



**CHARLES H. DATER
FOUNDATION**



**Annual Report
2016-17**

*Enriching
Young Lives*

A Message to Readers ...

This Annual Report publication is about the grantmaking of the Charles H. Dater Foundation and the good work of over 100 nonprofit organizations that received support from the Foundation in 2016-17.

We encourage readers to share this publication with co-workers, friends and others whom they feel would be interested. Additional copies are available from the Foundation office. A copy in PDF format is on the Foundation's web site at www.DaterFoundation.org (News/Photos section).

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2016-17

marked the Charles H. Dater Foundation's 32nd year of grantmaking as 125 grants totaling \$1,960,642 were awarded.

Since 1985-86, the Foundation has distributed over 2,800 grants totaling more than \$43 million to over 400 organizations. In the fiscal/grant year (September to August) of 2016-17, grants ranged from \$1,500 to \$50,000. The average grant was \$15,685 and the median grant was \$15,000, up from \$10,000.

Grantmaking increased slightly and assets were at \$52 million (up 8.4%) at fiscal year-end in August 2017. The Foundation does not generate revenues through programs or gifts, so grantmaking is tied to investment performance. In general, the Foundation's grantmaking is slightly above the required distribution level in keeping with its long-term goal of protecting and growing the asset base in order to exist in perpetuity to preserve the philanthropic commitment and the memory of Charles Dater and four generations of the Dater family.

While the Foundation's focus remained on supporting many long-time grant recipients, 12 grants were made to first-time recipients. Grants supported cost-effective programs and projects, and they were often made to small organizations that leverage their resources well, make good use of volunteers, and benefit underserved populations. Two examples are Outdoor Adventure Clubs, a new recipient, and the Faith Alliance Coalition (see pages 42 and 27, respectively).

A multi-year capital grant supported the Cincinnati Nature Center's renovation Groesbeck Lodge and the establishment of a Center for Conservation, which opened in 2017.

Major support continued for six organizations that have received grants in excess of \$1 million over the years – Cincinnati Scholarship Foundation (scholarships to Gilbert A. Dater High School graduates), Cincinnati Children's Hospital (Translational Core Laboratory), Cincinnati Public Radio (programming on WGUC and WVXU), Taft Museum of Art (youth education), Greater Cincinnati Foundation (Learning Links and Summertime Kids), and Children's Theatre (school performances).

Promoting its grant recipients and the work that they do remained a priority for the Foundation. Foundation grants to Cincinnati Public Radio (WGUC & WVXU) and CET (WCET-TV) provided the opportunity to use broadcast announcements to salute grant recipients, thereby helping them increase their visibility and attract additional support. The Foundation's web site featured success stories and photos of grant recipients, helping to further spread the word about these nonprofit organizations. News releases announcing new grants were posted regularly. This annual report also highlights their good work and is circulated widely in the community and on the Foundation's web site.

Grant applicants continued to give high marks to the Foundation's web-based, online grant application process. The user-friendly system is designed to reduce time spent by applicants in preparing and submitting requests and evaluation reports. The process also allows Foundation directors to be more thorough in reviewing applications, evaluations and other documents, which applicants are able to attach to their submissions. The Foundation's web site features detailed information about its grantmaking process.

The Dater Foundation is all about *Enriching Young Lives*. The mission: to make grants to nonprofit organizations in the Greater Cincinnati area to carry out projects and programs that benefit children, teens and young adults, focusing in the areas of arts/culture, education, healthcare, social services and other community needs.

Businessman and philanthropist Charles H. Dater (1912 to 1993), a fourth generation Cincinnati, established the Foundation in 1985 to ensure that funding for worthwhile community programs would continue after his death. The Foundation honors the memory and preserves the philanthropic commitment of Charles and his ancestors, whose hard work and business acumen over 150 years provided them with the opportunity to share their success with their community.

Directors and officers play an active role in the work of the Foundation, which has no full-time staff members. Besides typical board oversight duties, they perform the work of staff. They review hundreds of grant requests each year, make site visits to current and potential grant recipients, monitor how grant dollars are spent, and seek new grant applicants whose goals coincide with those of the Foundation.

Grants 2016-17

Adopt A Class Foundation
American Diabetes Association
American Red Cross
Art Academy of Cincinnati
Art Central Foundation
Arthritis Foundation
ArtWorks
Assistance League of Greater Cincinnati
Big Brothers Big Sisters of Greater Cincinnati
Camp Joy
Cancer Family Care
Cancer Support Community
The Carnegie
Catholic Inner-city Schools Education Fund
CET - Greater Cincinnati Television
Educational Foundation
Chatfield College
Childhood Food Solutions
Children's Home of Cincinnati
Children's International Summer Village
Children's Theatre
Cincinnati Art Museum
Cincinnati Arts Association
Cincinnati Association for Blind and Visually Impaired
Cincinnati Ballet
Cincinnati Boychoir
Cincinnati Chamber Orchestra
Cincinnati Children's Hospital Medical Center
Cincinnati Landmark Productions
Cincinnati Museum Center
Cincinnati Nature Center
Cincinnati Observatory Center
Cincinnati Opera
Cincinnati Playhouse in the Park
Cincinnati Public Radio
Cincinnati Recreation Commission Foundation
Cincinnati Scholarship Foundation
Cincinnati Shakespeare Company
Cincinnati Symphony Orchestra
Cincinnati Therapeutic Riding and Horsemanship
Cincinnati Works
Cincinnati Youth Collaborative
City Gospel Mission
Civic Garden Center
Community Meal Center
Contemporary Arts Center
Council on Child Abuse
Gilbert A. Dater High School
DCCH Center for Children and Families
DePaul Cristo Rey High School
Down Syndrome Association
East End Adult Education Center
Economics Center
Elder High School
Elementz
Ensemble Theatre Cincinnati

Epilepsy Foundation
Exponent Philanthropy
Faith Alliance Coalition
Family Nurturing Center
Fernside
Foundation Center
Freestore Foodbank
Friends of Sunrock Farm
Friends of the Public Library
Girl Scouts of Western Ohio
Girls on the Run
Greater Cincinnati Foundation
Hearing Speech & Deaf Center
Historic Southwest Ohio
Inner City Youth Opportunities
Inter Parish Ministry
Interfaith Hospitality Network
iSPACE, Inc.
Josh Cares
Junior Achievement of OKI Partners
Keep Cincinnati Beautiful
Kennedy Heights Arts Center
Kenton County Public Library
Kentucky Symphony Orchestra
Know Theatre
LifeCenter Organ Donor Network
Linton Chamber Music
Literacy Network of Greater Cincinnati
Madcap Puppets
Magnified Giving
Mayerson Academy
Milestones, Inc.
Music Resource Center - Cincinnati
National Voice of America Museum
Ohio River Foundation
Ohio Valley Voices
One Way Farm Children's Home
Outdoor Adventure Clubs of Greater Cincinnati
PARACHUTE: Butler County CASA
PEAK Grantmaking
People Working Cooperatively
Philanthropy Ohio
Price Hill Will-MYCincinnati
ProKids
ROKCincy
Ronald McDonald House Charities
Salvation Army
Santa Maria Community Services
School House Symphony
Special Olympics Hamilton County
St. Vincent de Paul Cincinnati
St. Vincent de Paul Northern Kentucky
St. Xavier High School
Starfire
Sweet Cheeks Diaper Bank
Taft Museum of Art
The Underground
UC Med Mentors

UpSpring
Urban Health Project
Valley Interfaith Community Resource Center
Visionaries and Voices
WAVE Foundation
Xavier University
YMCA Great Miami Valley
YMCA of Greater Cincinnati

Grant Recipient Profiles

The Foundation welcomes the opportunity to salute the good work being done by the nonprofit organizations that received grants in 2016-17. Profiles on the following pages provide information about each grant recipient, the project funded by the Foundation, and the impact being made. Most organizations have websites that provide information about their activities.

Adopt A Class - \$15,000

By pairing Adopt A Class mentor teams with individual classrooms, students are connected to positive role models and begin to realize future possibilities that exist for them. The program exposes students to a variety of careers and a breadth of experiences. A Dater grant supported the cost of student field trips outside the classroom as well as the involvement of civic organizations that cannot afford the \$500 membership fee. Over 3,000 Adopt A Class mentors impact over 6,000 students in 32 tristate schools.

Adopt A Class

3805 Edwards Road, Suite 550, Cincinnati, OH 45209

www.aacfoundation.com

Project: Field Trip Funding

Dater Grant: \$15,000 (August, 2017)

American Diabetes Association - \$10,000

Camp Korelitz is a powerful and life-changing avenue to improve the lives of children affected by diabetes. Offered each summer since 1978, the camp promotes self-care behaviors in an environment that's fun, peer-oriented, and medically safe. Supported by a Dater grant, the camp gives children the chance to develop basic diabetes self-management skills. Some campers learn how to inject insulin and count their own carbohydrates for the first time, while others advance their skills in insulin pump use. Surveys indicate increases in the number of campers who are confident in their ability to manage their diabetes, who are knowledgeable about overall proper diabetes management, and who independently figure out the correct insulin dose.

*The American Diabetes Association of Greater Cincinnati
10200 Alliance Road, Suite 101, Cincinnati, OH 45242
www.diabetes.org
Project: Camp Korelitz
Dater Grant: \$10,000 (May, 2017)*

American Red Cross - \$10,000

The American Red Cross prevents and alleviates human suffering in the face of emergencies by mobilizing the power of volunteers and the generosity of donors. A Dater grant supported a four-day, overnight Leadership Development Camp at Xavier University for 158 campers from 87 high schools in the region. Campers participated in peer-led educational workshops and social activities that developed their leadership and communication skills, self-confidence, and interest in community service. Camp counselors are LDC alumni who return to mentor campers because of the positive impact that the program had on their own lives.

*American Red Cross Greater Cincinnati
Ohio River Valley Chapter
2111 Dana Avenue, Cincinnati, OH 45207
www.redcross.org/cincinnati
Project: Leadership Development Camp
Dater Grant: \$10,000 (February, 2017)*

Art Academy of Cincinnati - \$10,000

Art Academy of Cincinnati is one of the country's foremost colleges of art and design, dedicated to creating and sustaining forward-thinking artists. A Dater grant helped fund AAC's Community Education Program, which provides opportunities for creative learning and social development for all age groups. Programs for Schools ignites divergent thinking to take root, developing strategic cognitive skills in harmony with creative problem solving. A transdisciplinary approach uses project-based learning strategies that cross disciplinary boundaries. This creates a holistic approach that mobilizes, emboldens, and challenges students to play a critical role in meeting the challenges of today's world. Creative learning experiences impacted nearly 2,000 students in 2016-17.

*Art Academy of Cincinnati
1212 Jackson Street, Cincinnati, OH 45202
www.artacademy.edu
Project: Programs for Schools
Dater Grant: \$10,000 (November, 2016)*

Art Central Foundation - \$10,000

The Art Central Foundation serves regional residents and students with opportunities to grow in the visual arts. Creating a supportive arts community in Middletown, the Art Workshop Program teaches technique, the Guerilla Art Project offers public art experiences, and the Artists @ Work Program nurtures tomorrow's creative entrepreneur. A Dater grant

helped fund ACF's annual Summer Art Workshop, which offered free visual art instruction to students who could not otherwise afford class fees. Each two-week class included 30 hours of instruction focusing on technique as well as cultural and historical significance of the media studied. Over 140 young artists from seven school districts participated in 2017.

Art Central Foundation

4 N. Main Street, Middletown, OH 45042

www.artcentralfoundation.org

Project: Art Workshop Program Artists @ Work

Dater Grant: \$10,000 (April, 2017)

Arthritis Foundation - \$10,000

The Arthritis Foundation empowers children and adults with arthritis to live better, with less pain and a higher quality of life. The Foundation's juvenile arthritis programs ensure that families have easy access to life-changing resources, community and care. A Dater grant funded Fall Family Camp and JA Day, offering children and their families the opportunity to create a support system, meet others who face similar challenges, and learn more about arthritis. More than 80 families found support and resources in Arthritis Foundation programs.

Arthritis Foundation

4665 Cornell Road, Suite 109, Cincinnati, OH 45241

www.arthritis.org

Project Title: Kids Get Arthritis Too

Dater Grant: \$10,000 (November, 2016)

ArtWorks - \$20,000

The ArtWorks mission is to transform people and places through investments in creativity. At ArtWorks' core is the Youth Apprentice Program, which transforms young people ages 14-21 by providing employment and workforce development training in the unique context of the visual arts. Professional artists mentor apprentices who gain meaningful job experience, learn effective workforce habits, and create thoughtful works of public art. In 2017, with the support of a Dater grant, ArtWorks hired 150 apprentices from 66 different neighborhoods and communities. Apprentices represented 48 different high schools and nine colleges and universities. Apprentice teams reflected racial, ethnic and socio-economic diversity of the communities they serve.

ArtWorks

20 E. Central Parkway, Cincinnati, OH 45202

www.artworkscincinnati.org

Project: Youth Apprentice Employment Program

Dater Grant: \$20,000 (May, 2017)

Assistance League of Greater Cincinnati - \$30,000

The all-volunteer Assistance League operates five programs benefiting children and adults in Greater

Cincinnati. Operation School Bell, the signature program, provides new shirts, pants, underwear, socks, belts, and fleece jackets to selected public and parochial elementary school students in economically disadvantaged Greater Cincinnati neighborhoods. During 2016-17, a Dater grant helped serve over 3,300 students, a 30% increase. New clothes have a significant impact on families. One parent wrote, “We have had a rough year. I lost my job so just having new school uniforms for (our daughter) is a blessing ... she can come to school ready to put her best foot forward.”

*Assistance League of Greater Cincinnati
1057 Meta Drive, Cincinnati, OH 45237*

www.assistanceleaguecincinnati.org

Project: Operation School Bell

Dater Grant: \$30,000 (January, 2017)

Big Brothers Big Sisters of Greater Cincinnati - \$10,000

For more than 100 years, Big Brothers Big Sisters has operated under the belief that inherent in every child is the ability to succeed and thrive in life. BBBS makes meaningful matches between adult volunteers (“Bigs”) and children (“Littles”), ages 6-18, in tristate communities. The Dater Foundation supported Site-Based Mentoring. Bigs and Littles meet once a week at school to play games, do homework, throw a ball or just talk. As a result of being in these supportive mentoring matches, Littles from low-income, single-parent families strengthen their social-emotional abilities, increase their ability to resist risky behaviors, and improve their academic-related competencies. Some 488 young people were served through this program last year.

