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Ann Bancroft[★]
FOUNDATION

2017
ANNUAL REPORT

The Ann Bancroft Foundation
empowers girls to imagine
something bigger and helps
them reach their full potential.

DEAR ABF SUPPORTERS,

We are pleased to be able to share with you our achievements and outcomes for 2017. It was especially exciting to celebrate our 20th anniversary, yet equally rewarding to realize a number of wonderful achievements and outcomes, all made possible by you. Your generous support helps us deliver on our mission to empower girls to imagine something bigger and help them reach their full potential – *thank you!*

Our 20th Anniversary was an opportunity to recognize and honor our DreamMakers – more than 50 girls, women, and organizations celebrated by the Ann Bancroft Foundation from 1997-2011. Renowned photographer Ann Marsden developed a stunning collection of portraits which we exhibited in partnership with IFP Minnesota in January. The exhibit reminded us that our DreamMakers serve as role models for our Dare to Dream and Let Me Play grant alumnae, exemplifying all that we hope for our girls in the years to come.

Two new programs grew over the course of the year to engage alumnae and peer organizations in partnership with the Ann Bancroft Foundation. In March and November, we convened our new Twin Cities Community Partners Collaborative, comprised of youth-focused organizations that want to be part of a like-minded community. As a collaborative with shared goals, these partners refer applicants and their mentors to us, and we refer our alumnae and mentors to them as development and leadership opportunities arise. Collectively, we are positioned to achieve great success and are excited to be working together.

Our newly launched Alumnae Relations program also took shape through the year, offering our past grant recipients opportunities to continue developing through programs and experiences. In 2017, alumnae participated in Empower Leadership Academies, attended a Minnesota Lynx game, raced a boat down the Mississippi River (winning an award in the process!), and participated in ABF Alumnae Night with the Minnesota RollerGirls. It's exciting to provide building blocks for our grant recipients to continue strengthening their confidence, self-esteem, and advocacy skills beyond the initial application and grant-funded experience!

Throughout the year, we also saw the successful continuation and expansion of our core programs and annual celebration. In April, more than 500 guests attended our 20th Anniversary Celebration at the Minneapolis Event Center. The event was our largest in recent history, exceeding all goals and making it possible for us to have our biggest granting year ever – \$170,000 to 355 girls!

The combination of awarding more in grants than budgeted and raising less at year end than projected did result in an overall deficit of approximately \$90,000 as shown in our financials. Yet our financial position remains strong; we are fortunate that ABF has reserves that cover this deficit and as a result ABF is not at great risk financially.

We look forward to 2018 and another amazing year as we continue to increase our granting, expand our alumnae and mentor programming, and extend our outreach across Minnesota. We hope you will continue to be part of our work as we empower girls to live their dreams and help them reach their full potential. Thank you for helping girls across Minnesota to imagine something bigger!



Ann Bancroft
Founder



Kris Petersen
Chair, 2017



Sara Fenlason
Executive Director

HERESA'S STORY

THERESA P. D2D '16

Theresa learned about the Ann Bancroft Foundation when Ann visited her elementary school. She was motivated to apply for a grant while deciding to participate in a field study program in high school, knowing that ABF was a place she could find support and encouragement to pursue her dream. Theresa received a Dare to Dream grant in 2016 for a two-week field study through her high school in the Galapagos Islands and Ecuador. Reflecting upon her experience, this is what she shared with us:

"This trip changed my life. I discovered that I can be independent and take care of myself. I can travel to foreign countries and speak Spanish to native speakers. This trip also taught me to be more aware of how special our planet is. Thousands of years ago the fragile process of evolution began to change the organisms on the Galapagos. Evolution is why our world is so diverse and beautiful, and I saw that if we (humans) are not careful, we are going to wreck things beyond repair. I think about this experience almost every day. Not only did I make new friends, but I also saw how perfect the world can work—without human interference."

Theresa is now a high school senior with plans to start college in Fall 2018.

