



Young Philanthropists Fund  
Grants History 2008 - 2015

| APPLICANT INFORMATION                                                                 | SUMMARY OF REQUEST                                                                                                                                                                                                    | AMOUNT         |
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| <b>2008 Grants to Support Health and Education, Emphasis on Children and Families</b> |                                                                                                                                                                                                                       |                |
| Waveny Care Network                                                                   | Funds to purchase a Nintendo Wii system for use at the New Canaan Inn for the program "Using Simple Technology to Promote Intergenerational Connectivity between the Community's Youth and Seniors."                  | \$550          |
| New Canaan Volunteer Ambulance                                                        | Funding to support building of new headquarters                                                                                                                                                                       | \$1,000        |
| Camp Horizons                                                                         | Laminate materials used by campers with developmental disabilities so the materials may be used repeatedly.                                                                                                           | \$762          |
| Person to Person                                                                      | 4 \$500 Scholarships for students from low income households to attend Camp Hand in Hand in New Canaan                                                                                                                | \$500          |
| Childrens Connection                                                                  | To fund 16 forensic interviews for children who have been sexually abused.                                                                                                                                            | \$750          |
| SPED*NET Special Education Network of New Canaan                                      | To fund 2 seminars to teach middle school and high school students with disabilities to self advocate and take charge of the school meetings (PPTs) that determine their educational program.                         | \$500          |
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| <b>2009 Grants to Address Basic Human Needs</b>                                       |                                                                                                                                                                                                                       |                |
| AmeriCares Free Clinics                                                               | Funding to provide school physicals for 30 young adults                                                                                                                                                               | \$500          |
| Kids in Crisis                                                                        | To support Teen Talk, a Kids in Crisis program that places specially trained counselors in high school and middle school to help kids deal with personal problems, social and academic pressures and family conflict. | \$500          |
| New Canaan Chapter of the American Red Cross                                          | Purchase and installation of an antenna which will allow the red Cross Disaster Action Team to communicate throughout New Canaan during a disaster or emergency.                                                      | \$769          |
| Person to Person                                                                      | Funding for PtoP's Emergency Assistance Program to provide financial emergency assistance to residents of New Canaan.                                                                                                 | \$1,000        |
| Shelter for the Homeless                                                              | Funding to provide assistance with the rising cost of food to feed their clients.                                                                                                                                     | \$1,500        |
| STAR, Inc. Lighting the Way                                                           | Funds to purchase new technologies for the Rubino Family Center for infants and pre-schooler with developmental disabilities.                                                                                         | \$450          |
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### 2010 Grants for Human Services Organizations

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| Arts for Healing                    | Support music therapy program at Waveny Care Center                                                | \$300          |
| Food Bank of Lower Fairfield County | Money to buy and distribute food at or below wholesale cost for local non-profit organizations     | \$977          |
| New Canaan CARES                    | Purchase a power point projector for educational presentations                                     | \$629          |
| New Covenant House                  | Purchase food for childrens feeding program and soup kitchen                                       | \$1,000        |
| Nursing & Home Care                 | Purchase five portable GPS units to be used by home care staff to find patients' homes             | \$500          |
| Pegasus Therapeutic Riding          | Support use of therapy horses for riders with special needs, at New Canaan Mounted Troop           | \$400          |
| Shelter for the Homeless            | Cover cost of providing food for clients staying overnight at homeless shelter                     | \$1,000        |
| STAR Inc Lighting the Way           | Purchase assessment tools to help establish eligibility for infants and toddlers with disabilities | \$814          |
| Staying Put in New Canaan           | Scholarship to cover cost of one membership for one year                                           | \$720          |
| Waveny Care Network                 | Purchase digital camera with video capacity and printer for use in Rehab dept to improve care      | \$500          |
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### 2011 Grants to Strengthen Our Community