Big Brothers Big Sisters of Greater Cincinnati

2400 Reading Road, Cincinnati, OH 45202

www.bigsforkids.org

Project: Site-Based Mentoring, Adopt-A-School

Dater Grant: \$10,000 (March, 2017)

Camp Joy - \$15,000

For 80 years Camp Joy has been providing life-changing camp experiences for underserved tristate populations. A Dater grant helped provide about 4,000 youth ages 5-17 from at-risk backgrounds, including some in foster care, with the opportunity for hands-on, outdoor learning experiences. The youth obtained skills necessary in adulthood and knowledge of the natural world. They participated in outdoor activities, progressive life skills learning, team-building and leadership challenges, and hands-on lessons in the natural sciences. Some positive outcomes included participants working as a team member, learning a new skill, and feeling good about themselves as a result of their experience at Camp Joy.

Camp Joy
10117 Old 3-C Highway, Clarksville, OH 45113
www.camp-joy.org
Project: *Camp Joy Program for Underserved Youth*
Dater Grant: \$15,000 (February, 2017)

Cancer Family Care - \$10,000

Treehouse Children's Services is a free program that helps children ages 4-18 who are coping with cancer. Private, one-on-one counseling sessions, school-based counseling sessions, and programs like Walking the Dinosaur and Camp Courage are supported by a Dater grant. When cancer strikes, children can feel engulfed by complex emotions and feelings, which can negatively impact school performance, family and peer relationships, sleep patterns, self-esteem, and more. Treehouse participants reported an increased ability to cope in their daily lives. Treehouse serves 500 children each year and benefits parents who feel enormous relief for having found specialized mental health support for their children.

Cancer Family Care
4790 Red Bank Expressway, Cincinnati, OH 45227
www.cancerfamilycare.org
Project: *Treehouse Children's Services*
Dater Grant: \$10,000 (August 2017)

Cancer Support Community - \$10,000

For 29 years, Cancer Support Community has offered high-quality and compassionate psychosocial support at no cost to cancer survivors as well as families and caregivers. The cancer diagnosis of a loved one can be especially hard on children. The Children's Cancer Support Program offers professionally-facilitated support and group activities to help children connect, find additional support, and learn to express their feelings. Fun activities include music, arts and crafts, cooking and movement activities. In 2017, a Dater grant enabled 99 families to attend these programs.

Cancer Support Community
4918 Cooper Road, Cincinnati, OH 45242
www.cancersupportcincinnati.org
Project: *Children's Cancer Support Program*
Dater Grant: \$10,000 (November, 2016)

The Carnegie - \$10,000

Whether on stage, in the classroom or in a gallery, The Carnegie inspires creativity for all. Founded in 1972, it is the largest and only multidisciplinary arts venue in Northern Kentucky. A Dater grant supported arts education programming to over 60 schools and youth organizations in the tristate. Arts Integrated Workshops focus on reinforcing the core curriculum, self-esteem, positive behaviors and building perseverance through hands-on art-making experiences. Children served by Arts Education programming range from

pre-K through 5th grade. Many would not otherwise have access to music, art, dance or drama.

The Carnegie

1028 Scott Boulevard, Covington, KY 41011

www.thecarnegie.com

Project: Arts Integrated Workshops

Dater Grant: \$10,000 (September, 2016)

Catholic Inner-city Schools Education Fund - \$40,000

With 96% of students at the eight CISE Catholic elementary schools living in poverty, CISE provides strong academics, a value-based education, and a safe and structured environment where all are welcome. Now in its 11th year, the Friars CISE Sports Program is an after-school program administered by the Friars Club and supported by a Dater grant. The program's focus is on fundamental skill development in a fun, learning environment and with an emphasis on respect, responsibility, good sportsmanship and leadership. This is accomplished through positive, supervised, physical after-school activities. The program encourages a healthy lifestyle and positive values for the 300-plus children who participate.

Catholic Inner-city Schools Education Fund

100 East Eighth Street, Cincinnati, OH 45202

www.cisefund.org

Project: CISE/Friars Club After School Sports Program

Dater Grant: \$40,000 (September, 2016)

CET - Greater Cincinnati Television Educational Foundation - \$30,000

As the first licensed educational television organization in the nation and celebrating 64 years of service, CET positively contributes to the quality of life in Greater Cincinnati. A solid foundation for early learning often begins with CET's Emmy award-winning children's programming supported by the Dater Foundation. In January 2017, CET launched a new channel, free and accessible to all: PBS Kids 24/7 (over-the-air 14.3; Spectrum Cincinnati, 985). Children now can enjoy watching the safest and most trusted programming designed for them at any time of day, including evening "primetime" and weekends. Educational outreach also includes online programming.

Greater Cincinnati Television Educational Foundation, CET

1223 Central Parkway, Cincinnati, OH 45214

www.CETconnect.org

Project: Children's Programming

Dater Grant: \$30,000 (November, 2016)

Chatfield College - \$15,000

Founded by the Ursulines of Brown County, Chatfield is a private liberal arts college offering the Associate of Arts degree in St. Martin, O. and Cincinnati. Chatfield is an open enrollment college offering higher education opportunities to first generation and nontraditional

college students. At its Over-the-Rhine location in urban Cincinnati, a typical Chatfield student is an African-American woman over 24, a single parent, and one who may have encountered challenges on the path to earning a college degree. Chatfield meets students where they are and empowers individuals to better themselves, their employability, and their futures. A Dater grant supported the Learning to Live program, which encompasses academic readiness, tuition assistance, child care and transportation.

Chatfield College

1544 Central Parkway, Cincinnati, OH 45202

www.chatfield.edu

Project: Learning to Live

Dater Grant: \$15,000 (July, 2017)

Childhood Food Solutions - \$15,000

Childhood Food Solutions provides food for school breaks to Cincinnati elementary students. A Dater grant funded winter-break sacks of groceries for all of the 1,000 elementary students in zip code 45225 (North Fairmount, Millvale and the Villages at Roll Hill) who normally receive free meals at school. Providing food support before winter break was important because almost all of the 17-day break occurs late in December when early-month government benefits were running out. The food sacks contained shelf-stable, “filling” groceries that stand the best chance of carrying the children through the entire winter break, even after gifts of rich “holiday food” might have been consumed.

Childhood Food Solutions

2573 St. Leo Place, Cincinnati, OH 45225

www.kidsfed.org

Project: Winter Break Food Sack Program

Dater Grant: \$15,000 (January, 2017)

Children’s Home of Cincinnati - \$10,000

Founded as an orphanage in 1864, the Children’s Home is no longer a resident home but continues to change the lives of children and families through services in behavioral health treatment, wellness, therapeutic education and early childhood/school-age development. Camp-I-Can is a safe, high quality 10-week summer day camp for vulnerable children ages 5-12. The extended hours of 7:00 a.m. to 5:30 p.m. are especially accommodating to working families. Vouchers and contributions, including a Dater grant, make the camp affordable for low-income families. The structured program includes educational enrichment, field trips, physical activity and nutrition awareness. Positive role models worked to promote social skills that boosted the self-esteem of 132 campers in 2017.

The Children’s Home of Cincinnati

5050 Madison Road, Cincinnati, OH 45227

www.thechildrenshomecinti.org

Project: Camp-I-Can

Dater Grant: \$10,000 (May, 2017)

Children's International Summer Village - \$10,000

CISV is a global community of dedicated volunteers, creating opportunities for all ages to experience the excitement and enrichment of cultural diversity through its educational programs. The village is a unique, four-week international camp. Delegates to this multilingual and multicultural experience participate in a mix of educational, cultural and sporting activities which emphasize cooperative global and intercultural living. In 2017, the 11-year-old delegates and adult leaders came together and to plan daily activities, share their cultures, and make friendships with participants from 12 countries. A Dater grant supported the Cincinnati Chapter and its 135 local volunteers in hosting 70 international children and adults.

*Children's International Summer Village Cincinnati
455 Delta Avenue, Suite 102, Cincinnati, OH 45226
cincinnati.cisvusa.org*

Project: CISV Village 2017

Dater Grant: \$10,000 (May, 2017)

Children's Theatre - \$40,000

Founded in 1924 as part of the Junior League and incorporated as a nonprofit in 1947, Children's Theatre works to educate, entertain and engage audiences of all ages through professional theatrical productions and arts education programming. The MainStage at the Taft series includes daytime performances for school audiences and weekend performances for the public. These family-friendly, one-hour, professional productions are often a child's first exposure to the magic of live theatre. Dater Foundation support helped to subsidize tickets for 10,099 students who would otherwise have been unable to attend and helped keep ticket prices low for other students. Of the schools who were provided these tickets, 91.1% of their students are eligible for free or reduced lunch programs.

*The Children's Theatre of Cincinnati
4015 Red Bank Road, Cincinnati, OH 45227
www.thechildrenstheatre.com*

Project: MainStage Sponsor

Dater Grant: \$40,000 (September, 2016)

Cincinnati Art Museum - \$20,000

Located in scenic Eden Park, the Cincinnati Art Museum features a diverse, encyclopedic art collection of more than 67,000 works spanning 6,000 years. In addition to displaying its own broad collection, the museum also hosts several national and international traveling exhibitions. Visitors receive free admission. Family Learning programs offer opportunities for children of all ages and their caregivers to learn about and make art together in the museum. Support from the Dater Foundation helped the museum hold 138 Family Learning programs and serve 51,564 children

and caregivers. The Rosenthal Education Center, a hub for family activity in the museum, served 33,716 visitors in the 2016-17 season.

Cincinnati Art Museum

953 Eden Park Drive, Cincinnati, OH 45220

www.cincinnatiartmuseum.org

Project: Family Learning Programs

Dater Grant: \$20,000 (August, 2017)

Cincinnati Arts Association - \$10,000

With a mission to educate, inspire, and serve the tristate region through engaging arts programs, CAA's Education & Community Relations Department develops and provides high quality arts experiences that are accessible and serve a diverse community. A Dater grant helped ensure access to CAA's Artists on Tour, which sends local artists into tristate schools, and School Time, which presents live performances at the Aronoff Center. In 2016-17, a total of 37,329 students and teachers benefited from the program.

Cincinnati Arts Association

650 Walnut Street, Cincinnati OH 45202

www.cincinnatiarts.org

Project: Ticket, Transportation & Artist on Tour

Subsidy Fund

Dater Grant: \$10,000 (January, 2017)

Cincinnati Association for the Blind and Visually Impaired - \$25,000

CABVI's Early Childhood and Youth Music Program helps young people learn to create music in ways that utilize fine and gross motor skills and use of their remaining vision. Children also gain skills that empower them to feel more confident in their unique abilities. A Dater grant supported the program and its Annual Music Recital. Children sang their favorite songs and some performed duets. Some played various keyboard, string and percussion instruments. The School Age Group rewrote the lyrics to the song "My Favorite Things" from the musical The Sound of Music. Everyone contributed his or her "favorite thing" to the lyrics. CABVI served 76 children in the music program with 979 hours of service.

Cincinnati Association for the Blind and Visually Impaired

2045 Gilbert Avenue, Cincinnati, OH 45202

www.cincyblind.org

Project: Early Childhood and Youth Service Music Program

Dater Grant: \$25,000 (May, 2017)

Cincinnati Ballet - \$15,000

Cincinnati Ballet's flagship education program is CincyDance!, which uses ballet to teach life skills to students in public and private schools with an emphasis on Title I institutions. School residency classes and the resulting scholarships provide students an avenue to grow and succeed, while engaging them in a healthy lifestyle at an early age. Six beginner ballet classes in

the fall and four choreography learning classes precede a spring event in Washington Park, where students from across the community come together to celebrate an afternoon of the arts. They dance the choreography they learned as thousands of their friends, teachers, and fellow third graders look on. A Dater grant supported CincyDance! for over 3,000 students in 34 public and private elementary schools .

Cincinnati Ballet

1555 Central Parkway, Cincinnati, OH 45214

www.cballet.org

Project: CincyDance!

Dater Grant: \$15,000 (May, 2017)

Cincinnati Boychoir - \$10,000

Cincinnati Boychoir's All-City Boychoir is a three-part initiative that creates choral opportunities for boys in the region. An in-schools program offers 14 weeks of free after-school music instruction by staff and Boychoir members. Participating students are invited to the Aronoff Center for regular concerts and events, including the All-City Boychoir Festival. The Festival brings together more than 300 young men and boys from around the region for a day of singing, music theory instruction, and a teacher workshop. Also, a music theory and scholarship program enables any boy, regardless of socioeconomic background or musical training, to succeed at the highest levels of the Cincinnati Boychoir. More than 200 boys participated in All-City Boychoir programs with the support of a Dater grant.

Cincinnati Boychoir

650 Walnut Street, Cincinnati, OH 45202

www.cincinnati-boychoir.org

Project: All-City Boychoir

Dater Grant: \$10,000 (January, 2017)

Cincinnati Chamber Orchestra - \$10,000

The Cincinnati Chamber Orchestra provides a vibrant and fresh musical experience in an intimate and informal setting for both the seasoned and novice concert patron. The ensemble's small size allows audiences to get closer to the music and the musicians. A Dater grant supported the CCO's partnership with Music for Youth in Cincinnati (MYCincinnati). CCO musicians gave the MYCincinnati students individual and small ensemble private lessons. They worked on technique, sound, and other crucial issues in detail with proven results. A 2017 highlight came when both organizations joined forces for a free, side-by-side performance at the new home of the Sheakley Boys & Girls Club of Greater Cincinnati in Price Hill.

The Cincinnati Chamber Orchestra

4046 Hamilton Avenue, Suite 200, Cincinnati, OH 45223

www.ccocincinnati.org

Project: MYCincinnati Collaboration

Dater Grant: \$10,000 (September, 2016)

Cincinnati Children's Hospital Medical Center - \$50,000

Cincinnati Children's Translational Core Laboratory is actively involved in moving cell and gene therapies into clinical trials. The Laboratory has continued to support physicians initiating novel clinical trials including providing manufacturing and testing for a gene therapy trial to treat sickle cell anemia and other hemoglobinopathies, Investigational New Drug submission for a trial to treat a rare pediatric lung disease, patient safety testing for treatment of inherited diseases, and support of multiple trials for CAR-T cancer immunotherapy. Dater Foundation support has specifically enabled Cincinnati Children's Translational Core Laboratory to maintain facilities and practices compliant with the increasing regulatory demands placed on early phase cell and gene therapy trials.