"In part, thanks to this field study, I am planning to major in Environmental Engineering. After traveling to Ecuador, I realized how fragile our relationship with our environment is, and I saw the grave consequences that come when we ignore this balance. I knew that I wanted to do something with the rest of my life that will find practical solutions to how we can preserve the natural world yet still have growth and expansion as a human race. Environmental engineering was on my radar before going on this trip, but now I see that it is a way I can do something good in the world. I think about this field study every day of my life. It truly was a life-changing experience that never could have happened without the support of the Ann Bancroft Foundation."



"This trip changed my life."



OUR GRANT PROGRAMS

The Ann Bancroft Foundation awards grants twice each year through our two programs:

DARE TO DREAM (D2D) GRANTS

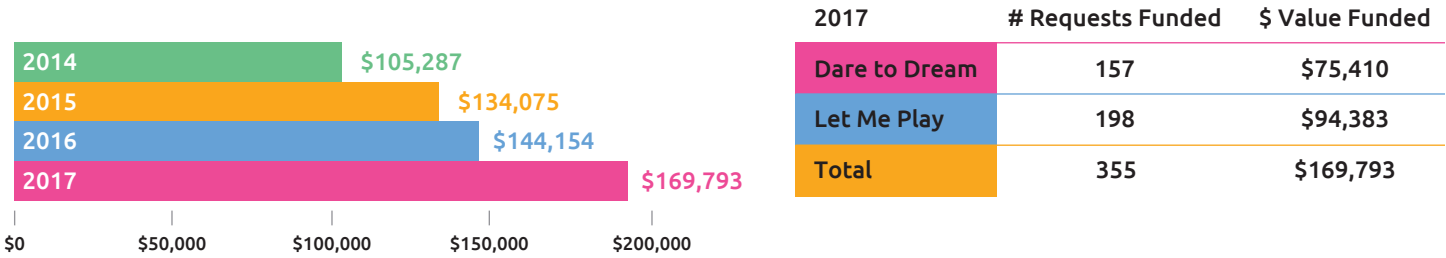
This grant funds art, cultural, leadership, educational, and outdoor/wilderness experiences for girls in grades four through 12. It allows girls to begin to explore the outside world and recognize their own abilities, values, and strengths in the process.

LET ME PLAY (LMP) GRANTS

This grant funds sport, athletic, and dance equipment or participation fees for girls in grades K through 12. It gives girls the opportunity to be part of a team, build strength and confidence, and push themselves farther—on and off the field.



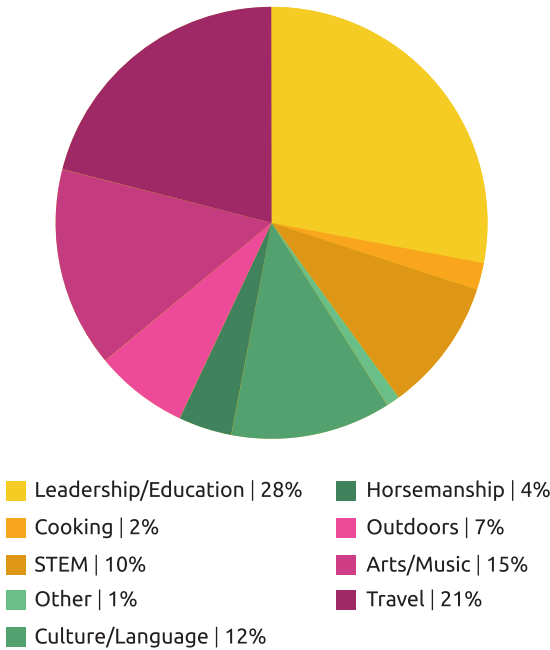
In 2017, we awarded 355 grants totaling \$169,793 – our biggest year ever! In fact, in celebration of our 20th Anniversary, we awarded 13% more than we had budgeted to meet the high need for support among girls across Minnesota.



