reaching & Inspiring Success through Education

Parenting and language development classes for new parents in East Palo Alto **\$5,000**

Silicon Valley FACES

Expansion of Camp Everytown diversity program to include high school students from the East Palo Alto Phoenix Academy **\$15,000**

Terman Middle School

Homework Habitat after-school homework and tutoring program three days a week **\$5,500**

TheatreWorks

TheatreWorks for Schools program, providing age-appropriate performances, discussion and artistic learning opportunities **\$7,500**

YMCA

Summer STEM program for Buena Vista Mobile Home Park students attending Barron Park Elementary School **\$7,500**

Youth Community Service

Support of Summer of Service day camp scholarships, service clubs at eight local schools, service days and a program for youth expelled from school **\$10,000**

Youth Speaks Out

Expressive arts program enabling teens whose voices may not be otherwise heard to collaborate on artistic projects with each other and supportive adults. **\$10,000**