Cincinnati Children's Hospital Medical Center

3333 Burnet Avenue, Cincinnati, OH 45229

www.cincinnatichildrens.org

Project Title: Moving Scientific Discoveries in Gene and Cell Therapy to Clinical Report Trials

Dater Grant: \$50,000 (January, 2017)

Cincinnati Landmark Productions - \$10,000

Cincinnati Young People's Theatre is a summer-long theatre experience for teens. It is a major program of Cincinnati Landmark Productions, which owns and operates Warsaw Federal Incline Theater and Covedale Center for the Performing Arts. For 36 summers CYPT has brought together teens from 40 schools across the tristate. A Dater grant provided participation fees for 24 young people who otherwise could not afford the experience. CYPT's 2017 production was Disney's Beauty and the Beast. Eighty young people (onstage and off) staged 10 performances attended by 3,900 patrons, spent 27 nights together in rehearsal, held two car washes, put on a performance at Washington Park, and, most of all, had the best summer of their lives.

Cincinnati Landmark Productions

4990 Glenway Avenue. Cincinnati, OH 45238

www.clpshows.org

Project: Cincinnati Young People's Theatre

Dater Grant: \$10,000 (March, 2017)

Cincinnati Museum Center - \$20,000

Cincinnati Museum Center knows that open-ended, activity-based play is crucial to a child's growth and development. That's why the region's best childhood development experts come together every year for the nationally recognized Learning Through Play Conference, which was supported by a Dater grant and promotes parental and guardian understanding of the importance of play. Drop-in activities are available for families to experience the joy and benefit of playing together in Duke Energy Children's Museum. The new

interactive exhibit KidSPACE offers free range exploration, planned workshops and design challenges that encourage STEAM education: science, technology, engineering, art and mathematics.

Cincinnati Museum Center

1301 Western Avenue, Cincinnati, OH 45203

www.cincymuseum.org

Project: Duke Energy Children's Museum & Learning Through Play

Dater Grant: \$20,000 (January, 2017)

Cincinnati Nature Center - \$50,000

The Nature Center enriches lives by inspiring passion for nature through experience, education and stewardship. In 2017 CNC completed the renovation of Groesbeck Lodge and opened a Center for Conservation, a new regional resource for anyone interested in preserving the spectacular beauty of Southwest Ohio. As the first of its kind in the state, the Center's focus is in five areas: stewardship, education, collaboration, land protection and research. Renovation of the facility was supported by a Dater grant. Its three floors provide space for classrooms, offices, conferences and laboratories. Steps from the front door are acres of protected forest offering a mosaic of habitats for research and study.

Cincinnati Nature Center

4949 Tealtown Road, Milford, OH 45150

www.CincyNature.org

Project: Center for Conservation

Dater Grant: \$50,000 (January, 2017; third of three grants of a \$150,000 commitment)

Cincinnati Observatory Center - \$15,000

The Cincinnati Observatory Center maintains the integrity and heritage of the historic 19th century observatory while promoting the study and practice of 21st century astronomy. Programming includes STEM learning for students K-12, as well as classes, tours, and events on the study of astronomy that serve over 33,000 people annually. A Dater grant supported funding of a docent position, a key fulltime staff person who answers phones, assists with administrative tasks, welcomes visitors to the Observatory, and assists with groups on field trips that number 12,000 students annually. A daytime tour schedule as well as solar viewing are now available for visitors.

Cincinnati Observatory Center

3489 Observatory Place, Cincinnati, OH 45208

www.cincinnatiobservatory.org

Project: Docent Position

Dater Grant: \$15,000 (August, 2017)

Cincinnati Opera - \$20,000

Cincinnati Opera is the region's premiere opera company and the second oldest in the U.S. The Dater Foundation helped support Opera Outbound 2017,

which contained four elements: 1) The Barber of Seville, an abbreviated version of Rossini's comedic opera; 2) the Opera Express, a non-traditional mode of delivering short and free opera experiences directly into communities; 3) Find Your Voice, a six-week residency with the K-3 after-school program at River-view East; and 4) Community Open Dress Rehearsal, a festive event where children and youth experienced a live opera performance by attending the dress rehearsal of Cincinnati Opera's production of Puccini's La Boheme, free of charge. Opera Outbound reached a total audience 4,462 children and youth.

Cincinnati Opera

1243 Elm Street, Cincinnati, OH 45202

www.cincinnatiopera.org

Project: Opera Outbound 2017

Dater Grant: \$20,000 (April, 2017)

Cincinnati Playhouse in the Park - \$10,000

The Playhouse offers an extensive range of educational programs that reach over 64,000 students annually. Support from a Dater grant enabled the Playhouse to tour a fully-staged adaptation of C.S. Lewis's classic *The Lion, The Witch, and The Wardrobe* to 36 elementary schools through 42 performances across the tristate. Through this production, 10,601 students in grades K-6, 68% of whom were from underserved communities with minimal to no arts education curriculum, were able to experience live theatre. The Playhouse produced study guides and held actor-led discussions after the performances to strengthen learning and engagement. Members of the Playhouse's Acting Internship Program performed the play, giving these young, professional actors invaluable real world experience.

Cincinnati Playhouse in the Park

962 Mount Adams Circle, Cincinnati, OH 45202

www.cincyplay.com

Project: Outreach Tour of The Lion, The Witch, and The Wardrobe

Dater Grant: \$10,000 (September, 2016)

Cincinnati Public Radio - \$20,000, \$20,000, \$20,000

WGUC and WVXU positively impact young people through programming and other initiatives that are supported by Dater Foundation grants. The Foundation used on-air announcements to highlight the good work being done by its grant recipients and to encourage new grant applications from nonprofit organizations for deserving projects.

- WGUC's Classics for Kids with host Naomi Lewin introduces children to classical music in an entertaining way on weekly radio broadcasts at 90.9 on Saturday mornings at 10:00 a.m. and Sunday evenings at 6:00 p.m. More than 7,900 listeners tune in every week

to explore the music of composers, learn about music theory, and develop an appreciation of classical music. Classic's web site www.ClassicsforKids.org offers fun multimedia games, archived radio shows, a musical dictionary, and interactive musical features, as well as curriculum materials for teachers. Students and teachers made over 700,000 visits to the web site last year, and more than 54,600 downloaded a Classics podcast.

- WVXU's education outreach program, Democracy and Me, helps students better understand their roles as citizens, including the role journalism plays in the democratic process. New lesson plans about the Constitution, gerrymandering, voting rights and civic leadership were added. WVXU also produced a Democracy and Me video, A Conversation About Journalism, featuring student reporters interviewing WVXU reporters about their careers to provide insight into journalism as a career option.

*Cincinnati Public Radio, Inc. - 90.9 WGUC and 91.7 WVXU
1223 Central Parkway, Cincinnati, OH 45214*

www.wguc.org and www.wvxu.org

Projects: Programming for young people: Classics for Kids (WGUC) and Democracy and Me (WVXU)

Dater Grants: \$20,000, \$20,000, \$20,000 (August, 2017)

Cincinnati Recreation Commission Foundation - \$10,000

RiverTrek, a 65-mile journey down the Little Miami River ending at Cincinnati's Public Landing, is a week-long program of self-discovery designed to enhance the confidence, understanding and leadership skills of Cincinnati area youth and youth-at-risk. Fifty teenage participants have the opportunity to re-envision themselves on neutral turf, away from the normal influences of their personal environment. They practice making different choices in their lives, while they are exposed to the natural world surrounding them. Many participants are new to the outdoors which makes acquiring camping and canoeing skills all the more rewarding. Veteran participants are selected to serve as Peer Leaders for RiverTrek.

Cincinnati Recreation Commission Foundation

805 Central Avenue, Suite 800, Cincinnati, OH 45202

www.cincyrec.org

Project: RiverTrek 2017

Dater Grant: \$10,000 (March, 2017)

Cincinnati Scholarship Foundation - \$50,000

CSF works to increase college attainment and success for Greater Cincinnati students by administering need-based scholarships on behalf of individuals, businesses and organizations. A Dater grant of \$50,000 to the New Horizons Scholarship Fund provided renewable \$2,500 annual scholarships to five 2017 graduates of Gilbert A. Dater High School (named for Charles Dater's grandfather). Prior grants continued to support previous

scholarship recipients. Before Dater High School existed and graduated its first class, the Foundation gave scholarships to graduating seniors at other high schools who had attended Dater Junior High. The Foundation has made a \$50,000 grant annually since 2004 to provide scholarships to graduating Dater High seniors with proven financial need. This support totals over \$1 million.

Cincinnati Scholarship Foundation

602 Main Street, Suite 1000, Cincinnati, OH 45202

www.cincinnati-scholarshipfoundation.org

*Projects: College scholarships for Dater High School
graduating seniors*

Dater Grant: \$50,000 (April, 2017)

Cincinnati Shakespeare Company - \$20,000

Cincinnati Shakespeare is a resident ensemble theatre company bringing Shakespeare and the Classics to life for audiences of all ages. The CSC Education Program expands the reach of the company's mission, inviting students to join the conversation about Shakespeare, the classics, and drama, and encouraging individuals of all ages to participate in the arts. A Dater grant helped CSC provide the performances, workshops, classes, and camps that improve students' comprehension of Shakespeare's text and their appreciation of theatre. The program reached more than 40,000 students at over 200 schools. Free programs to under-resourced schools and underserved students accounted for about 30% of the outreach.

Cincinnati Shakespeare Company

1195 Elm St, Cincinnati, OH 45202

www.cincyshakes.com

Project: CSC Education Program

Dater Grant: \$20,000 (September, 2016)

Cincinnati Symphony Orchestra - \$20,000

The CSO's core educational and community engagement programs establish life-long relationships with the community while promoting active participation in music. More than 80,000 students, teachers and adults benefited from Young People's Concerts at Music Hall and visits by CSO musicians and volunteers to over 60 classrooms and other community locations. A Dater grant supported free and reduced-price ticket outreach. Educator workshops, pre-concert lectures, artist meet-and-greets, the Classical Roots Community Mass Choir, and the Cincinnati Symphony Youth Orchestra also provided opportunities for continued music education and participation from all ages. A highlight for the year came as the Youth Orchestra performed its first stand-alone concert on the Music Hall stage.

Cincinnati Symphony Orchestra

1241 Elm Street, Cincinnati, OH 45202

www.cincinnati-symphony.org

Project: Education Programs

Dater Grant: \$20,000 (May, 2017)

Cincinnati Therapeutic Riding and Horsemanship - \$10,000

CTRH employs equine-assisted activities and therapies to bring healing, joy and sense of purpose to children, adults and veterans with disabilities. Equine therapy is uniquely suited to help participants overcome all sorts of challenges, and this is reflected in growing collaborations with Cincinnati Children's Hospital, Stepping Stones, the V.A., Hospice of Cincinnati and others. A Dater grant helped subsidize the cost of youth participation in programs that provide therapeutic benefits coupled with the joy of riding a horse, often the only time many CTRH kids experience the sensation of moving freely through space without fighting uncooperative muscles or engaging a wheelchair.

*Cincinnati Therapeutic Riding and Horsemanship
1342 U.S. Highway 50, Milford, OH 45150
www.ctrh-online.org*

*Project Title: Riderships So Everyone Can Ride
Dater Grant: \$10,000 (August, 2017)*

Cincinnati Works - \$15,000

Cincinnati Works brings hope and encouragement to people living in poverty while assisting them in advancing to self-sufficiency through employment. Cincinnati Works directly addresses the roots of poverty through an integrated approach that focuses on personal stability, job retention and advancement. The focus is on pre- and post-employment services combined with long-term, one-on-one support to help families move from poverty to self-sufficiency. A "work first" approach is centered on building fundamental workplace and career management skills along with helping manage the personal and life barriers that often derail those in poverty. The Job Readiness program, supported by the Dater Foundation, helped 445 people gain employment and 101 reach economic self-sufficiency.

*Cincinnati Works
708 Walnut Street, Cincinnati, OH 45202
www.cincinnatiworks.org*

*Project: Job Readiness
Dater Grant: \$15,000 (February, 2017)*

Cincinnati Youth Collaborative - \$15,000

Founded in 1982, CYC provides a range of programs for almost 5,000 disadvantaged students each year. CYC's mission is to empower vulnerable children and young adults to overcome obstacles and succeed in education, career and life. CYC works with schools and the local community to provide programs that create a pathway to success, including Mentoring, College and Career Success, and Work Readiness. The Jobs for Cincinnati Graduates program, supported by a Dater grant, provided an accredited career preparation class for 707 students in nine public schools. The

program was designed to empower youth to succeed in enrollment, employment and enlistment. 90% of CYC seniors graduated high school and successfully transitioned to a job, college or the military.

Cincinnati Youth Collaborative

301 Oak Street, Cincinnati OH 45219

www.cycyouth.org

Project: Jobs for Cincinnati Graduates Program

Dater Grant: \$15,000 (July, 2017)

City Gospel Mission - \$10,000

City Gospel Mission empowers men, women and at-risk youth to break the cycle of poverty. The Mission's programs and services are centered on caring, personal relationships focused in four key areas: food and shelter, addiction recovery, job readiness and placement, and programs for at-risk youth. With Dater grant support, the Whiz Kids tutoring and mentoring program served more than 1,200 youth who are academically at-risk because of disabilities, poverty, and/or homelessness. Volunteers provide one-to-one tutoring and mentoring to the same child year-round. The program helps youth overcome difficult life circumstances and learning challenges.

City Gospel Mission

1805 Dalton Avenue, Cincinnati, OH 45214

www.citygospelmission.org

Project: Whiz Kids Tutoring and Mentoring

Dater Grant: \$10,000 (February, 2017)

Civic Garden Center - \$20,000

The Civic Garden Center builds community through gardening, education and environmental stewardship. Families and neighbors together are taught how to live well, support each other, and enjoy the bounty of the garden. A Dater grant funded the Youth Education, which includes a robust school garden program that connects and supports botanical education at over 100 school and youth organizations, outreach visits to schools and community centers, professional development workshops for teachers, and a free garden-to-table family summer camp experience conducted in several community gardens around Greater Cincinnati. Education programs reached 6,443 children and adults in 2017.