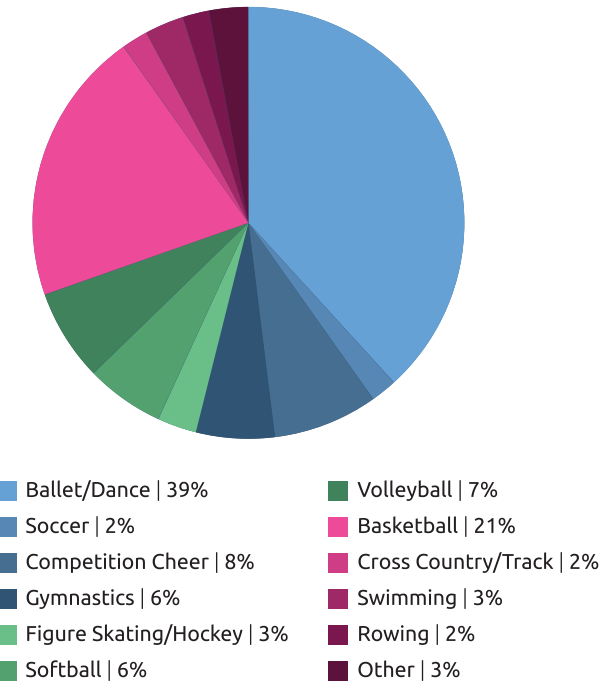
2017	# Requests Funded	\$ Value Funded
Dare to Dream	157	\$75,410
Let Me Play	198	\$94,383
Total	355	\$169,793

Our grants are as diverse as the dreams of our girls. We are proud to support such a wide range of activities.

2017 DARE TO DREAM FUNDED ACTIVITIES



2017 LET ME PLAY FUNDED ACTIVITIES

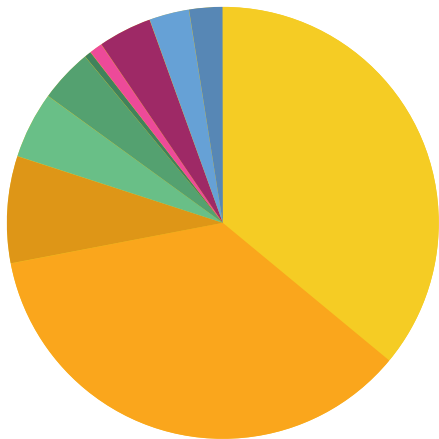


*"ABF gave me a chance
to accomplish my dream.
Thanks to this program
anything is possible."*



