



PAST AWARD RECIPIENTS

2019 RECIPIENTS

ADVOCATES FOR IMMIGRANTS IN DETENTION CENTERS

AIDNW's mission is to provide emotional support to immigrants in detention and, when they are released, to warmly welcome them and provide transitional support. We connect released immigrants to vital resources so they know they are valued and safe, and are on the path to live independent and productive lives.



aidnw.org

AFTER-SCHOOL ALL-STARS

After-School All-Stars Puget Sound provides free, comprehensive after-school programs that keep students safe and help them succeed in school and life. Our vision is for our All-Stars to be safe and healthy, graduate high school and pursue higher learning, find careers they love, and give back to their communities.



afterschoolallstars.org

ATHLETES FOR KIDS

Our mission is to enhance the lives of children who have disabilities and special needs, and the high school athletes who mentor them. We believe that modeling acceptance, inclusion, and respect of all individuals transforms and strengthens our communities.

athletesforkids.org



THE BEYOND PROJECT

The Beyond Project connects industry professionals to nonprofit agencies to provide mobile beauty and wellness services to those in need. We locally and globally empower lives and inspire each individual to live to their full potential.

thebeyondproject.org



BRIDGE DISABILITY MINISTRIES

Bridge Disability Ministries honors the God-given dignity of people living with disabilities. We build relationships among people of all abilities to alleviate isolation and enrich our churches and communities.

bridgemin.org



CAMP JOURNEY AT ROSS POINT

To provide a community of HOPE for children and their family touched by childhood cancer.

rosspoint.org/camp-journey



CAROLINA YOUTH DEVELOPMENT CENTER

Since 1790, Carolina Youth Development Center's mission has been to empower and equip our community's most vulnerable children by providing a safe residential environment, educational support and career readiness.

cydc.org



DRESS FOR SUCCESS

The mission of Dress for Success Seattle is to empower women to achieve economic independence by providing a network of support, professional attire and the development tools to help women thrive in work and in life.

seattle.dressforsuccess.org



FREEDOM EDUCATION PROJECT

Freedom Education Project Puget Sound provides a rigorous college program to incarcerated women, trans-identified and gender nonconforming people at the Washington Corrections Center for Women, and supports their pathways to higher education after release from prison.

FEPPS.org



FREEDOM PROJECT

Freedom Project supports healing connection and restorative communities inside and outside prison through the practices of Nonviolent Communication, mindfulness, racial equity and anti-oppression.

freedomprojectwa.org



GIVING BACK PACKS

Giving Back Packs can connect to and give resources to any individual or family who struggles with issues related to poverty, food insecurity or homelessness. GBP centers around offering backpacks with supplies such as food, clothing, toiletries, bus passes and information on local support programs.

gbpacks.org



HARBOR WILDWATCH

Our mission is to inspire stewardship of the Puget Sound, and greater Salish Sea, by providing equitable learning opportunities about the environment to our local community and beyond. With a variety of programs that serve youth, adults and families, our ultimate goal is to develop an eco-literate citizen base who make informed decisions that protect, restore and conserve the marine environment for future generations.

harborwildwatch.org



MARI'S PLACE

The mission of Mari's Place is to foster creativity and self-confidence in children and teens through arts and culture programs. Children and youth who participate report increased success and engagement in school and often come back to volunteer at Mari's Place.

marisplaceforthearts.org



MENDED HEARTS

Mended Hearts is committed to making sure that every cardiac patient or caregiver has support to help them get through their cardiac diagnosis or sudden cardiac event. Our volunteers are former cardiac patients, effectively educating patients and their families about prevention, diagnosis, and treatment options.

mendedheartsofspokane.org



NORTHEAST YOUTH CENTER

The Northeast Youth Center is a non-profit organization dedicated to providing culturally enriching and stimulating educational and recreational activities that build life experiences while also enhancing the self-esteem of youth in our community. Our purpose is to provide the community with a safe and loving place for children to be while out of school hours, providing tutoring and mentoring that can help change their lives in a positive way.