The Civic Garden Center of Greater Cincinnati

2715 Reading Road, Cincinnati, OH 45206

www.civicgardencenter.org

Project: Youth Education

Dater Grant: \$20,000 (August, 2017)

Community Meal Center - \$10,000

Founded in 2001, the Community Meal Center serves an average of 450 meals to guests on Monday, Tuesday and Friday evenings at three church locations in the Hamilton, Ohio area. The focus is meeting some of the social, physical and spiritual needs of the homeless,

the working poor, and hungry people in the community. Guests may have as many helpings as they want. A Dater grant helped fund the purchase of food and supplies and covered almost half the organization's annual expenses. Partnerships with schools and an extensive and effective use of volunteer support results in a safe, inviting, dignified haven where anyone in need can enjoy a hot, homemade meal.

Community Meal Center

2880 Hamilton-Richmond Road, Hamilton, OH 45013

Project Title: Operational Funding

Dater Grant: \$10,000 (August, 2017)

Contemporary Arts Center - \$20,000

Through exhibitions, performances, and educational outreach programs, the Contemporary Arts Center provides experiences that engage and interact with the art and ideas. CAC Youth Education Programming is designed to create experiences enabling young visitors and their caregivers or teachers to engage with, think about, and enjoy contemporary art. In 2017, the CAC held over 250 events and reached 12,450 children and adults through programming funded in part by a Dater grant. Education programs are inspired by CAC exhibitions, explore creativity, and encourage experimentation to engage visitors and promote an interest in art.

Contemporary Arts Center

44 East Sixth Street, Cincinnati, OH 45202

www.ContemporaryArtsCenter.org

Project: Youth Education Programming

Dater Grant: \$20,000 (July, 2017)

Council on Child Abuse - \$10,000

The Council on Child Abuse (COCA) works to protect and educate children so they can thrive at school and home. A Dater grant supported efforts to educate children about the effects of bullying or abuse. COCA offers sessions in the familiarity of the child's classroom. Afterward, children have the opportunity to speak to one of the classroom educators privately to express any concerns. In 2017, 741 classroom presentations were given at 51 different schools. Over 15,000 children were served. There were almost 600 disclosures requiring follow up by the school and further adult intervention.

Council on Child Abuse

4531 Reading Road, Cincinnati, OH 45229

www.cocachild.org

Project: School-based Personal Safety Program

Dater Grant: \$10,000 (February, 2017)

Gilbert A. Dater High School - \$17,000

Named for Charles Dater's grandfather, Gilbert A. Dater High School is a rigorous, college-preparatory westside school that serves students in grades 7-12. A Dater Foundation grant funded two summer programs

that help students to transition and excel in their next level of academics. Momentum Summer Bridge strives to improve the transition of 100 sixth graders into seventh grade. The program supports students in forming positive relationships with peers and adults, builds their capacity to access and navigate opportunities for growth and involvement, and increases their ability to succeed in academic settings. AP Boot Camp served about forty students and focuses on their transition into Advanced Placement courses.
Gilbert A. Dater High School
2146 Ferguson Road, Cincinnati, OH 45238
www.daterhighschool.cps-k12.org
Project: Momentum Summer Bridge and AP Boot Camp
Dater Grant: \$17,000 (July, 2017)

DCCH Center for Children and Families - \$10,000

DCCH Center is a multifaceted agency in Fort Mitchell, Kentucky with a Residential Treatment Center for children ages six through 14 who are victims of extreme abuse and neglect. Therapists use a variety of treatment modalities, and one especially suited to victims of abuse is equine therapy. A Dater grant helped fund stable area refurbishing, fencing, and a basic outdoor riding arena, as well as the purchase of helmets, grooming items, and tack. Sessions began in 2017 and by all accounts the Equine Program is a success. DCCH behavioral therapists report that the children enjoy spending time with the horses, which has increased their progress in therapy sessions.
DCCH Center for Children and Families
75 Orphanage Road, Fort Mitchell, KY 41017
www.DCCHCenter.org
Project: Equine Therapy for Victims of Child Abuse and Neglect
Dater Grant: \$10,000 (September, 2016)

DePaul Cristo Rey High School - \$15,000

Every person, program and activity at DePaul Cristo Rey focuses on preparing low-income students academically, socially and financially for college. Most are the first in their families to go to college. A Dater grant supported two initiatives. The four-year College Counseling Program includes college entrance test preparation, summer college introductory programs, and hands-on help with applications and financial aid forms. DPCR's Graduate Success Program employs a fulltime advisor who works exclusively with alumni to ensure they enroll and persist in college. DPCR opened in 2011 and everyone in its four graduating classes has achieved college acceptance as a senior.
DePaul Cristo Rey High School
1133 Clifton Hills Avenue, Cincinnati, OH 45220
www.depaulcristorey.org
Project: College Counseling & Graduate Success Program
Dater Grant: \$15,000 (August, 2017)

Down Syndrome Association - \$15,000

Since 1981, the DSAGC has been supporting individuals with Down syndrome, their families and their communities within Greater Cincinnati. A Dater grant helped fund Early Matters, a core program that offers therapeutic classes for children ages birth to five to enhance their development in the areas of communication, motor skills and social skills. Classes led by certified and licensed therapists were offered at low cost for families and over 45 children benefited. The classes promote cognitive, motor and language development by stimulating memory, increasing understanding, and enhancing self-confidence.

*Down Syndrome Association of Greater Cincinnati
4623 Wesley Avenue, Suite A, Cincinnati, OH 45212
www.dsagc.com*

*Project: Early Matters Quarterly Classes
Dater Grant: \$15,000 (August, 2017)*

East End Adult Education Center - \$10,000

East End's mission is to provide quality educational programs for Greater Cincinnati residents aimed at increasing their basic literacy, academic, computer, and job skills. Services include both one-on-one and group GED instruction, on-site GED testing, college preparation and counseling, tutoring for current college students, job and career counseling, and computer instruction. Services are free and no serious student is turned away. Students who attend regularly improve at least one grade level every 90 days. All students, ranging from age 16 to 75, work on what is needed to achieve the 12th grade level. In 2016-17, 164 students were served in the education and computer programs, and 16 earned their GED.

*The East End Adult Education Center
5721 Dragon Way, Suite 401, Cincinnati, OH 45227
www.EastEndAdultEducationCenter.org*

*Project: Literacy, GED and Job Skills Instruction
Dater Grant: \$10,000 (February, 2017)*

Economics Center - \$15,000

The Economics Center's Student Enterprise Program (StEP) addresses two key educational needs at an early age: the need for classroom engagement as well as the need for 21st century skills related to entrepreneurship, critical thinking, and financial responsibility. StEP provides a safe learning environment where all students have the opportunity to succeed. Students are rewarded for positive choices related to academics, school attendance, and respect for fellow classmates and educators. Empowered by their ability to make choices, students become knowledgeable consumers, smart savers, and responsible citizens. A Dater grant assisted the Economics Center in broadening the reach of StEP, impacting over 5,900 students in 26 elementary schools throughout the region.

Economics Center
225 Calhoun Street, Suite 370, Cincinnati, OH 45219
www.economicscenter.org
Project: Student Enterprise Program
Dater Grant: \$15,000 (July, 2017)

Elder High School - \$10,000

Elder's commitment to outreach in its Price Hill community led to the establishment of the summer "tech-reach" program in the early 2000s. The goal: leveraging the high school's technological, educational, and human resources to enhance the capacity of its neighbors. A Dater grant in April 2017 continued the Foundation's support of the program. Disadvantaged elementary students attended summer computer camps and a parenting program taught parents how to help their children learn in school. While those who attended sessions in the summer of 2017 benefited, participation fell well short of what was anticipated.

Elder High School
3900 Vincent Avenue, Cincinnati OH 45205
www.tech-reach.org
Project: 2017 tech-reach Summer Children's Computer Camps
Dater Grant: \$10,000 (April, 2017)

Elementz - \$15,000

Elementz, located in Over the Rhine, is an arts center for inner-city youth, providing instruction in various forms of music, songwriting, poetry, dance and visual art that spring from hip hop and street culture. Children and teens come to the center after school to work on their art form and pursue opportunities to perform what they have learned in public. Over 200 children and teens participated at Elementz over the course of the year. A Dater grant helped make it possible to provide over 1,000 hours of instruction in music, dance and visual art and over 5,000 individual encounters with children and teens.

Elementz
1100 Rave Street, Cincinnati, OH 45202
www.elementz.org
Project: After School Arts Program for Inner-city Teens
Dater Grant: \$15,000 (September, 2016)

Ensemble Theatre Cincinnati - \$35,000

More than a theatre and the producer of plays, ETC is dedicated to presenting works that explore compelling social issues and educational outreach programs that uplift young people in Cincinnati's urban core. The Dater Foundation supported educational programs that introduce the arts to economically disadvantaged students (Prelude) and students with mild to severe disabilities (Hunter Heartbeat). Through experiential learning activities, programs provide students with valuable life skills, such as collaboration and critical thinking, while promoting literacy and the development

of self-esteem. The Fairy Godmother Program enabled 1,250 students to attend a holiday show at no charge. These educational programs serve children who are most in need of the healing benefits that the arts can provide.

Ensemble Theatre Cincinnati
1127 Vine Street, Cincinnati, OH 45202
www.ensemblecincinnati.org
Project: Educational Outreach Programs
Dater Grant: \$35,000 (May, 2017)

Epilepsy Foundation - \$10,000

The Epilepsy Foundation's mission is to lead the fight to overcome the challenges of living with epilepsy and to accelerate therapies to stop seizures, find cures, and save lives. More than three million Americans are living with epilepsy. A Counseling Program features in-person mental health counseling, telephone counseling and support groups for people living with epilepsy, parents and loved ones. A Dater grant helped provide counseling services free of charge. The impact of the Counseling Program can be felt through the satisfaction of the people served.

In 2017, some 978 individuals received counseling. The program has been in existence since 1953.
Epilepsy Foundation of Greater Cincinnati and Columbus
895 Central Avenue, Suite 550, Cincinnati, OH 45202
www.epilepsy-ohio.org
Project: Counseling Program
Dater Grant: \$10,000 (September, 2016)

Faith Alliance Coalition - \$7,000

The Faith Alliance Coalition is a collaboration of faith-based groups, community leaders and the Cincinnati Police Department who serve the North Fairmount, South Fairmount, Roll Hill and South Cumminsville areas. The group hosted its second Day of Hope youth event in August 2017 with support from a Dater grant. Children received back-to-school supplies, hygiene kits, hats, gloves and coats. Cincinnati Police presented a Drug Awareness program. Day of Hope provided an opportunity for community building by creating a space for over 250 families to meet police officers while finding the resources they needed for the growth and success of their children.

Faith Alliance Coalition
3640 Roll Avenue, Cincinnati, OH 45223
Project: Day of Hope 2017
Dater Grant: \$7,000 (March, 2017)

Family Nurturing Center - \$15,000

Family Nurturing Center is committed to ending the cycle of child abuse. Prevention, education and treatment programs reach over 30,000 children and adults each year. A Dater grant helped fund The Kids on the Block Bullies and School Safety Program, which

educates children about what constitutes bullying, promotes sensitivity toward peers, provides specific strategies to make schools a safer place, and helps children avoid or cope with negative situations. Entertaining shows involve three life-size Kids on the Block puppets performing in three skits and sharing their personal experiences with bullying. Students share their own ideas and suggestions and their questions are answered by the puppeteers/puppets.

Family Nurturing Center

8275 Ewing Boulevard, Florence, KY 41042

www.familynurture.org

Project: Kids on the Block Bullies and School Safety

Dater Grant: \$15,000 (September, 2016)

Fernside - \$10,000

As the nation's second oldest children's grief center, Fernside: A Center for Grieving Children is a national leader in providing comprehensive bereavement programs that address the unique needs of children and grieving parents/adults. All services are provided free of charge. With the support of a Dater grant, Fernside was able to partner with local schools to provide on-site grief support to 385 students through School Group programs. School Groups provide a safe, supportive place where grieving students can express their feelings through writing, art, thematic activities, and conversation. All school counselors reported that Fernside helped students identify healthy or positive ways to express their feelings.

Fernside: A Center for Grieving Children

4360 Cooper Road, Cincinnati, OH 45242

www.Fernside.org

Project: School Programs

Dater Grant: \$10,000 (November, 2016)

Freestore Foodbank - \$20,000

Freestore Foodbank is one of Ohio's largest food banks, distributing 24 million meals annually through a network of 400 community partner agencies serving 20 tristate counties. This includes food pantries, soup kitchens, shelters, community centers, program sites, senior centers and daycare facilities. The Power Pack program is the largest childhood hunger prevention effort, offering weekend bags of healthy food assistance to children in need. Through the support of a Dater grant and the local community, this program continued to grow and helped meet the needs of the 87,000 food insecure children in the region. During the 2016-17 school year, over 5,200 children received assistance each weekend at 108 school sites, providing 195,828 weekend bags of vital nutrition.

Freestore Foodbank

1141 Central Parkway, Cincinnati, OH 45202

www.freestorefoodbank.org

Project: Power Pack Program

Dater Grant: \$20,000 (February, 2017)

Friends of Sunrock Farm - \$10,000

Sunrock Farm has been entertaining, enlightening, and educating children for over 35 years. Hands-on programs allow young people to use all of their senses to learn about plants, animals, farms and food. On any given day, children milk goats, gather eggs, brush horses, bottle-feed baby animals, plant gardens, and explore creeks and woods. Through these experiences they come to understand, connect to, and love the natural world. Friends of Sunrock Farm provides financial assistance to children from low-income families so that they can benefit from a farm visit. A Dater grant enabled over 1,600 disadvantaged children to enjoy a Sunrock Farm experience.

The Friends of Sunrock Farm

103 Gibson Lane, Wilder, KY 41076

www.sunrockfarm.org

Project: Scholarship Fund for At-Risk, Low-Income Children & Youth

Dater Grant: \$10,000 (August, 2017)

Friends of the Public Library - \$10,000

A key area of The Friends support of the Public Library is the annual summer reading/learning program. The goals are to stem students' summer literacy loss, to empower them through learning, and to instill a habit of lifelong reading. In 2017, the traditional program was rebranded as Summer Adventure to incorporate reading, events and activities of a more interactive nature. Rebranding also aimed to reinvigorate declining participation. Summer Adventure 2017 engaged more than 31,000 readers (up 12% from 2016), with special focus on youngsters in disadvantaged neighborhoods and those reading below grade level. A Dater grant helped provide incentives for joining and awards for completing the program, as well as presentations by story-tellers, puppeteers, STEAM organizations, and musicians.

