

SEATTLE CENTER FUND



FESTAL WHIRLIGIG LEGION OF HONOR SEATTLE CENTER ACADEMY MOVIES AT THE MURAL WINTERFEST



2005 REPORT TO DONORS

Through your support of
Seattle Center Fund...

300 middle school students began the
arts adventure of a lifetime at
Seattle Center Academy.

1,200 low-income children, teens and
senior citizens received the joy of the
holidays through **Sharing Gift Box.**

2,500 people gathering on the Mural
Amphitheatre lawn to enjoy
Movies at the Mural.

10,000 teenagers signed up to
participate in **Teen Tix.**

200,000 people traveled the world at
Seattle Center with the many cultural
celebrations of **Festál.**

12 million visits turned into special
moments at **Seattle Center.**

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Personal Story: SHARING THE JOY

Every year, Seattle Center's
Sharing Gift Box fills the wishes
of low-income children, teens
and seniors, and this year,
Marjorie's was one of those.
Her thank you note (below)
tells how magical it was for her
to finally have his wish fulfilled.

*Thank you so much
for lovely sweater and
jeanned shirt. I
really needed them.
I will enjoy them
for a long time
Thank you again
Marjorie .o.o.*

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Personal Story: IMPACT FOR A LIFETIME

Chris attended Seattle Center Academy as a middle school student in 1994 and 1995. He graduated from Cornish College of the Arts, and this year, he filmed the Academy's new recruitment video through Roque Productions, the small film company he runs in Seattle. He returns to Seattle Center to act, appearing in productions of Seattle Shakespeare Company and Book-It Theatre.

To see the Seattle Center Academy yourself call us at 206-684-7345

2005 FINANCIALS

ASSETS	2005
Cash and cash equivalents	\$ 240,793
Investments	237,557
Accounts receivable	149,429
Restricted funds	1,349,566
Pledges receivable, net	2,756,298
Prepaid expenses and deposits	17,856
Property and equipment, net of accumulated depreciation and amortization	67,667
	<u>\$ 4,819,166</u>
LIABILITIES AND NET ASSETS	
Accounts payable	\$ 269,547
Accrued expenses	26,127
	<u>295,674</u>
Net assets:	
Unrestricted	709,066
Temporarily restricted	3,805,864
Permanently restricted	8,562
	<u>4,523,492</u>
	<u>\$ 4,819,166</u>

Unaudited numbers shown. Smith Bunday Berman Britton, P.S. is conducting an independent audit. Results will be available at www.seattlecenter.org.

SOMETHING OLD, SOMETHING NEW AT SEATTLE CENTER

Anne Morrow Lindbergh wrote, "Only in growth, reform and change, paradoxically enough, is true security to be found."

This thought sums up Seattle Center in 2005 and 2006. Change seems to be everywhere:

- Virginia Anderson has left for new adventures, opening up the Center for new leadership as it is poised for its next big round of change and growth.
- New projects and people are coming to Seattle Center including the VERA Project and the Pride Festival.

And, in the midst all these changes, many things remain the same. Millions of people are still coming every year to Seattle Center. Children are still transfixed by the Winterfest Holiday Train. The celebrations of Festál still make people smile with good food, good music and the feeling of community shared with all. Seattle Center Academy still launches hundreds of middle school students on a life-long arts adventure.

And, of course, Seattle Center still relies on your support. For, without your support, change is not possible. Without your gifts, your time and your energy, Seattle Center would rapidly become a relic of an old fair. You are the lifeblood that makes this place the heart of our community.

I want to thank you for your support in 2005. Please know that with your gift, you invested in a place and programs that give our community the culture and strength it needs.

As 2006 progresses with its interesting blending of the old and the new, please make sure that your involvement remains one thing that does not change.



Korynne Wright, Board President

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BEING PART OF 2006 AT SEATTLE CENTER

Seattle Center is a vibrant cultural center, the heart of our community.

Please stay connected this year with Seattle Center:

- Take a 30-minute golf-cart tour of the entire campus.
- Visit Seattle Center Academy in person this summer.
- Sample the food and music of Festál.
- Make your 2006 gift to Seattle Center Fund!

Contact us for details:

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