spokaneneyc.com



PARENT TRUST FOR WASHINGTON

Parent Trust for Washington Children works to create lasting change and hope for the future by promoting safe, healthy families and communities.

parenttrust.org



RAISING GIRLS

Our mission is to provide South Sound girls with care bags of personal items. Raising Girls aims to help ensure all girls feel pride in who they are, to be unique and to understand the power they have to be individuals who can make a difference.

raisinggirls.org



REBOOT THEATRE COMPANY

Reboot Theatre Company's mission is to test new interpretations of established theatrical works utilizing non-traditional casting, design and concepts. We believe: Theatre has the power to change hearts and minds; In theatre that provokes conversation; In being collaborative members of our community; Cultivating a diverse talent pool is essential to the evolution of theatre; In creating a safe space for all who work with us.

reboottheatre.org



2018 RECIPIENTS

ARLINGTON KIDS' KLOSET

This organization serves low income students in the Arlington, Darrington, and Lakewood School Districts, as well as any student in Early Childhood Education Assistance Programs (ECEAP), and any homeless and unaccompanied youth in the areas served.

arlingtonkidskloset.com



BEYOND PINK

Beyond Pink believes in the technology of Thermography and its ability to aid in the early detection of breast disease. Their goal is to raise awareness as well as provide funding for women who could not otherwise afford this potentially lifesaving screening.

beyondpink.net



BRIGADOON SERVICE DOGS

Brigadoon Service Dogs provides service dogs for veterans, other adults, and children with physical, developmental, and behavioral health disabilities, to promote a more independent and enriched life.

brigadoondogs.org



CAPITOL HILL HOUSING

CHH builds vibrant and engaged communities through affordable housing and community development. CHH owns and manages 49 affordable properties throughout the Seattle area. Since 1976, we have served low- and moderate-income residents and have worked to improve neighborhoods for all.

capitolhillhousing.org



CARES OF WASHINGTON

Cares of Washington's mission is to provide tailored opportunities for people with disabilities and low incomes to become self-sufficient, creating individualized paths to economic self-sufficiency.

caresofwa.org



MINI MART CITY PARK

Mini Mart City Park is a place for the arts, education, environmental action, and community collaboration in the Duwamish Valley. Mini Mart City Park is transforming a former gas station into a pocket park and arts-oriented community center.

minimartcitypark.com



NORTHWEST HARVEST

The mission of Northwest Harvest is leading the fight for hungry people statewide to have access to nutritious food while respecting their dignity and promoting good health. Their vision is ending hunger in Washington State.

northwestharvest.org



PIKE MARKET SENIOR CENTER & FOOD BANK

In Downtown Seattle, the Pike Market Senior Center strives to make each day better and safer for older adults; the Pike Market Food Bank serves people of all ages who face hunger. Together, we provide services, activities, and support that lead to more self-sufficient and fulfilling lives.

The Pike Market Senior Center is an innovative institution that operates as both a traditional senior center and a front-line human services agency that specializes in the needs of low-income and homeless older adults. The Pike Market Food Bank supports food security for over 5,000 residents of the Downtown Seattle and is a great venue for volunteer groups.

pikemarketseniorcenter.org



RAIN CITY ROCK CAMP FOR GIRLS

Empowers girls, women, and gender non-conforming individuals to engage their creative potential through music, champion equity, and thrive in a community of allies and activists. Our music education programs provide an opportunity to participate in an environment that fosters leadership, encourages social change, and cultivates a supportive community peers and mentors.

raincityrockcamp.org



READING PARTNERS

Our mission is to help children become lifelong readers by empowering communities to provide individualized instruction with measurable results.

readingpartners.org/location/seattle



SEATTLE REPERTORY THEATRE

Seattle Rep collaborates with extraordinary artists to create theater productions and programs that reflect and elevate the diverse cultures, perspectives, and life experiences of our region.

seattlerep.org



SNOQUALMIE VALLEY COMMUNITY NETWORK

The Snoqualmie Valley Community Network's mission is to promote and inspire youth to lead safe, healthy, and successful lives. Their Vision is building better futures for youth.