Friends of the Public Library of Cincinnati & Hamilton County

8456 Vine Street, Cincinnati, OH 45216

www.Friends.CincinnatiLibrary.org

Project: Summer Adventure

Dater Grant: \$10,000 (April, 2017)

Girl Scouts of Western Ohio - \$10,000

Girl Scouts used a Dater grant in its efforts to engage over 3,000 economically disadvantaged girls in the Girl Scout Leadership Experience. The grant supported the community outreach program, which targets girls who face significant socioeconomic barriers to Girl Scouting and challenges that inhibit their learning. Community outreach activities are relevant, age appropriate, and use real-life scenarios to develop leadership skills that will help girls succeed now and in the future. The grant also supported the Camp for Every Girl Initiative,



Freestore Foodbank



Art Central Foundation



Literacy Network



YMCA MiracleLeague



Cincinnati Museum Center



WGUC Classics for Kids



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which was designed to engage girls from low-income backgrounds in Girl Scout camp. Overall, girls who participated in these programs developed a stronger sense of self, gained problem-solving and challenge-seeking behaviors, and, ultimately, grew as leaders.

Girl Scouts of Western Ohio

4930 Cornell Road, Cincinnati, OH 45242

www.gsw.org

Project: Cincinnati Community Outreach Program & Camp for Every Girl Initiative

Dater Grant: \$10,000 (April, 2017)

Girls on the Run - \$10,000

Girls on the Run inspires girls to be joyful, healthy, and confident by using a fun, structured, experience-based curriculum that creatively integrates running. Groups of girls meet twice a week for 10-12 weeks. Each session combines running and walking with specific character development, life skills, and healthy living topics. A 5K culminating event is held twice a year. Participation fees are discounted on a sliding scale based on family income. Typically 50% of the girls receive some financial assistance. In addition to lessons, every girl receives running shoes, a t-shirt, the 5K experience, a healthy snack at each session, a team celebration, and more. A Dater grant supported scholarships for girls who could not afford the participation fee.

Girls on the Run Greater Cincinnati

3330 Erie Avenue, Suite 8, Cincinnati, OH 45208

www.gotrcincinnati.org

Project: Fall 2017 Scholarships

Dater Grant: \$10,000 (April, 2017)

Greater Cincinnati Foundation - \$40,000 and \$30,000

GCF is Greater Cincinnati's community foundation, encouraging and helping individuals, families, and businesses establish charitable funds to make the most of their giving and build a better community. Current and future generations are inspired to invest in a more vibrant and prosperous Greater Cincinnati where everyone can thrive. Dater grants have supported two small but impactful GCF mini-grant programs for 25 years.

- Learning Links gives teachers and other educators at local schools the opportunity to apply for classroom or school-wide support for small projects that lack the necessary financial resources to implement. Grants are awarded up to \$1,000 each. In 2017, 138 small grants were made for a wide variety of school projects that impacted over 25,000 students in Greater Cincinnati.
- Summertime Kids provides small grants of up to \$1,000 each to local nonprofits that provide summer programs for young people. Funded programs provide enriching and fun experiences in safe environments. In 2017, 120 Summertime Kids grants benefited over

12,000 children. Activities included field trips, summer reading/writing projects, the arts, gardening instruction and other learning opportunities.

The Greater Cincinnati Foundation

200 West Fourth Street, Cincinnati, OH 45202

www.gcfdn.org

Projects: Learning Links and Summertime Kids

Dater Grants: \$40,000 and \$30,000 (February, 2017)

Hearing Speech & Deaf Center - \$15,000

The Hearing Speech & Deaf Center strengthens the community through advocacy and by supporting individuals and families to overcome obstacles to communication. Children's Programming for the Deaf and Hard of Hearing is designed to help children form friendships, to increase awareness of opportunities available to them as deaf adults, and to alleviate the loneliness and isolation that some children feel due to differences in modes of communication. A Dater grant helped provide low cost or free educational, cultural, and social activities and events to tristate children.

All events are interpreted by a certified American Sign Language interpreter. Over 550 children from kindergarten to college-bound participated.

Hearing Speech & Deaf Center of Greater Cincinnati

2825 Burnet Avenue, Suite 330, Cincinnati, OH 45219

www.hearingspeechdeaf.org

Project: Children's Programming for the Deaf and Hard of Hearing

Dater Grant: \$15,000 (August, 2017)

Historic Southwest Ohio - \$10,000

Historic Southwest Ohio operates the Heritage Village Museum and Educational Center in Sharon Woods Park. Last year 5,462 children from over 40 schools, including five new schools, visited the Heritage Village Museum for a 90-minute education program or attended one of three week-long summer camps. The education programs and summer camps delve into life in Southwest Ohio. A Dater grant helped fund the summer camps. Two new camps focused Archaeology and Native Americans, as well as the Civil War. The grant also supported the education programs with funds to purchase supplies such as ink, broom corn, and corn bread so students could participate in hands-on activities.

Historic Southwest Ohio, Inc.

11450 Lebanon Road, Sharonville, OH 45241

www.heritagevillagecincinnati.org

Project: Education Programs

Dater Grant: \$10,000 (February, 2017)

Inner City Youth Opportunities - \$25,000

ICYO provides a safe and structured environment for inner-city children of low-income families after school and during the summer. Since 1993, thousands of children have benefited from after-school homework

assistance and academic tutoring, Summer Tennis Camp and other camps, and year-round field trips provided by ICYO. A Dater grant supported after-school education that included individualized tutoring lesson plans, emphasis on Early Childhood Literacy, and character building. Past experience indicates that the 60 participating children will improve in all basic areas, including writing, math, reading, reading comprehension, and computer literacy.

Inner City Youth Opportunities

1821 Summit Road, Suite 210, Cincinnati, OH 45237

www.icyocincinnati.org

Project: Struggling Students to Successful Students

Dater Grant: \$25,000 (September, 2016)

Inter Parish Ministry - \$20,000

Inter Parish Ministry, composed of more than 30 congregations, works to improve the lives of food insecure families living in eastern Hamilton County and Clermont County. A Dater grant provided funding for two Choice Food Pantries in Newtown and Ameila that served 4,400 families, a back-to-school program that equipped 260 children, and an emergency assistance program that helped more than 60 families. The grant also supported 19 mobile pantries at various locations throughout the community. This included a six-month series of nutrition education programs taught by Ohio State University Cooperative Extension Service at one of the mobile pantry locations.

Inter Parish Ministry

3509 Debolt Road, Cincinnati, OH 45244

www.interparish.org

Project: Connecting Families with Basic Needs

Dater Grant: \$20,000 (July, 2017)

Interfaith Hospitality Network - \$15,000

IHNGC began in 1991 with a Day Center and eight congregations that opened up the doors of their churches and synagogues to homeless families. Since then, the network of congregations has grown to over 100. The focus is on providing homeless families with emergency shelter and hospitality and then working to help them find and retain stable housing. 65% of those served are children who become homeless with their families. IHNGC addresses their educational, social, physical, and emotional needs through the Child Enrichment Program, which offers structured after-school activities, developmental screenings, parental education, referrals, and school assistance. A Dater grant helped IHNGC provide shelter, nourishing food, and Child Enrichment services and activities for 181 kids in 2017.

Interfaith Hospitality Network of Greater Cincinnati

990 Nassau Street, Cincinnati, OH 45206

www.ihncincinnati.org

Project: IHNGC Child Enrichment Program

Dater Grant: \$15,000 (September, 2016)

iSPACE - \$15,000

The iSPACE mission is to ignite passion for science and technology to prepare all learners to thrive in tomorrow's workforce. iSPACE does this through inquiry-based, authentic STEM programs that inspire students in STEM, introduce them to STEM careers, and give them experience in many of the "soft skills" needed for success in today's workforce: teamwork, problem solving, and logical thinking. iSPACE strives to remove barriers and special effort is made to provide opportunities for underserved students. A Dater grant helped to provide low cost or free programming to the very students who will benefit the most. The 100 Classes program provided immersive STEM programming to 143 classes from underserved schools.

iSPACE

100 Scarlet Oaks Drive, Cincinnati, OH 45241

iSPACEstem.org

Project: iSpace STEM Programs for Underserved Students

Dater Grant: \$15,000 (May, 2017)

Josh Cares - 30,000

The Josh Cares mission is to ensure that no seriously ill child feels alone and afraid while hospitalized. Certified Child Life Specialists provide comfort, support and companionship to critically and chronically ill children being treated at Cincinnati Children's. The children are enduring lengthy hospitalizations without the consistent presence of a parent or guardian. The specialists fulfill many roles including parental alternate, family connector, developmental play companion, teacher, and healthcare advocate. In 2017, a Dater grant enabled Josh Cares to provide over 2,400 regular hours of direct, one-on-one support to vulnerable pediatric patients. On average, 189 long-term patients at Cincinnati Children's need the intensive support of a Certified Child Life Specialist.

Josh Cares

7870 E. Kemper Road, Cincinnati, OH 45249

www.joshcares.org

Project: Josh Cares Child Life Specialist Program

Dater Grant: \$30,000 (January, 2017)

Junior Achievement of OKI Partners - \$10,000

JA provides effective classroom curriculum for grades K-12, helping students to understand business, economics, financial literacy, entrepreneurship, and career readiness. JA programs are delivered through positive adult role models who volunteer their time in the classroom. The mission of Junior Achievement is to inspire and prepare young people to succeed in a global economy. During the 2016-17 school year, a Dater grant supported hundreds of at-risk youth in multiple grade levels in the Cincinnati area as they received curriculum to deepen their soft-skill competencies and improve their work readiness. In all, JA

OKI reached over 45,000 students in over 254 schools.

Junior Achievement of OKI Partners

644 Linn Street, Suite 1024, Cincinnati, OH 45203

www.juniorachievement.org/web/ja-oki-cincinnati

Project: Extending the Momentum

Dater Grant: \$10,000 (April, 2017)

Keep Cincinnati Beautiful - \$15,000

Keep Cincinnati Beautiful's education, revitalization and environmental initiatives build community and foster pride in the places where residents live, work and play. KCB is a grassroots network of neighbors, sponsors and volunteers who work across all 52 neighborhoods, creating safer, cleaner spaces and a higher quality of life. A Dater grant helped support the Don't Trash My 'Nati Litter Prevention Program, which features classroom lessons, assemblies and community improvement projects. Two signature programs for young students are the Wartville Wizard litter prevention play and an assembly utilizing the Cincinnati Zoo's bird show to explain the impact of litter on animals. Over 13,000 students were impacted in the 2016-17 school year.

Keep Cincinnati Beautiful

1115 Bates Avenue, Cincinnati, OH 45225

www.keeppcincinnatibeautiful.org

Project: Don't Trash My 'Nati Litter Prevention Program

Dater Grant: \$15,000 (September, 2016)

Kennedy Heights Arts Center - \$15,000

Kennedy Heights Arts Center is dedicated to transforming the lives of young people through the arts. Through Teen Artists for Change, a year-round program for youth in grades 7-12, young people were empowered to plan and implement creative projects about subjects that matter to them and make an impact on the world around them. With support from a Dater grant, this group of 15 economically and racially diverse students learned digital media skills to create mixed media artworks and videos focused on the theme of personal identity, culminating in a public exhibition and the publication of a 'zine (online magazine).

Kennedy Heights Arts Center

6546 Montgomery Road, Cincinnati, OH 45213

www.kennedyarts.org

Project: Teen Artists for Change

Dater Grant: \$15,000 (August, 2017)

Kenton County Public Library - \$10,000

The Library and the WAVE Foundation's Shark Cart teamed up to make a big impact on students in Kenton County schools, thanks to support from a Dater grant. Students were super excited to see and even touch a shark from the Newport Aquarium at school, and the visits promoted reading, writing and talking about sharks. At libraries, children checked out shark books and made shark hats. The Shark Cart visited seven

schools with high free and reduced lunch rates and three libraries, catering to children who don't have opportunities to visit the Aquarium. The program reached over 2,700 participants.

*Kenton County Public Library
3095 Hulbert Drive, Erlanger, KY 41018
www.kentonlibrary.org
Project: Shark Smart
Dater Grant: \$10,000 (March, 2017)*

Kentucky Symphony Orchestra - \$15,000

The KSO enriches, educates and entertains area residents through thematic programs designed to make the concert experience attractive, accessible and affordable for all. For 23 seasons, the KSO's Education Series has supplemented arts education in over 225 schools, reaching well over 100,000 students free of charge. The educational concerts Back in My Day and Rags to Riches introduced classical and American musical genres that enhance and excite student understanding and participation. A Dater grant helped the KSO reach 58 schools from six counties in 2016-17. Over half of the 4,200 participating students were economically disadvantaged.

*Kentucky Symphony Orchestra
P.O. Box 72810, Newport, KY 41072
www.kyso.org
Project: Education Outreach Series
Dater Grant: \$15,000 (September, 2016)*

Know Theatre - \$10,000

Know Theatre is the city's "theatrical playground," showcasing unexpected voices, new works, and productions that embrace and celebrate the inherent theatricality of the human experience. The Know-To-Go Educational Tour, The Inventive Princess of Floralee, united science and art through performance and gave students the chance to laugh, learn, and think critically about topics rooted in STEM (Science, Technology, Engineering, and Math). Dater funding supported programming at low or no cost to tristate schools. Almost 4,000 students attended shows and afterward over 80% of audience members could explain how they might use the scientific method.

*Know Theatre of Cincinnati
1120 Jackson Street, Cincinnati, OH 45202
www.knowtheatre.com
Project: Know-To-Go Educational Tour
Dater Grant: \$10,000 (November, 2016)*

LifeCenter Organ Donor Network - \$5,000

LifeCenter is a nonprofit organ and tissue procurement agency working to save, enhance and change lives. For 15 years, a staple in the education outreach campaign to register and educate tristate residents to the importance of organ and tissue donation has been the LifeCenter Calendar, funded in part by a Dater grant. Within its

pages, readers encounter stories from local people who have benefited from organ donation. The calendar is widely displayed in hospitals and businesses. In addition, it was distributed to over 165 area high schools, reaching thousands of young people at a critical time as they begin driving and make their own decision about organ and tissue donation.