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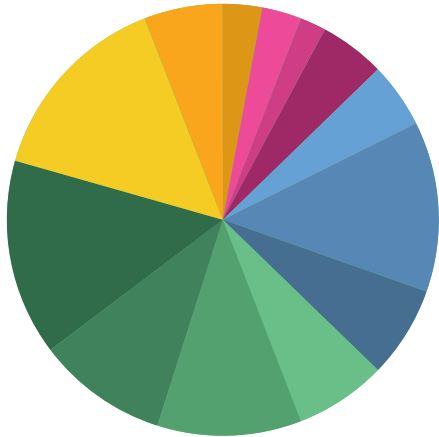
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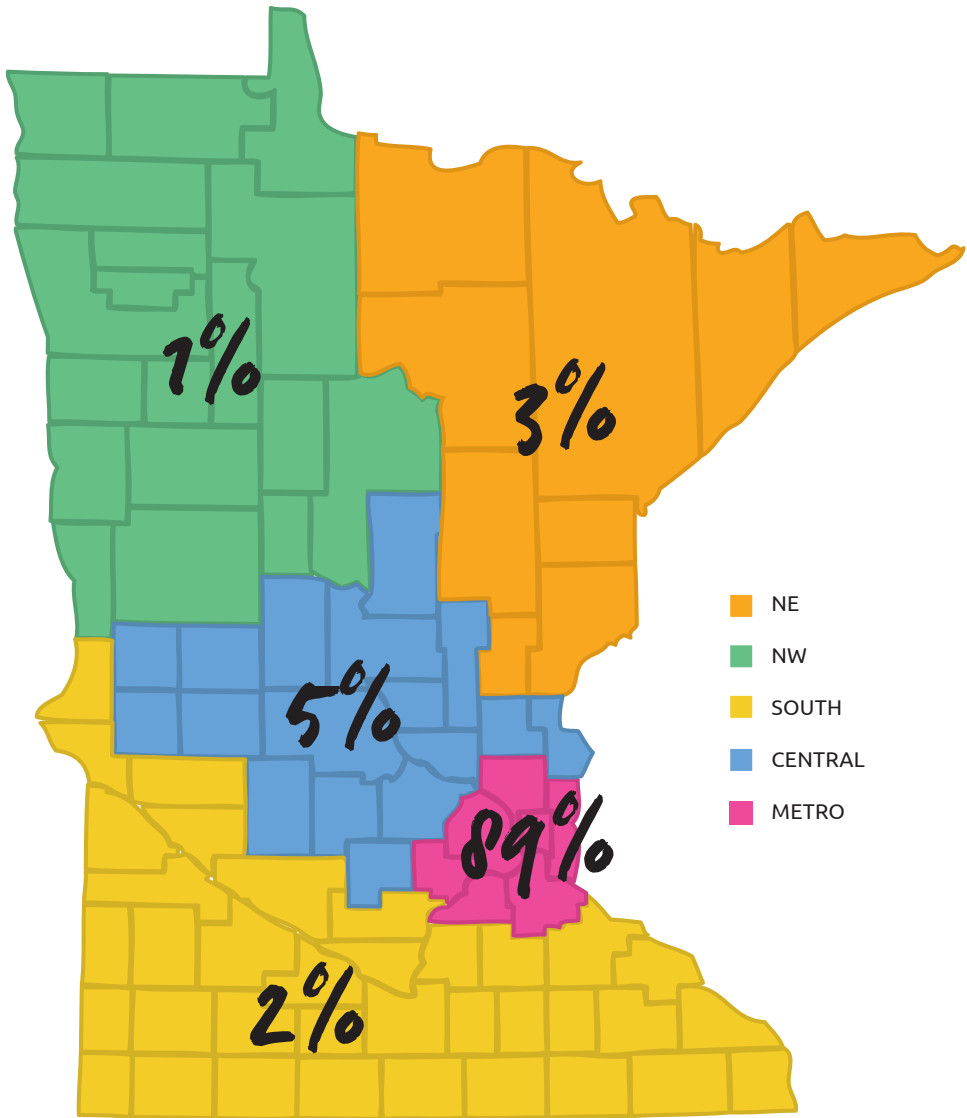
African American 36%	Pacific Islander .01%
Caucasian 36%	Somali 1%
Hispanic 8%	Asian American 4%
Hmong 5%	Other 3%
Native American 4%	Chose Not to Share 3%

Our grantees come from a wide diversity of ethnic backgrounds which are indicated in the application process. In 2017, more than 60% of our grantees self-identified as ethnically diverse.

2017 GRANTEE GRADE LEVELS



Kindergarten 3%	Grade 5 13%	Grade 10 15%
Grade 1 3%	Grade 6 7%	Grade 11 15%
Grade 2 2%	Grade 7 7%	Grade 12 6%
Grade 3 5%	Grade 8 11%	
Grade 4 5%	Grade 9 10%	



Girls from 186 schools across the state submitted applications with the largest numbers coming from 13 unique schools.

SCHOOLS WITH MOST GRANTEES FOR 2017

- St. Paul City Primary School · 17
- Fridley Senior High · 12
- Northwest Passage High School · 10
- Fridley Middle · 7
- Kennedy Senior High · 7
- Washington Tech Secondary Magnet · 7
- Pierz-Healy High School · 6
- Robbinsdale Middle · 6
- Emerson Spanish Immersion · 5
- Minnetonka Senior High · 5
- Patrick Henry High School · 5
- Roseville Area Senior High · 5
- Washburn Senior High · 5



A close-up photograph of a person's hands writing in a notebook on a dark wooden desk. A coffee cup and several books are also visible on the desk.