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| A Better Chance (ABC)                | Funds towards scholastic summer programs for incoming and existing ABC Students                                                                                                         | \$1,000         |
| Arts for Healing                     | To provide a new, therapeutic technology for the clients through the purchase of 2 iPads and software program.                                                                          | \$700           |
| Children's Connection                | To enhance the atmosphere of new Children's Advocacy Center, to make it more child-friendly so the victims of child abuse will feel safe and comfortable when they enter.               | \$900           |
| Christian Community Action           | To cover costs of helping 42 teens from low income Norwalk families prepare for the SAT tests.                                                                                          | \$1,000         |
| Family Centers                       | To support the Young Parents Program (YPP) which helps pregnant teens and young mothers with the education and support to transition into their roles as parents.                       | \$500           |
| Food Bank of Lower Fairfield County  | Money to buy food at or below wholesale cost.                                                                                                                                           | \$1,061         |
| Kids in Crisis                       | Teen Talk at NCHS to help kids deal with personal problems, social or academic pressures and family conflict.                                                                           | \$1,250         |
| New Canaan CARES                     | Need updated materials for the CARES library which is a resource for Town schools, community and businesses.                                                                            | \$100           |
| New Canaan Library                   | To cover 50% of the cost to purchase and install a smart Board in the Children's Program Room                                                                                           | \$1,550         |
| Norwalk Community College Foundation | Sensory input, perception, and motor coordination tools and toys for children with special needs who attend daycare at Norwalk Community College's Child Development Laboratory School. | \$390           |
| New Canaan Library                   | Philanthropic books purchased for local school children and distributed to area libraries                                                                                               | \$3,823         |
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### 2012 Grants to Meet Basic Human Needs with an emphasis on Hunger and Helping Needy Families

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| Child Guidance Center            | General operating grant to continue providing timely access to high quality outpatient mental health services for children and adolescents.                                                              | \$400           |
| Christian Community Action       | Help cover increased costs in summer as food pantry demand to help feed needy local families increases.                                                                                                  | \$1,000         |
| Domus                            | Purchase food to provide healthy meals to eight teenage boys, residents of group home for homeless youth.                                                                                                | \$750           |
| Family and Children's Agency     | Purchase bus tokens to assist clients with transportation to the agency to access social services.                                                                                                       | \$400           |
| Family Centers                   | Support Housing Resource Program, which locates safe and affordable housing for people with prolonged mental illness, through a comprehensive network of landlords and property managers.                | \$400           |
| Food Bank/Lower Fairfield County | Money to purchase nutritious food at wholesale to provide to non-profits that feed the hungry in local towns, and raise awareness of/promote action to combat hunger in our area.                        | \$1,000         |
| Kids in Crisis                   | Provide 166 healthy, nutritious meals for children in residence at Safe Haven for Kids, a 24-hour crisis intervention, emergency shelter for abused kids.                                                | \$750           |
| Laurel House                     | Purchase perishable foods that they are unable to acquire through the food bank. Increase fresh food component of lunch and dinner programs to improve nutrition and promote wellness for their members. | \$1,000         |
| Meals on Wheels                  | Provide six months of meals for one New Canaan resident, delivered by local volunteers.                                                                                                                  | \$1,850         |
| Norwalk Emergency Shelter        | Support soup kitchen and food pantry program, Manna House, providing an average of 53,000 meals per month to homeless & working poor individuals & families.                                             | \$1,000         |
| Person to Person                 | Support to provide 2 emergency food orders (groceries for 3 meals a day for 7 days) for low income families whose children received free meals in the Stamford public schools.                           | \$1,000         |
| Shelter for the Homeless         | Support general operating funds to provide the most basic of humans needs, food and shelter.                                                                                                             | \$1,000         |
| St. Lukes Lifeworks              | Provide one year of food for 14 children per day that frequent the Youth Center, including fruits, vegetables, whole grain bread, and dairy products.                                                    | \$1,000         |
| St. Marks Vegetable Garden       | Provide compensation for an intern to aid in management of the vegetable garden for the 2012 season, helping to grow fresh produce for clients of the New Canaan Food Bank.                              | \$2,000         |
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### 2013 Grants to Support Education Programs