LifeCenter Organ Donor Network

615 Elsinore Place, Suite 400, Cincinnati, OH 45202

www.lifepassiton.org

Project: LifeCenter's Celebrate Life Calendar

Dater Grant: \$5,000 (January, 2017)

Linton Chamber Music - \$15,000

Linton Chamber Music reaches out to audiences of all ages and socioeconomic backgrounds with three distinct series: Linton Chamber Music Series, Encore! Linton, and Peanut Butter and Jam Sessions. Peanut Butter & Jam Sessions are informal concerts designed to give pre-school children and their families an interactive, educational and fun introduction to classical music. Each year, Linton presents over 36 PB&J Sessions at locations throughout Greater Cincinnati. Free concerts are presented at Williams Avenue Elementary in Norwood, John P. Parker Elementary in Madisonville, and Child Focus in Clermont County. A Dater grant supported low tickets prices for young families and the free outreach concerts allowing this program to serve 2,495 people, including 1,350 children.

Linton Chamber Music

1241 Elm Street, Cincinnati, OH 45202

www.lintonmusic.org

Project: Peanut Butter & Jam Sessions

Dater Grant: \$15,000

Literacy Network of Greater Cincinnati - \$10,000 and \$15,000

The Literacy Network champions the development of literacy by raising awareness, improving access and serving as a catalyst for literacy efforts. One of LCGC's six core programs is the Children's Basic Reading Program. With funding support from the Dater Foundation and others, an all-time high of 17 classes were offered and served 173 elementary students who do not learn as well in the traditional classroom setting. Classes utilized the Orton-Gillingham multisensory technique to help these students learn to read, so that they don't fall behind in their education. Private OG tutoring can cost up to \$12,000 a year and be out of reach for many families.

Literacy Network of Greater Cincinnati

635 W. 7th Street, Suite 309, Cincinnati, OH 45203

www.lngc.org

Project: Children's Basic Reading Program

Dater Grant: \$10,000 and \$15,000 (September, 2016 and August, 2017, respectively)

Madcap Puppets - \$20,000

Madcap uses giant puppets and professional actors to create an innovative and exciting concept of puppetry that allows all the elements of theatre to be combined in an artistic and educational performance. For 36 years, Madcap has been delighting audiences with performances, workshops and residencies. More than 160,000 children of all ages benefited during the 2016-17 season. Approximately one third of the schools at which Madcap performed are considered “at risk.” With Dater grant support, Madcap continued its outreach to schools and its Hats Off Series performances at the Cincinnati Art Museum, Clifton Cultural Arts Center, Woodward Theatre, and Incline Theatre.

Madcap Puppets

3316 Glenmore Avenue, Cincinnati, OH 45211

www.madcappuppets.com

Project: Hats Off Series and Local School Performances

Dater Grant: \$20,000 (November, 2016)

Magnified Giving - \$20,000

Magnified Giving puts the power of philanthropy and the joy of giving in the hands of youth. The approach is to educate, inspire, and engage students in philanthropy, touching their hearts and minds, lightening the concerns of those they help, and magnifying the impact of philanthropy. This unique educational program introduces students in grades 7-12 at over 80 schools to citizenship, civic engagement, community service, volunteerism, and how to be a champion for causes in their community. A Dater grant provided funding for school programs. Students researched nonprofit agencies and awarded \$1,500 grants to the agencies that best represented their desired impact. The grants were “magnified” beyond the student education process by enabling a local nonprofit to serve its clients.

Magnified Giving

9940 Reading Road, Cincinnati, OH 45241

www.magnifiedgiving.org

Project: Student Philanthropy Education

Dater Grant: \$20,000 (May, 2017)

Mayerson Academy - \$25,000

Mayerson Academy is a national authority in the design and delivery of research-based professional development for teachers. A Dater grant helped fund the tutoring portion of the Academy’s Orton-Gillingham (OG) Multisensory Reading practicum held in June at Evanston Elementary School in Cincinnati, in July at Norwood City Schools, and during the school year. In 2017, 72 teachers completed the first intense practicum course and 13 will complete the second practicum. As a result of Dater funding, 72 students received one-on-one tutoring in the summer. During subsequent school years, these participating teachers will continue to provide OG

tutoring to hundreds of students they teach in small groups in their classrooms.

Mayerson Academy

2650 Highland Avenue, Cincinnati, OH 45219

www.mayersonacademy.org

Project: Practicum Course for Teachers in Multisensory, Structured Language Instruction

Dater Grant: \$25,000 (August, 2017)

Milestones, Inc. - \$10,000

Milestones is a therapeutic horsemanship program that presents opportunities for individuals with challenges to enhance their quality of life. Milestones strives to assist each rider to become an innovative and productive member of the community by building independence, self-confidence, and social skills in a safe, fun, loving environment. Horsemanship skills and basic grooming are taught to individuals with diagnoses such as Autism, Cerebral Palsy, traumatic brain injury, Spina Bifida, and Down syndrome. In 2017, a Dater grant helped Milestones serve 238 participants through therapeutic riding, vocational educational opportunities and summer camp programs.

Milestones Inc.

Equestrian Achievement Program

12372 Riggs Road, Independence, KY 41051

www.milestonesinc.org

Project: Therapeutic Horseback Riding Program

Dater Grant: \$10,000 (March, 2017)

Music Resource Center - \$15,000

For nearly a decade, MRC has been a multifaceted youth center for music education that offers a truly unique experience. Through music, MRC staff mentor teens giving them tools to express themselves through writing, recording, radio broadcasting and/or performing music. Membership is open to teens in grades 7-12 who pay a nominal \$2 a month fee. A Dater grant helped members take music lessons, record, learn audio engineering, produce radio shows to air on 95.7 MRC, make beats, have a snack and meal, get help with homework and life skills mentoring. MRC served over 350 teens at its East Walnut Hills studio and through outreach programs in 2017.

Music Resource Center-Cincinnati

3032 Woodburn Avenue, Cincinnati, OH 45206

www.mrccinci.org

Project: Teen Music Instruction and Mentoring

Dater Grant: \$15,000 (August, 2017)

National Voice of America Museum - \$10,000

The National Voice of America Museum of Broadcasting developed an innovative STEM outreach initiative dubbed From Greeks to Geeks with support from a Dater grant. An exhibit at the Museum and traveling presentations explain the basics of radio waves going back to the discovery of magnetism by the ancient

Greeks. Key to the effectiveness of this exhibit is that high school AP science students serve as instructors and mentors. Presentations are aimed at piquing the interest of middle school and younger students in pursuing STEM subjects by introducing the concepts of magnetism, electricity, and radio waves. Hundreds of kids and adults have experienced the demonstrations since its opening in 2016.

*National Voice of America Museum of Broadcasting
8070 Tylersville Road, West Chester, OH 45069
www.voamuseum.org
Project: From Greeks to Geeks STEM Outreach
Dater Grant: \$10,000 (March, 2017)*

Ohio River Foundation - \$10,000

Founded in 2000 by a group of concerned citizens, the Ohio River Foundation's program activities are focused on restoring habitat and educating and training the next generation of environmental stewards. A Dater grant supported the participation of thousands of students grades 4-12 in the River Explorer program. Students are junior scientists for the day as they increase their understanding of difficult science concepts by engaging in hands-on activities such as catching fish with seine nets, performing water quality sampling, and examining macroinvertebrates in area rivers, creeks, and streams. More than 35,000 students have participated in the program since 2005. In School Outdoor Habitats students learn about, design, and install native habitats.

*Ohio River Foundation
4480 Classic Drive, Cincinnati, OH 45241
www.ohioriverfdn.org
Project: River Explorer and School Outdoor Habitats
Dater Grant: \$10,000 (February, 2017)*

Ohio Valley Voices - \$10,000

OVV teaches deaf or hard of hearing young children to listen and speak. The goal is for students to leave the program speaking within normal limits and reading at or above grade level. Early intervention is essential to achieving this goal. Children starting in the program before age three have an 80% better chance of success than those beginning later. A Dater grant provided tuition assistance to families who could not afford the cost to participate. During 2016-17, 14 of the 18 Family Center students needed tuition assistance.

*Ohio Valley Voices
6642 Branch Hill Guinea Pike, Loveland, OH 45140
www.ohiovalleyvoices.org
Project: Family Center Program Tuition Assistance
Dater Grant: \$10,000 (April, 2017)*

One Way Farm Children's Home - \$10,000

For 41 years, One Way Farm provided a warm, loving shelter for children and youth who have been abused, abandoned, neglected, troubled or a victim of human trafficking. Funded in part by a Dater grant in 2017,

the Food Pantry & Housekeeping Program assisted in providing nutritious and well-balanced meals for young residents. In 2018, One Way Farm determined that to best serve the children in its care in the future, a change in structure was necessary. The decision was made to close the group home function, convert homes to accommodate foster families, and move to a “Foster Family Community Model.”

One Way Farm Children’s Home of Fairfield, Inc.

6131 River Road, Fairfield, OH 46018

www.onewayfarm.org

Project: Food Pantry and Housekeeping Program

Dater Grant: \$10,000 (April, 2017)

Outdoor Adventure Clubs - \$10,000

Outdoor Adventure Clubs is a pioneering nonprofit organization providing regular outdoor recreation opportunities like kayaking, biking and hiking to urban teens in Greater Cincinnati. OAC adventures are always offered at no cost to students so that financial limitations are never a barrier to outdoor exploration. OAC believes consistent exposure to nature through outdoor recreation will build lifelong health habits and foster the next generation of environmental stewards. With partial support from a Dater grant, OAC provided over 800 outdoor adventures in the spring of 2017 to students in 19 urban high schools.

Outdoor Adventure Clubs of Greater Cincinnati

2692 Madison Road, Suite N1-414, Cincinnati, OH 45208

www.outdooradventureclubs.org

Project: Outdoor Adventures for Underserved Youth

Dater Grant: \$10,000 (January, 2017)

PARACHUTE: Butler County CASA - \$10,000

Parachute recruits and trains community volunteers to advocate for abused and neglected children in juvenile court. As the opioid crisis deepens, more children become the innocent victims of abuse and neglect. A Dater grant supported the training of more CASA volunteers (Court Appointed Special Advocates) who are needed to stand up for vulnerable children in foster care and make sure their most vital needs are met. CASA volunteers are strong, compassionate adults who are a consistent presence, who care, who listen, and who put the child’s interests first. In 2017, 78 CASA volunteers, including 16 newly-trained ones, served 273 abused children in Butler County.

PARACHUTE: Butler County CASA

284 N. Fair Avenue, Hamilton, OH 45011

www.parachutecasa.org

Project: Be a Child’s Voice

Dater Grant: \$10,000 (April, 2017)

People Working Cooperatively - \$10,000

For 43 years, PWC has performed critical home repairs and services so that low-income homeowners

can remain in their homes living independently and healthier in a safe, sound environment. Because of PWC's reputation, each summer youth groups from throughout the country donate a week of service. In 2017, five organizations sent 19 groups who completed 20 projects in the Cincinnati area. Overall, 185 individual volunteers (students and adult leaders) donated a total of 2,942 hours of service. A Dater grant supported the student volunteers as they built skills, formed relationships, gained exposure to urban and rural poverty, and most importantly, developed a commitment to service that will shape their lives in the years to come.

People Working Cooperatively

4612 Paddock Road, Cincinnati, OH 45229

www.pwchomerepairs.org

Project: Summer Student Service Group Project

Dater Grant: \$10,000 (July, 2017)

Price Hill Will-MYCincinnati - \$15,000

MYCincinnati is a free, daily youth orchestra program in Price Hill. Students have the opportunity to learn to play an instrument and be in an ensemble. MYCincinnati is a program of Price Hill Will, a nonprofit focused on physical revitalization, economic development, and community engagement. MYCincinnati hosted its sixth annual summer camp in 2017, culminating in the second Price Hill Creative Community Festival. The festival brings together world-class artists and the young musicians of MYCincinnati to create unique, collaborative performances. The camp and festival provide an opportunity for Price Hill youth to strive towards their full potential, while building a more creative and connected community. MYCincinnati's free summer camp engaged over 80 youth.

Price Hill Will-MYCincinnati

3724 Saint Lawrence Avenue, Cincinnati, OH 45205

www.mycincinnatiorchestra.org

Project: Summer Camp and Price Hill

Creative Community Festival

Dater Grant: \$15,000 (July, 2017)

ProKids - \$20,000

ProKids exists for the more than 4,000 abused children in Hamilton County's child protection system. The mission is to mobilize the community to break the vicious cycle of child abuse and neglect by recruiting, training, and supporting committed volunteers to become Court Appointed Special Advocates (CASA) to stand up for these children and guide them into safe environments where they can thrive. A Dater grant supported CASA University, a program that recruited and trained 97 new CASA volunteers during the grant period. In 2016, ProKids Advocacy Teams, including

224 CASA volunteers, advocated on behalf of 757 abused and neglected children, 99% of whom were free from abuse and neglect.

ProKids

2605 Burnet Avenue, Cincinnati, OH 45219

www.ProKids.org

Project: CASA University

Dater Grant: \$20,000 (November, 2016)

ROKCincy - \$15,000

ROKCincy (Roundabout Opera for Kids) brings the thrill of live performance to schools and community centers as a free service. The program has two beneficiaries: young people who learn to appreciate performing arts as audience members, and local artists who get practical experience. A Dater grant supported ROKCincy's tour of an original, interactive opera, Trip Jones and the Case of the Missing Music. The colorful production engaged audiences while the novelty of operatic arias inspired curiosity. Afterward, young audience members were able to ask questions and interact with the performers. The program was seen by over 7,500 young people and family members.

ROKCincy

7796 Twelve Oaks Court, Cincinnati, OH 45255

www.rokcincy.com

Project: Outreach Tour of Trip Jones and the Case of the Missing Music

Dater Grant: \$15,000 (January, 2017)

Ronald McDonald House Charities - \$12,000

Families travel to Cincinnati from all over the world seeking life-saving treatment for the seriously ill children at Cincinnati Children's and other area hospitals. Ronald McDonald House provides these families with a "home away from home" while their children battle some of life's most devastating illnesses. A performance and activities program provides families with a distraction or an escape from their worries, if only for a moment. The House hosts nearly 700 performances and activities annually ranging from theatre performances and magicians to puppeteers and balloon twisters. Dater funding provided stipends for artists and performers and covered a portion of administrative costs.

