Palo Alto Weekly Holiday Fund
2018 Grant Recipients

10 Books A Home
Expansion of in-home tutoring and literacy program helping parents prepare their preschoolers for kindergarten through age-appropriate books and reading exercises $15,000

49ers Academy
Consolidation and relocation to a single middle school of the reading intervention and academic support program to help prepare Ravenswood middle school students for high school $5,000

Able Works
Financial literacy education for students at Menlo-Atherton High School and East Palo Alto charter high schools and for young families $5,000

Acterra
Energy audits and solar installations aimed at reducing utility costs for low-income residents of East Palo Alto and Belle Haven $5,000

Adolescent Counseling Services
Outlet Program providing support services and counseling for LGBTQ+ youth $7,500

All Students Matter
Launch of new literacy intervention program focused on 3rd-5th grade students in Ravenswood school district $10,000

Art in Action
Art education program serving more than 900 students in the Ravenswood school district $5,000

Art of Yoga
Yoga, creative art and other mindfulness activities for juvenile girls in the criminal justice system $5,000

Bayshore Christian Ministries
Academic “Create” summer camp providing multiple tracks for Ravenswood district middle school students $5,000

Buena Vista Homework Club
New homework center for elementary school aged youth living at the Buena Vista Mobile Home Park $10,000

CASSY
School-based mental health services to students and families in six Ravenswood elementary and middle schools $10,000

Community Legal Services in East Palo Alto
Legal assistance to East Palo Alto residents facing eviction and other rental housing problems and conflicts $10,000

Downtown Streets Team
Stipends for homeless volunteers who perform community services in downtown Palo Alto as they transition to regular employment $7,500

DreamCatchers
New system to document student progress and improve communication among tutors of Palo Alto middle school students $10,000

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 $10,000

East Palo Alto Tennis & Tutoring
Literacy evaluations for first through eighth graders in Ravenswood schools to determine needed interventions $7,500

Environmental Volunteers
Monthly public environmental education programs for youth and adults $5,000

Family Connections
Early childhood education program for parents of preschoolers in East Palo Alto and east Menlo Park $7,500

Foundation for a College Education
College Knowledge middle and high school program designed to prepare students and their families to pursue a college education $7,500

Friends of Palo Alto Junior Museum & Zoo
Science Outreach Program providing hands on science instruction at Willow Oaks Elementary School $5,000

Get Involved Palo Alto
Service-learning internship placement program for high school students wanting to work with low-income youth $10,000

Health Connected
Sexual health education instruction in Ravenswood middle schools $5,000

Hidden Villa
Summer camp scholarships $5,000

JLS Middle School
Homework Habitat after-school homework and tutoring program three days a week $4,000

Jordan Middle School
Jordan Academic Wellness Support (JAWS) providing after-school study center for students three days a week $4,000

Kara
Spanish language peer grief support program $7,500

Live in Peace
“Gap Year Project” to guide and support at-risk high school graduates unprepared or uncertain about careers or college $5,000

Marine Science Institute
Environmental and marine science education program for low-income students $5,000

Music in the Schools Foundation
Music education in Ravenswood school district $5,000

New Creation Home Ministries
Parenting and life skills classes for teen mothers in East Palo Alto $5,000

New Voices for Youth
Video production equipment and training for middle school students at the Boys and Girls Club in East Palo Alto $3,000

Nuestra Casa
ESL classes for East Palo Alto adults $7,500

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 and using professional artists $5,000

Palo Alto Housing
Family Reading Club for parents and youth living in subsidized rental apartments managed by Palo Alto Housing $4,000

Peninsula Bridge
After-school and summer academic support programs for low income middle and high school students with a goal of attending college $5,000

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<td>Pilot of new after-school jazz music program for Ravenswood school district 6th graders</td>
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<td>Summer “Full STEAM Ahead” program for high school students, combining academic curriculum with recreational outings</td>
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<td>YMCA Ross Road</td>
<td>Six-week summer enrichment camp for low-income students attending Barron Park Elementary School</td>
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<td>Youth Community Service</td>
<td>Support of Summer of Service day camp scholarships, service clubs at local middle and high schools, service days and life skills programs for at-risk teens</td>
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<td>Youth Speaks Out</td>
<td>Expressive arts program enabling teens whose voices may not be otherwise heard to collaborate on artistic projects with each other and supportive adults.</td>
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**Child Care Facility Improvement Grants**

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<td>Grace Lutheran Preschool</td>
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