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| A Better Chance of New Canaan               | Summer Educational programs to prepare students for NCHS, or tutoring to keep up, for incoming and existing ABC program students                                    | \$2,500         |
| Domus                                       | Provide regular intensive academic interventions such as tutoring and educator-led study groups to help them catch up in all subjects, especially reading.          | \$2,200         |
| Horizons Student Enrichment Program at NCCS | College tour to Connecticut College for thirty Horizons high school students in Fall of 2013                                                                        | \$1,580         |
| Inspirica                                   | Support Youth Center in after-school hours; structured program includes tutoring, homework help, reading time, and enrichment activities, and physical activities.  | \$2,000         |
| Kids in Crisis                              | Support for Teen Talk counselor at New Canaan High School to help kids deal with academic issues, personal problems, social pressures, and family conflict.         | \$2,500         |
| Mercy Learning Center                       | Purchase educational supplies for early childhood educational program for children of low income women enrolled in free literacy program                            | \$1,000         |
| Norwalk Economic Opportunity Now (NEON)     | Support Head Start program to promote school readiness of low-income children aged 3-5, by purchasing curriculum software modules for teachers in summer program.   | \$1,000         |
| Open Door Shelter                           | Operating support for Hopeworks Job Training program, working to provides homeless individuals with skills necessary to obtain and retain full time employment.     | \$1,000         |
| Person to Person                            | Support SAT preparation program at Norwalk location, to improve access to higher education for students from low-income families.                                   | \$1,200         |
| Shelter for the Homeless                    | Support Workforce Development program to provide skills training, interview and job search training and assistance, interpersonal skills and follow-up support.     | \$1,000         |
| Silvermine Guild Arts Center                | Develop and provide 5 day after-school art classes for group of at-risk middle school students served by Family & Children's Agency.                                | \$2,000         |
| Summer Theatre of New Canaan                | Scholarship support for pre-college High School Apprenticeship Theatre Intensive program - educational opportunity for students to learn from professional artists. | \$2,250         |
| Voices of September 11th                    | Stipends for 3 NCHS students to work as interns during summer 2013 to learn first hand about 9/11 and the impact on individuals from that day.                      | \$2,250         |
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| 2014 Grants to Support the Elderly |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                           |                 |
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| ElderHouse                         | General operating support for Adult Day Care program, providing quality, affordable care services for older adults "aging in place" and respite                                                                                           | \$2,000         |
| Family & Children's Agency         | Subsidize grab bars and carpentry supplies used in their Home Repair and Renovation service to empower 25 older adults to age in the least restrictive environment with the most independence and dignity                                 | \$2,000         |
| Family Centers Inc                 | Friendly Connections program promotes and encourages lifelong learning, socialization and support to the senior adult community through an array of outreach services.                                                                    | \$2,000         |
| GetAbout                           | Help fund operating expenses related to fulfilling the mission of providing transportation for New Canaan seniors and those with special needs.                                                                                           | \$2,500         |
| Meals-on-Wheels                    | Partially cover costs of preparing and delivering meals to one low income elderly client in New Canaan for one year.                                                                                                                      | \$2,000         |
| New Canaan CARES                   | Support Elder Buddies Program, pairing high school students with senior citizens for socialization, events, outings and meals                                                                                                             | \$2,000         |
| Silvermine Guild of Artists        | Hands-on art project for seniors in two of Norwalk Housing Authority's senior affordable public housing communities. Professional teaching artist will travel to them and lead seniors in creation of large art work for community rooms. | \$2,000         |
| Summer Theatre of New Canaan       | Continue to enable lower-income seniors in New Canaan to purchase tickets to have a professional theater experience, through reduced or free admission.                                                                                   | \$300           |
| Visiting Nurse & Hospice           | Support volunteer programs (Patient Support, Hospice Patient Care, Eleventh Hour Volunteer) to help provide emotional support training and keep vital programs running.                                                                   | \$2,500         |
| Waveny LifeCare Network            | Expand Snoezelen Therapy environment to enhance the quality of life and help to minimize the "challenging" behaviors of residents/patients with Alzheimer's disease and memory loss.                                                      | \$1,200         |
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**2015 Grants to Support Educational Programming for Low-Income Children and their Families**

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| Childcare Learning Center     | Expand RULER initiative, teaching emotional intelligence for low-income preschool students          | \$2,000         |
| Domus                         | Provide two field trips for middle school students, to Museum of Natural History and to see "Selma" | \$1,000         |
| Family Centers                | Enhance physical education program for 63 three-and four-year old, low income children in preschool | \$500           |
| Horizons at NCCS              | Operating support for enrichment summer program serving over 260 low-income students                | \$1,500         |
| Inspirica                     | Support afterschool program providing academic support to homeless children                         | \$2,000         |
| Mercy Learning Center         | Purchase learning materials for preschool children receiving free early childhood education         | \$2,000         |
| Neighbors Link                | Fund summer reading program for children of immigrant families who are English Language Learners    | \$2,000         |
| New Beginnings Family Academy | Operating support for public Pre-K to 8th grade charter school in Bridgeport                        | \$2,000         |
| Open Door Shelter             | Support afterschool tutoring program for homeless children living at the shelter                    | \$1,000         |
| Stepping Stones Museum        | Tuition assistance for low-income families who enroll children in language-based preschool program  | \$1,000         |
| United Way of Western CT      | Fund 60 children in Stamford Imagination Library program for one year, providing new book monthly.  | \$2,000         |
|                               |                                                                                                     | <b>\$17,000</b> |
| <b>TOTAL GRANTS AWARDED</b>   |                                                                                                     | <b>\$99,425</b> |