Ronald McDonald House Charities of Greater Cincinnati

350 Erkenbrecher Avenue, Cincinnati, OH 45229

www.rmhcincinnati.org

Project: Family Performance and Activities Series

Dater Grant: \$12,000 (January, 2017)

Salvation Army - \$10,000

The Salvation Army Learning Center at the Westside Corps offers safe, nurturing care and unique education opportunities to children of families in the Price Hill area. The Center offers infant, toddler and pre-school programs focusing on quality care and significant early

learning experiences that help children meet immediate developmental milestones and prepare for success in school. Before- and after-school care and summer programs are offered for children in grades K-12, providing educational enrichment, emotional support, physical activity and character building. A Dater grant supported the Learning Center, which served over 100 children and supplied books, computer software and hardware, work books, arts and crafts, fun field trips and healthy food year-round.

The Salvation Army

114 East Central Parkway, Cincinnati, OH 45202

www.salvationarmycincinnati.org

Project: Salvation Army Learning Center at the Westside Corps

Dater Grant: \$10,000 (May, 2017)

Santa Maria Community Services - \$20,000

Santa Maria's Youth Development Program provides Lower Price Hill youth with opportunities to develop life skills, build character, and participate in healthy recreational activities. Founded in 1897, Santa Maria is a catalyst and advocate for Price Hill families to attain their educational, financial, and health goals. A Dater grant supported diverse youth activities, including social-emotional skills groups, field trips, community dances, camping opportunities, and community service projects. Participants in a youth/family advocacy program were helped to identify factors that were impeding their children's academic and social success, and they were linked to services that helped them address those issues. Over 200 youth were involved in structured leadership groups.

Santa Maria Community Services

617 Steiner Avenue, Cincinnati OH 45204

www.santamaria-cincy.org

Project: Dater 4 Kids

Dater Grant: \$20,000 (November, 2016)

School House Symphony - \$20,000

School House Symphony presents music education programs to pre-school and elementary age children. The programs foster both an understanding and appreciation of music from many different cultures and time periods, and they promote an awareness of how music is structured and performed. SHS presented about 300 performances and reached 20,000 students at over 90 public and private schools in 2016-17. Funding from the Dater Foundation made it possible to provide these programs to schools at affordable prices. In addition, Dater funding was also used to provide performances free of charge at CISE and other inner-city schools.

School House Symphony

P.O. Box 36494, Cincinnati, OH 45236

www.schoolhousesymphony.org

Project: Teaching Tomorrow's Audience Today

Dater Grant: \$20,000 (August, 2017)

Special Olympics Hamilton County - \$10,000

Special Olympics Hamilton County provides year-round sports training and competition in 25 different sports activities for over 1,800 children and adults with developmental disabilities. Working with special education teachers, activities include Individual Skills Basketball, After School Bowling, Fishing, Gymnastics, Motor Skills, Roller Skating, Soccer Training Day, and Track & Field Spring Games. More than 600 volunteers are involved. A Dater grant helped fund uniforms and equipment necessary for teaching, training and competition, as well as the participation medals for each sport. Special Olympics Hamilton County relies on grants along with fundraising events to provide a comprehensive sports and activities program to local special needs children.

Special Olympics Hamilton County

4790 Red Bank Expressway, Cincinnati, OH 45227

www.specialolympics-HC.org

Project: School Age Children's Program

Dater Grant: \$10,000 (November, 2016)

St. Vincent de Paul Cincinnati - \$15,000

St. Vincent de Paul responds to the needs of neighbors in crisis. A homelessness prevention program keeps families in their homes by providing rent/utility assistance. A Charitable Pharmacy fills prescriptions at no cost. Food, clothing and furniture assistance ensures that neighbors' basic needs are met. Whether a family is moving from a shelter, escaping an abusive relationship or recovering from a bed-bug infestation, the expense of purchasing beds is often insurmountable. Many children sleep on the floor or share a bed. A Dater grant ensured that 130 Cincinnati children had a safe, warm place to sleep. Sleeping in a bed helps improve a child's physical, intellectual and emotional well being.

St. Vincent de Paul Cincinnati

1125 Bank Street, Cincinnati, OH 45214

www.SVDPcincinnati.org

Project: Beds for Cincinnati Children

Dater Grant: \$15,000 (August, 2017)

St. Vincent de Paul Northern Kentucky - \$10,000

St. Vincent de Paul serves the Northern Kentucky community by providing life's basic necessities to nearly 31,000 neighbors in need annually. A Dater grant supporting the Sweet Dreams Bed Program provided 77 twin size beds to children under age 16 whose families were economically disadvantaged. During volunteers' home visits to determine the level of a family's need, sadly they find many children sleeping in chairs or worse. The impact of these conditions is devastating on the lives of children as evidenced by the loss of dignity and the loss of the

opportunity to develop normally in mind and body.

A total of 653 beds were distributed last year.

Society of St. Vincent de Paul, Council of Northern Kentucky

2655 Crescent Springs Road, Erlanger, KY 41017

www.svdpnky.org

Project: Sweet Dreams Bed Program

Dater Grant: \$10,000 (February, 2017)

St. Xavier High School - \$10,000

The Summer Companion Scholars Program provides a rigorous, four-week academic enrichment program for high-achieving African American, Hispanic, multicultural or moderate-to-low income young men in the sixth or seventh grades from any Cincinnati area school. Mornings consist of four academic classes taught by St. Xavier faculty and afternoons consist of elective courses taught by college mentors. The fourth week features academic field trips. Overall, students, parents and faculty felt the summer was extremely successful. CSP created an environment where smart, multicultural young men thrived. In January, 39 students were offered admission to St. Xavier High School. A Dater grant underwrote program costs for low income students.

St. Xavier High School

600 W. North Bend Road, Cincinnati, OH 45224

www.stxavier.org/admissions

Project: Summer Companion Scholars Program

Dater Grant: \$10,000 (May, 2017)

Starfire - \$30,000

Starfire is a visionary organization working to build better lives for people with developmental disabilities. Data shows that people with developmental disabilities grow increasingly lonely and isolated as adults. Working with one person and his/her family at a time, Starfire connects people with developmental disabilities to relationships and uncovers their talents and passions so they can thrive in their communities alongside their neighbors. As a result, they experience respect and make contributions in their neighborhood. A Dater grant enabled Starfire to increase capacity in its one-on-one support program. Starfire reports that 91% of participants attained valued social roles in the community, such as a regular volunteer position at a local organization or a job at a local business.

Starfire

5030 Oaklawn Avenue, Cincinnati, OH 45227

www.starfirecincy.org

Project: One Family at a Time

Dater Grant: \$30,000 (July, 2017)

Sweet Cheeks Diaper Bank - \$10,000

Sweet Cheeks Diaper Bank partners with local social service agencies to provide free diapers to low-income families while raising awareness of the basic health need for diapers. The vision is to eliminate the exist-

ence of diaper need in the community so that all babies have a chance to be healthy, happy and safe. Over 16,000 diaper-wearing children in Greater Cincinnati experience diaper need each month. A Dater grant supported the hiring of the organization's first part-time program manager. The result was an increase in diaper distribution, volunteer hours and grant submissions, as well as providing service to persons who had been on the wait list for over a year.

Sweet Cheeks Diaper Bank

1615 Republic Street, Cincinnati, OH 45202

www.sweetcheeksdiapebanks.org

Project: Diaper Distribution Program Expansion

Dater Grant: \$10,000 (August, 2017)

Taft Museum of Art - \$40,000

The Taft is one of the finest small art museums in America with major works by Rembrandt, Hals, Goya, Gainsborough, Reynolds, Turner, Whistler and Sargent. Through engaging exhibitions, programs and activities, the Taft creates enjoyment and learning opportunities through community-based educational and outreach initiatives. Since 1996, Dater grants have supported educational programs for children and families. In 2016-17, these included arts-integrated field trips for schools, the Artists Reaching Classrooms program for high school art students, Art for Underserved School Audiences (AUSA), badge programs for scouts, free 3rd Sunday Family Day activities, summer art day camp, and professional development workshops for teachers. Taft education programs impacted 5,950 youth in addition to their families and educators.

Taft Museum of Art

316 Pike Street, Cincinnati, OH 45202

www.taftmuseum.org

Project: Educational Programs for Children and Families

Dater Grant: \$40,000 (September, 2016)

The Underground - \$10,000

The Underground is a training and equipping center where students discover their passion in the arts, sharpen their artistic skills, and hone their purpose to tell transforming and transcendent stories. The Underground and Winton Woods School District collaborate to provide after-school programs for high school students in the Forest Park community. The teen-friendly "hangout" is a safe space where students can build community, encounter positive adult influences, and develop creative and artistic skills. Resources available include audio/video production equipment and access to high speed internet. Almost 300 teens participated in 2016-17.

The Underground

1140 Smiley Avenue, Cincinnati, OH 45240

www.theug.com

Project: Winton Woods High School After School Program

Dater Grant: \$10,000 (January, 2017)

UC Med Mentors - \$11,000

UC Med Mentors are medical students who work with the Cincinnati Youth Collaborative to mentor students in the Cincinnati Public School district. With funding from a Dater grant, the program is truly a win-win. Two hundred medical students gain understanding and increased empathy through the personal relationships they build, and the young students benefit from having a caring mentor and role model. Mentors and mentees participated in numerous cultural and educational activities, including an Overnight at the Aquarium, Cincinnati Reds games, and performances at the Aronoff Center. Mentors also worked with mentees on developing important life skills, such as writing school papers and cooking healthy foods.

UC Med Mentors

University of Cincinnati, College of Medicine

P.O. Box 670667, Cincinnati, OH 45267

www.cycyouth.org/uc-med-mentors/

Project: Student Mentoring

Dater Grant: \$11,000 (September, 2016)

UpSpring - \$15,000

As the region's only nonprofit exclusively serving the educational needs of homeless children and youth, UpSpring provides these students with the consistency needed to achieve academic success and become well-rounded, active participants in their community. A Dater grant supported UpSpring Summer 360°, a seven week academic and enrichment program for kids ages 5-12 who are experiencing homelessness. These children are typically two to three years behind in their education, and summer is the perfect time to work toward closing the educational gaps they face. The 2017 program served 78 children, and 84% increased or maintained their math or literacy skills in addition to gaining improvements in their sense of hope, self-esteem, and academic empowerment.

UpSpring

P.O. Box 23300, Cincinnati, OH 45223

www.UpSpring.org

Project: UpSpring Summer 360°

Dater Grant: \$15,000 (January, 2017)

Urban Health Project - \$10,000

The University of Cincinnati's Urban Health Project partnered 19 medical interns with 16 nonprofit organizations and agencies in the summer of 2017. With support from a Dater grant, they provided 5,800 hours of service over the course of eight weeks and directly helped more than 1,000 people. Intern assignments ranged from clinical to research-based to social work. Projects included teaching classes on mental health and wellness, photography documenting homes of immigrant mothers to promote infant safe sleep

practices, and quantitative analysis of Electronic Medical Records to evaluate reasons for going to the emergency department instead of a free clinic.

Urban Health Project

619 Oak Street, Seventh Floor, Cincinnati, OH 45206

www.med.uc.edu/uhp

Project: Summer Internships

Dater Grant: \$10,000 (July, 2017)

Valley Interfaith Community Resource Center - \$20,000

Valley Interfaith partners with the community to provide needed resources and build self-sustainability. A wide range of services include emergency resources, crisis intervention, and sustainability programming. Throughout the year, several seasonal programs are provided as additional resources for families. With support from a Dater grant, the Annual Back 2 School Program served more than 1,200 school-aged children in August 2017, providing new backpacks filled with essential school supplies, a gift card for new shoes, and a new school uniform. For families struggling to make ends meet, the program relieves a financial hardship and ensures that all children start the school year set for success.

Valley Interfaith Community Resource Center

420 W. Wyoming Avenue, Cincinnati, OH 45215

www.vicrc.org

Project: Back 2 School Program

Dater Grant: \$20,000 (April, 2017)

Visionaries and Voices - \$10,000

Visionaries and Voices provides artistic, cultural and professional opportunities for artists with disabilities. The Teaching Artist Program (TAP) is an intensive, job skills training course that prepares artists to make presentations about their artwork and art-making processes to local students and community organizations. TAP participants develop skills that enable them to earn income while bringing an important message of inclusion to audiences. A Dater grant supported the placement of several TAP artists at Rees E. Price Academy and Riverview East Academy. TAP artists made monthly art presentations to students with developmental disabilities, including those with characteristics on the autism spectrum. The program served approximately 250 students.

Visionaries and Voices

3841 Spring Grove Avenue, Cincinnati, OH 45223

www.visionariesandvoices.com

Project: Teaching Artist Program

Dater Grant: \$10,000 (July, 2017)

WAVE Foundation - \$15,000

The WAVE Foundation's Career Exploration Initiative has the goal of increasing diversity in the science, technology, engineering and math

(STEM) workforce. The heart of the program features hands-on experiences in the fields of water chemistry, biology, engineering and animal behavior. Students are introduced to STEM concepts and meaningful workplace experiences as they participate in three different Job Shadow opportunities: Women In STEM, Conservation Biolog, and Animal Husbandry & Research. A Dater grant helped the program reach over 750 under-resourced students and young women in its first year.

WAVE Foundation

One Aquarium Way, Newport, KY 41071

www.wavefoundation.org

Project: Career Exploration Initiative

Dater Grant: \$15,000 (March, 2017)

Xavier University - \$20,000

Xavier's Summer Service Internship Program fosters young people's commitment to community service by placing college students in fulltime service internships each summer. In 2017, 20 Xavier students provided 5,877 hours of service at 19 local, nonprofit agencies in the Greater Cincinnati area. A Dater grant funded stipends and expenses for seven interns who worked in agencies that serve children: Project Connect, Stepping Stones, Imago Earth Center, Boys and Girls Club, Su Casa Hispanic Center, Civic Garden Center and Kennedy Heights Arts Center. The interns served about 600 youth over the course of the internship, and contact hours totaled more than 40,000.

Xavier University

3800 Victory Parkway, Cincinnati, OH 45207

www.Xavier.edu (Search: Summer Service Internship)

Project: 2017 Summer Service Internship Program

Dater Grant: \$20,000 (March, 2017)

YMCA Great Miami Valley - \$5,000

Since 2012, the Fairfield Family YMCA has partnered with Joe Nuxhall Miracle League Fields at Hatton Park to provide instructional baseball programming for youth with special needs. A Dater grant assisted in covering expenses associated with the two 10-week spring and fall seasons. In 2017, the program served 163 player participants, a 27% increase, and 30 youth received some level of financial assistance. At the end-of-session celebration, players were recognized for their physical, social, and developmental accomplishments and everyone got a shirt and baseball cap. Over 2,000 youth and adult volunteer "Buddies" have assisted during the past four years.