snoqualmievalleycommunitynetwork.org



THE DANCE SCHOOL

The Dance School is a 100% community funded, non-profit organization dedicated to celebrating the art of dance.

thedanceschool.org



THE GOOD FOOT ARTS COLLECTIVE

The Good Foot Arts Collective offers a variety of services. They customize their focus to fit any event whether at school assemblies, faith based events, community outreaches, dance workshops, cafe art showcases, or producing professional productions.



emeraldcitybible.org/outreach/the-good-foot

SHARED BREAKFAST

Shared Breakfast provides a hot nourishing breakfast every Sunday of the year and is open to anyone in need.



firstchurchseattle.org

VICTIM SUPPORT SERVICES

Victim Support Services has been providing peer support and advocacy for victims of crime since 1975. We are the oldest victim advocacy agency in Washington state and one of the oldest in the nation, and continue to provide services free of charge to victims of crime. Victim Support Services is a non-profit agency serving Snohomish, King, Island, Skagit, and Whatcom counties.



victimsupportservices.org

VIVA FARMS

Viva Farms empowers aspiring and limited-resource farmers by providing bi-lingual training in holistic and organic farming practices, and access to land, infrastructure and equipment, training, marketing and capital.

vivafarms.org



WHITE CENTER FOOD BANK

The mission of the White Center Food Bank is to minimize hunger, while nourishing community, nurturing self-reliance, and embracing our rich cultural diversity. We focus on providing culturally relevant fresh food to our vibrant community and provide them a place to shop for their groceries at no cost.

whitecenterfoodbank.org



2017 RECIPIENTS

BIKE WORKS

Bike Works™ mission is to promote the bicycle as a vehicle for change to empower youth and build resilient communities. We strive to spark life-long passions for cycling and the outdoors; provide a supportive community where all youth are empowered to discover their voices, strengths and potential; and be a vehicle through which youth and adults alike can make a hands-on difference refurbishing discarded bicycles” and fostering sustainability in their communities.

bikeworks.org



EVERGREENHEALTH FOUNDATION

Our organization mission statement is EvergreenHealth will advance the health of the community it serves through our dedication to high-quality, safe, compassionate and cost-effective healthcare. More specifically the mission of EvergreenHealth Hospice is to provide compassionate care while serving those who are terminally ill, their families, and our community.

evergreenhealthfoundation.com



WASHINGTON FIRST ROBOTICS

FIRST Washington provides exciting, mentor-based afterschool programs for youth ages 6-18, in order to build science, technology, engineering, and math skills (STEM), inspire innovation, and foster well-rounded life capabilities including self-confidence, communication and leadership. In our four age-appropriate programs, industry mentors, teachers and parents team up with students not just to build robots, but to build self-confidence and respect. We strive to bring STEM equity, access, and inclusion to the most disadvantaged youth in communities lacking resources, so that ALL youth can develop 21st century workforce/life skills; so that the STEM pipeline includes more diversity; and so we can solve the STEM workforce shortage for local businesses.

firstwa.org



FRIENDS OF THE CHILDREN - SEATTLE

To accelerate generational change, we identify youth facing the toughest challenges and connect them with professional mentors who guide them to develop their greatest potential and achieve their goals. From kindergarten through graduation, no matter what.

friendsseattle.org



HOMESTEAD COMMUNITY LAND TRUST

Homestead Community Land Trust preserves and advances access to permanently affordable home ownership for modest-income people as a means to create thriving, equitable and inclusive communities.

homesteadclt.org



KAL ACADEMY

Kal Academy was established with the intent and purpose of educating women and minority groups to enter into the technology field. We are committed to bringing marketable technical skills to women through our unique, effective, fast, affordable training and job placement services. We want to inspire women to break through the barriers that hold them back from pursuing technology careers.



kalacademy.org

LITERACY SOURCE

The Literacy Source mission is to build a literate community by providing learner-centered instruction to adults in English literacy and basic life skills.

literacysource.org



MASTER GARDENER FOUNDATION OF SPOKANE COUNTY

We enhance, support and supplement the delivery of research based horticultural information to individuals, communities, and horticulture professionals with the purpose of promoting human well-being while enhancing and protecting our environment.