HEAR ME ACHIEVE



YOKO'S STORY

YOKO V. D2D'16

Yoko was awarded a Dare to Dream grant in the spring of 2016 to participate in a three-week summer writing program at Carleton College. While she went into the experience hoping to gain the writing skills she would need to be successful in college, she left with so much more. Yoko shared with us the journal she kept throughout the program, in which she reflected on her activities, feelings, and the things she learned. The following is an excerpt from her journal:

"I will always remember the people I met, the academic skills I need to improve on, and the conversations we had. It has been the absolute best three weeks of my life."

Yoko is now in her first year of studies at the University of Minnesota-Twin Cities and plans to graduate with a BA in Journalism and a double-minor in Hmong and Social Justice. She is actively involved in many student groups and organizations, including the Hmong Minnesota Student Association, the Asian-American Student Union, and a Freshman Research and Creative Scholars Program.

"The Ann Bancroft Foundation scholarship allowed me to learn about writing and critical thinking skills at the Carleton Summer Writing Program. This, in the long-term, has set me up to be a better college student. As I am in my first year, I am adjusting to the changes that include multiple papers per semester, complex readings, and more. I have had a smoother transition because I am able to refer back to my writing program experience along with other experiences."



"My self-confidence
~~sky-rocketed~~ because
I began trusting in
my own abilities."

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The Ann Bancroft Foundation engages volunteers in many ways to achieve our goals and deliver on our mission of supporting girls. In fact, without volunteers we could not do the work we do! In 2017, volunteers donated nearly 1,000 hours in activities that range from interviewing alumnae to event planning to committee leadership.

There are several volunteer opportunities throughout the year to choose from. If you are interested in volunteering with the Ann Bancroft Foundation, please visit our website to learn more, then complete the volunteer application. Our volunteer coordinator will contact you with more details.

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They are so inspiring!

WHY I CONTINUE TO SUPPORT ABF: In my years working with ABF, I continue to be amazed at the impact an ABF grant can have. A young girl earns a grant and with the support of her mentor has the opportunity to see her dream become a reality. I would love to see all Minnesota girls have this kind of opportunity!

WHAT I GET FROM MY EXPERIENCE WITH ABF: All young girls deserve the chance to dream, to develop their voice and to prepare for a future that holds everything they’ve hoped for and more. ABF helps make that happen, it’s a great organization that I am proud to be a part of.



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who wants to invest their time in you."*

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STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL POSITION (UNAUDITED)		
Cash	\$	252,740
Other Assets		98,830
Total Assets	\$	351,570
Unrestricted Net Assets	\$	351,570

STATEMENT OF ACTIVITIES (UNAUDITED)		
Revenue		
Institutional Grants	\$	129,000
Individual Contributions		100,000
Annual Event		271,410
Other Events		4,640
Gifts in Kind		26,350
Other Income		4,130
Total Revenue	\$	535,530
Expense		
Salaries & Benefits	\$	214,790
Grants & Direct Program Costs		189,700
Annual Event		93,030
Office & Occupancy		48,800
Marketing, Design & Printing		40,710
Other		37,610
Total Expenses	\$	624,650
Net Surplus	\$	(89,120)

DONOR PROFILE: MAGGIE PATEL

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ABF INVOLVEMENT: I have been on the ABF Granting Committee since 2015. Also, I had the pleasure of being a mentor a few years back.

HOW I BECAME INVOLVED WITH ABF: My good friend Vanessa introduced me to ABF years ago; her mom, Sharon Olson, is on the board of directors. I was lucky enough to be a part of the granting committee. It has been my great pleasure to read applications and see the tremendous impact that the foundation has had on so many amazing girls here in Minnesota.

WHY I CONTINUE TO SUPPORT ABF: The foundation allows girls to experience new opportunities while pushing them to dream big. That is something I will *always* support.



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