Great Miami Valley YMCA/Fairfield Family YMCA

5220 Bibury Road, Fairfield, OH 45014

www.gmvyymca.org

Project: Joe Nuxhall Miracle League Fields

Dater Grant: \$5,000 (August, 2017)

YMCA of Greater Cincinnati - \$10,000

The YMCA puts Christian principles into practice through programs that build healthy spirit, mind, and body for all. The Y's Autism Learning Program is designed to allow children with autism to experience pre-school while maintaining the structure, therapy and academics that they need to learn, grow and eventually become as independent as possible. A Dater grant helped provide scholarships to students in need as well as technology and curriculum upgrades. Last year, the program served 19 children in year-round autism programming and 115 children with special needs in the summer program. Children made developmental gains and built confidence and self-esteem. The program also helped eight families secure placement for kindergarten in the fall.

YMCA of Greater Cincinnati

1105 Elm Street, Cincinnati, OH 45202

www.myy.org

Project: Autism Learning Program

Dater Grant: \$10,000 (September, 2016)

Additional Grants ...

Four grants were made to organizations that provide resources to grant seekers and support the grantmaking process: Exponent Philanthropy, formerly Association for Small Foundations (\$2,000); Foundation Center (\$1,500); PEAK Grantmaking (\$1,500); and Philanthropy Ohio, formerly Ohio Grantmakers Forum (\$3,642).

www.DaterFoundation.org

Want more information about the Charles H. Dater Foundation? Visit – www.DaterFoundation.org.

Prospective grant applicants are encouraged to carefully read the Grant Guidelines and Grant Request/Application sections, including the information about submitting an abbreviated preliminary letter. Information about past grants is located in a number of sections on the website – News Releases, Annual Reports (PDFs of this publication from 2003-04 to 2016-17).

Other website sections feature information about Charles Dater, the Foundation's structure, success stories of grant recipients, news releases, a photo gallery and FAQs.

Grants Summary 2016-17

Less than \$10,000	7	\$ 25,642
\$10,000 to \$24,999	102	1,365,000
\$25,000 to \$49,999	13	420,000
\$50,000 to \$99,999	3	150,000
Total	125	\$1,960,642

Grants by Years

<i>Fiscal Year</i>	<i>Number</i>	<i>\$</i>
1985-86	13	\$ 9,500
1986-87	12	8,550
1987-88	35	114,530
1988-89	31	151,014
1989-90	49	186,275
1990-91	50	227,400
1991-92	42	222,000
1992-93	51	296,050
1993-94	66	336,604
1994-95	79	666,500
1995-96	93	1,658,416
1996-97	106	1,900,700
1997-98	104	2,074,000
1998-99	114	2,382,500
1999-2000	113	2,523,500
2000-01	112	2,438,500
2001-02	102	2,143,000
2002-03	85	1,717,500
2003-04	99	1,764,569
2004-05	71	1,301,000
2005-06	79	1,456,000
2006-07	114	2,188,392
2007-08	129	2,092,818
2008-09	135	2,134,651
2009-10	114	1,508,169
2010-11	114	1,597,950
2011-12	118	1,499,471
2012-13	111	1,501,026
2013-14	125	1,655,955
2014-15	126	1,823,118
2015-16	126	1,953,746
2016-17	125	1,960,642
TOTAL	2,843	\$43,494,046

Grant Application Process

The Dater Foundation's online, web-based Grant Request/Application and Grant Evaluation Report are designed to make the grant seeking process easy and time efficient for nonprofit organizations.

A customized grant application format mirrors the Foundation's previous hard-copy format. Applicants are directed to fill in specific fields and upload certain documents. Additional documents (newsletters, news articles, annual reports, etc.) may be uploaded as well.

The "Grants" section of the Foundation's website includes:

- Grant Guidelines
- Grant History
- Links to the online Grant Request/Application and Grant Evaluation Report sections

Grantmaking Focus, Process and Timing

The Foundation makes grants to private, nonprofit organizations and public agencies in Greater Cincinnati for programs that benefit young people in the region in the areas of arts/culture, education, healthcare, social services and other community needs. Greater Cincinnati is defined as the eight-county area made up of the counties of Hamilton, Butler, Warren and Clermont in Ohio; Boone, Kenton and Campbell in Kentucky; and Dearborn in Indiana. The Foundation does not make grants to individuals, for scholarships for individuals, for debt reduction, and, with rare exception, for capital fund projects. Grants are usually made for one year and subsequent grants for an extended or ongoing program are based on an evaluation of annual results. Multiple grants to an organization in the Foundation's same fiscal year (September through August) are possible, but rare. The Foundation looks favorably on applications that leverage a grant to secure additional funding and resources.

Grant applicants are strongly urged to review the Grant Guidelines before initiating a grant application. This will help grant seekers better understand the Foundation's background and grantmaking priorities, thereby improving the likelihood of approval for some and saving valuable time for others whose application may not be consistent with the Foundation's grantmaking focus.

Applicants may want to consider submitting a brief "pre-application summary proposal." Details are in the Grants section of the Foundation's website. The Grant Request/Application process requires about 60 days from the time an application is received until a grant request is approved or declined. Once an application is approved, funds are dispersed in about two weeks.

Charles H. Dater, 1912-1993

Philanthropist, Businessman, Cincinnatian

Charles Hixson Dater was born in Cincinnati in 1912. A brother, the only other child of Charles Henry Dater and his wife Ona, died as an infant 12 years before Charles was born.

Charles grew up in Northside and attended North Presbyterian Church. He graduated from the University of Cincinnati and pursued a master's in business administration at Harvard University. He served as an officer in the U.S. Army during World War II.



His father died when Charles was only 17 years old, and he was thrust into management of the family's holdings at an early age. After his mother died, his full-time focus became the family's investments and residential land development in Western Hills, where he lived in a modest three-bedroom ranch home. He died in 1993.

Many Greater Cincinnati institutions and charities benefited from his generosity through the years, both before and after the establishment of the Foundation; but Charles preferred that his gifts be anonymous and unrecognized.

He made the decision in the mid-1980s to establish a foundation to preserve the family's memory and to ensure that funding through grants for worthwhile community programs would continue.

The Dater family and its ties to Cincinnati date back four generations. Charles's great grandfather, Adam Dater, emigrated from Germany and settled in Cincinnati in 1830. Hard work and business acumen were hallmarks of succeeding generations of Dater family members, who generously shared their success with their community. A Cincinnati high school and Montessori school are named in honor of Gilbert Dater, grandfather of Charles.

Charles H. Dater Foundation Board of Directors and Officers

Bruce A. Krone

President, Secretary and Director

Bruce A. Krone is an original member of the Dater Foundation board. A native Cincinnati, he attended Walnut Hills High School. He graduated from Ohio State University with a bachelor's degree in Finance and earned a master's in Business Administration from Xavier University. He earned his law degree from the University of Dayton, focusing on estate planning and taxation. He joined his father in the firm of Eichel and Krone in 1982. His practice areas include estate planning, taxation, real estate, business law, wills, trust law and probate. He is Board Certified by the Ohio State Bar Association in estate planning, trust and probate law. He serves on committees of the Cincinnati, Ohio, Kentucky and American Bar Associations, and is active in community and church-related activities. He and his wife Libby have two children and live in Cincinnati's Hyde Park area.

Amanda Prebble Lenhart

Vice President and Director

Amanda Prebble Lenhart was elected to the Foundation board in December 2006. After over 14 years with the Cincinnati law firm of Dinsmore & Shohl LLP, she left her position as a partner in the firm in January 2015 to be a stay-at-home mom and to devote more time to the Dater Foundation and other philanthropic and community endeavors. After earning a Bachelor of Philosophy from Miami University in 1997, she received her Juris Doctorate, with honors, from the University of Cincinnati College of Law in 2000. She and husband Shawn Lenhart have two children.

Roger L. Ruhl

Vice President and Director

Roger L. Ruhl was elected to the Foundation board in December 2006. A native Cincinnati, he graduated from St. Xavier High, attended Xavier University and completed his bachelor's degree at West Virginia University, where he was sports information director while still an undergraduate. He served in the U.S. Army and was an infantry and information sergeant in Vietnam. He spent 13 years with the Cincinnati Reds where he was Vice President Marketing; three years with Hogan, Nolan & Stites, a Cincinnati marketing, advertising and public relations firm; and 13 years as Vice President of the Greater Cincinnati Chamber of Commerce. He established a marketing communications consultancy in 2000 and provides marketing and

public relations counsel and services to a limited number of small and mid-size clients. He has served on the boards of the Greater Cincinnati Chamber of Commerce, the Greater Cincinnati Convention and Visitors Bureau, the Downtown Council (including two terms as president), Seven Hills Savings and Cornerstone Bank. He lives in Montgomery. He has a daughter.

Stanley J. (Jack) Frank, Jr.

Treasurer and Director

Stanley J. "Jack" Frank is an original member of the Foundation board. He was born and raised in Cincinnati and graduated from St. Xavier High School, where he played football and ran track. He was a dean's list student at Georgetown University in Washington, D.C., and graduated with a bachelor's degree in Economics. He earned his master's in Business Administration at Xavier University. He joined Merrill Lynch after college and began a career as a financial advisor that would last 45 years. He taught adult education courses in securities and investments at two area high schools. He has been active in civic organizations, serving on the boards of the Cincinnati Speech and Hearing Center and Georgetown University Alumni Association, and on the boards and as president of Hyde Park Tennis Club and St. Xavier High Alumni Association. He and his late wife Margaret raised six children. He lives in East Walnut Hills.

Former Directors and Officers

Dorothy G. Krone, 1925-2015

Director 1995-2004; Director Emeritus 2005-2015

Dorothy G. Krone served as an active member of the Foundation's board from 1995 to 2004 and as a Director Emeritus from 2005 until her death in 2015. A life-long Cincinnati, she grew up in Clifton and attended Walnut Hills High School. She earned a bachelor's degree in Business Administration at the University of Cincinnati. She worked briefly for the Cincinnati Board of Education after college. As a fulltime mother, she made time for extensive volunteer commitments. She was a reading tutor at Kilgour School, a Cub Scout den mother, a Brownie leader, a Sunday school teacher at Knox Presbyterian Church, and a pre-school teacher at Hyde Park Community Church. She also served as a volunteer for the Cincinnati Art Museum and Hill and Dale Garden Club. After her children were grown, she returned to the University of Cincinnati and earned a temporary teacher certificate. Her husband Paul, who died in 1995, was a founding board member of the Foundation. They had four children.

Paul W. Krone, 1925-1995

Director and President 1985-1995

Paul W. Krone was a founding board member and served as the Foundation's first President from 1985 until his death in 1995. He was born in Cincinnati and was a life-long resident. He graduated from Walnut Hills High School and the University of Cincinnati, where his involvement in Phi Delta Theta fraternity continued throughout his life. He earned his law degree from Salmon P. Chase College of Law. He practiced law for 13 years before starting Eichel and Krone in 1971. His law practice focused on estate planning and business law. His son Bruce Krone joined him in the practice in 1982. His wife Dorothy served as an active Foundation board member from 1995 to 2004, and as a Director Emeritus until her death in 2015. They had four children.

David L. Olberding, 1936-2005

Director 1985-2005; President 1995-2005

David L. Olberding was a founding board member and served as President from 1995 until his death in 2005. A life-long Cincinnati, he grew up as one of seven children in Price Hill. He graduated from Elder High School and the University of Cincinnati, where he majored in Economics and Finance. He spent his entire workplace career as a broker at Merrill Lynch, retiring as a Vice President in 1996. He served six years in the U.S. Army Reserves, advancing to the rank of First Sergeant. He was an avid golfer and a member of Clovernook Country Club, where he served two terms on the board of directors and was club president in 1988-89. He is survived by his wife Cathey and their three children.

John D. Silvati, 1937-2014

Vice President and Director, 1985-2014

John D. Silvati, a founding member of the Dater Foundation's board of directors and served as Vice President until his death in 2014. A native Cincinnati, he graduated from Purcell High School and attended Xavier University on a football scholarship, earning his bachelor's degree in Business Administration. He fulfilled his college R.O.T.C. commitment by serving two years as an artillery officer in the U.S. Army in the early 1960s. After the Army, he joined Merrill Lynch as a financial consultant. He left to join another firm in the early 1970s, but returned to Merrill in 1974 as a Vice President. He was resident manager of the firm's Blue Ash office at the time he retired in 1997. He served as a board member of Ensemble Theater of Cincinnati and Kenwood County Club, and served on the Session Board of Indian Hill Church. He is survived by his wife Linda and their six children and 13 grandchildren.

Photo Identifications

(Centerspread Pages 30 and 31)

Left page, from top. (1) The Freestore Foodbank's Power Pack program provides almost 200,000 weekend food sacks for over 5,200 children. (2) The Art Central Foundation in Middletown features a summer Art Workshop and grants pay fees for young people who would not otherwise be able to attend. (3) The Literacy Network's Children's Basic Reading Program helps children who do not learn well in a traditional classroom setting. (4) The Great Miami Valley YMCA partners with the Joe Nuxhall Miracle League to provide youth instructional baseball to children with special needs. (5) The Children's Museum at Cincinnati Museum Center excites and educates young people of all ages. (6) Since its debut in 1998, host Naomi Lewin has been the guiding force behind WGUC's acclaimed Classics for Kids, which attracts 7,900 listeners weekly and over 700,000 web site visits annually. (7) Besides presenting quality children's programming 24/7 for young people of all socioeconomic backgrounds, CET introduces young viewers to stars like Daniel Tiger at its Kids Club special events.

Right Page, from top. (1) ArtWorks' student apprentice artists climb scaffolding and work under professional artists to create public works of art. (2) Outdoor Adventure Clubs provide outdoor recreation opportunities like canoeing, biking and hiking at no cost to local urban teens. (3) Equine therapy offered by Cincinnati Therapeutic Riding and Horsemanship is uniquely suited to help children with developmental disabilities gain confidence and sense of purpose. (4) School House Symphony brings live, low-cost or no-cost music education presentations to 20,000 pre-school and elementary students at about 300 schools each year. (5) Santa Maria Community Services provides Lower Price Hill youth with opportunities to develop life skills, build character and participate in healthy recreational activities. (6) Children's Theatre's MainStage performances at the Taft are often a child's first exposure to live theatre, and ticket subsidies enable a broad range of students to attend.