We carefully tailor our programs to respond to identified needs within the community. Extra consideration and effort is directed toward reaching out to under-served populations.

mgfsc.org



OPEN DOORS FOR MULTICULTURAL FAMILIES

Open Doors for Multicultural Families is a nonprofit, grassroots organization dedicated to ensuring that diverse families with loved ones with developmental or intellectual disabilities and special health care needs have equal access to culturally and linguistically appropriate information, resources, and services. We promote culturally competent services through community collaboration, training, and partnerships. We are passionate parents who have children with developmental disabilities, professionals who care about people with disabilities, and valued community members.

multiculturalfamilies.org



OUTDOORS FOR ALL FOUNDATION

Our mission is to enrich the quality of life for children and adults with disability through outdoor recreation. Outdoors for All transforms lives for people with disabilities by making it possible to have fun in the outdoors, experience new things, and connect with others.

We provide adaptive and therapeutic recreation programs such as skiing, cycling, rock climbing, kayaking, hiking, and more. In order to make this programs possible we do our best to remove the barriers many individuals with disabilities face by providing special equipment and instruction, providing transportation when possible, and offering scholarships to alleviate any financial strain.

outdoorsforall.org



RAVEN ROCK RANCH

To intercept and break the cycles of fatherlessness, teen suicide, human trafficking, and domestic violence by pairing at-risk youth with rescued horses, transforming the youth and horse in a bond of trust that leads to mental and physical recovery.

ravenrockranch.org



ROTARY FIRST HARVEST

Our mission is to:

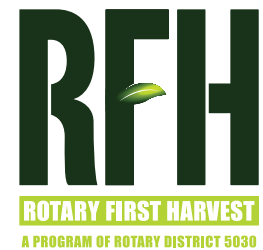
Feed the hungry with surplus nutritious food

Access and improve food distribution and transportation systems

Develop and share innovative hunger relief solutions

Engage Rotarians in hunger relief

firstharvest.org



SCARLET ROAD

Through holistic care Scarlet Road offers the hope of freedom to those who have been sexually exploited.

scarletroad.org



ST. STEPHEN HOUSING ASSOCIATION

The mission of St. Stephen Housing Association (SSHA) is to address the needs of homeless families with children by providing housing with support services to enable families to move toward economic stability and self-sufficiency.



Our objective is to provide the support necessary to ensure that each family that enters our housing program will transition into permanent housing.

ststephenhousing.org

THE GOODTIMES PROJECT

Our vision is that all families affected by childhood cancer will experience a community of hope, joy, and love.

When cancer becomes your world, The Goodtimes Project creates caring spaces for local families to connect and kids to be kids, through camps, events, and programs.

thegoodtimesproject.org



TURNING POINT SEATTLE

Turning Point's mission is to serve our local community by combating poverty and inequity. We invest in children and families marginalized by economic or racial disparities so that everyone in our Shoreline community thrives. The mission of our organization is built on these four principles:

Responsibility - we are committed to work for the common good of our local community.

Diversity - we work alongside families from diverse cultural, ethnic and economic backgrounds.

Equity - we support the equity of all students.

Purpose - we engage in the critical work of understanding racial and economic equity, so that it form our policies and practices.

turningpointseattle.org



URBAN ARTWORKS

Our mission is to create public art that empowers young people and transforms communities.

urbanartworks.org



YOGA BEHIND BARS

Yoga Behind Bars (YBB) is the only nonprofit in Washington State dedicated to offering trauma-informed yoga and meditation in prisons, jails, and detention centers. Our approach to compassionate rehabilitative programming is intended to shift the culture in prison from punishment to healing, harm to transformation, and recidivism to reintegration.



As a national leader in prison yoga service, YBB serves thousands of students per year in 17 state prisons, jails, and detention centers. Our volunteer faculty of 102 certified instructors, including inmate teachers, offer an average of 37 classes a week. We promote rehabilitation, help to build safer communities, and contribute to reform of the corrections system. Ultimately, we aspire to end the intergenerational cycle of suffering caused by incarceration.

yogabehindbars.org