

Dear A4AC Supporters,

The journey that is 'Artists for a Cause' simply would not be the same without your support and interest in our success. There are now hundreds of student and professional artists who have grown and developed through A4AC programs. A few of them wanted to let you know how special their experience has been. We all thank you from the bottom of our hearts.

Sincerely, Terry Barber



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“Artists for a Cause has provided me with so many different opportunities in the past three years I have had the privilege of working with the organization. I have not only been able to see the real impact of music on both myself and others, but also I have seen truly how much I can change because of art. Thank you so much for contributing to such a worthy organization that is making a difference in so many lives every day”!

Ryan Cox, Saxophonist, Pianist, Drum major



The Dance for Food program has raised 25,000 lbs of food to date, involving 20 regional professional and student dance organizations through a series of contemporary dance performances where audience admission is just a bag of nonperishable food. This is how dancers can feed the hungry!





“A4AC has opened up many opportunities for me. It has allowed me to grow as an artist and contribute to the community as well. I am especially thankful for my private lesson scholarship”.

Alexandra Marra, Soprano (pictured here, performing for the elderly through the A4AC Therapeutic Arts Program).



“Being involved with Artists For A Cause has given me so much joy. Not only do I get to give back to my community in the way I love most—performing, I get to do it surrounded by other people who have the same passion for performing as I do, and who want to give back. I think it's a really great thing to

have Artists For A Cause in our area. I am so happy to be a part of it”.

Madison Bailey, Singing Actress (photographed performing pre-show entertainment at Dance for Food 2015) .



The Boys and Girls Club of Martin County, Florida awarded Artists for a Cause their “Community Partner of the Year” in response to the programs which we helped to create which make the arts accessible to at-risk youth, and seek to create an environment for healthy self-expression. The art photographed throughout are examples of student-created works facilitated by this partnership.



“Thank you for supporting the arts and all we do in our communities. A4AC has

taught me to go after all of my dreams and to continue to be an inspiration for others through my music. **Alexis Bentinganan, Singing Actress, age 9.** (participated in the A4AC Music Salon, and Performed pre-show entertainment for Dance for Food).



Emma Garner, Singing Actress Age 11

“I have truly appreciated the opportunity to perform with A4AC & Mr. Barber. I

feel that God has given me a talent and passion to perform. It is so special to me to be a part of A4AC and to make other people feel happy. Thank you”!

“As a young performer, Artists for a Cause gives me a chance to perform in different places, and learn more about giving back through performing. Thank you for helping me to continue to use my God given talents to help create a better a community for all of us. We truly appreciate all you do”.

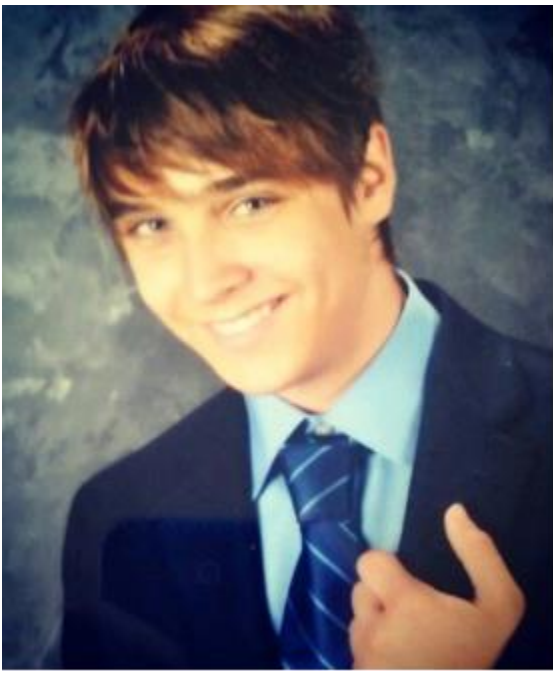


Sophia Liano, age 11



“My daughter, Andrea Colletti, was the recipient of a scholarship through Artists for a Cause approximately two years ago. Having that scholarship made a huge difference in our lives. As a single mom of three very active daughters, it was a life-saver to be able to provide Andrea with the private vocal lessons and some special musical theory training just prior to her auditioning to Berklee College of Music in Boston, MA. Andrea had made up her mind that Berklee was the only college she was going to attend and having the additional training to prepare her was a huge asset. We are very grateful to you and A4AC in the extra boost she had toward fulfilling her dreams, during a very difficult financial time in our lives! Andrea is now finishing her 2nd year at Berklee College of music, pursuing a degree in song writing and production and is in full force pursuing her passion. Thank you so much for sponsoring A4AC and my daughter Andrea”.

Sincerely, **Lisa Colletti**



“A4AC has provided me with so many great opportunities, and also allowed me to grow as a musician. I think A4AC is wonderful in that it truly allows artists to get involved in ways they would not be able to otherwise”. **Anthony Capizzi, A4AC Scholarship Student**

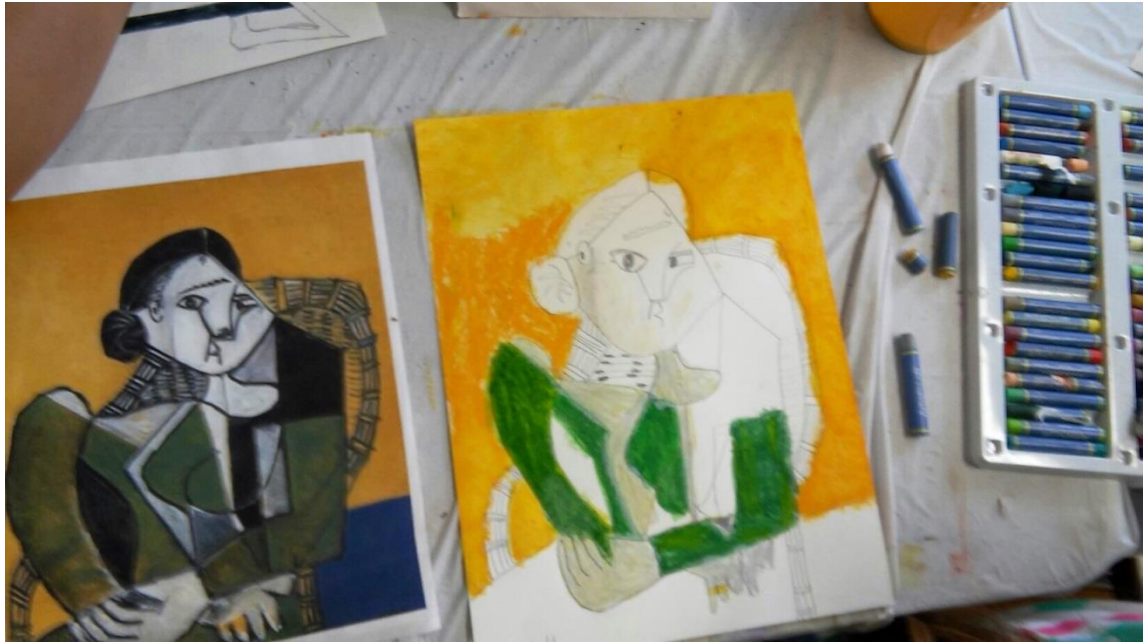
Artists for a Cause provides more arts education opportunity to at-risk youth than any other organization in the county. We believe that all children deserve access to visual and performing arts education which has been proven affective in brain development and values, especially in their demographic.



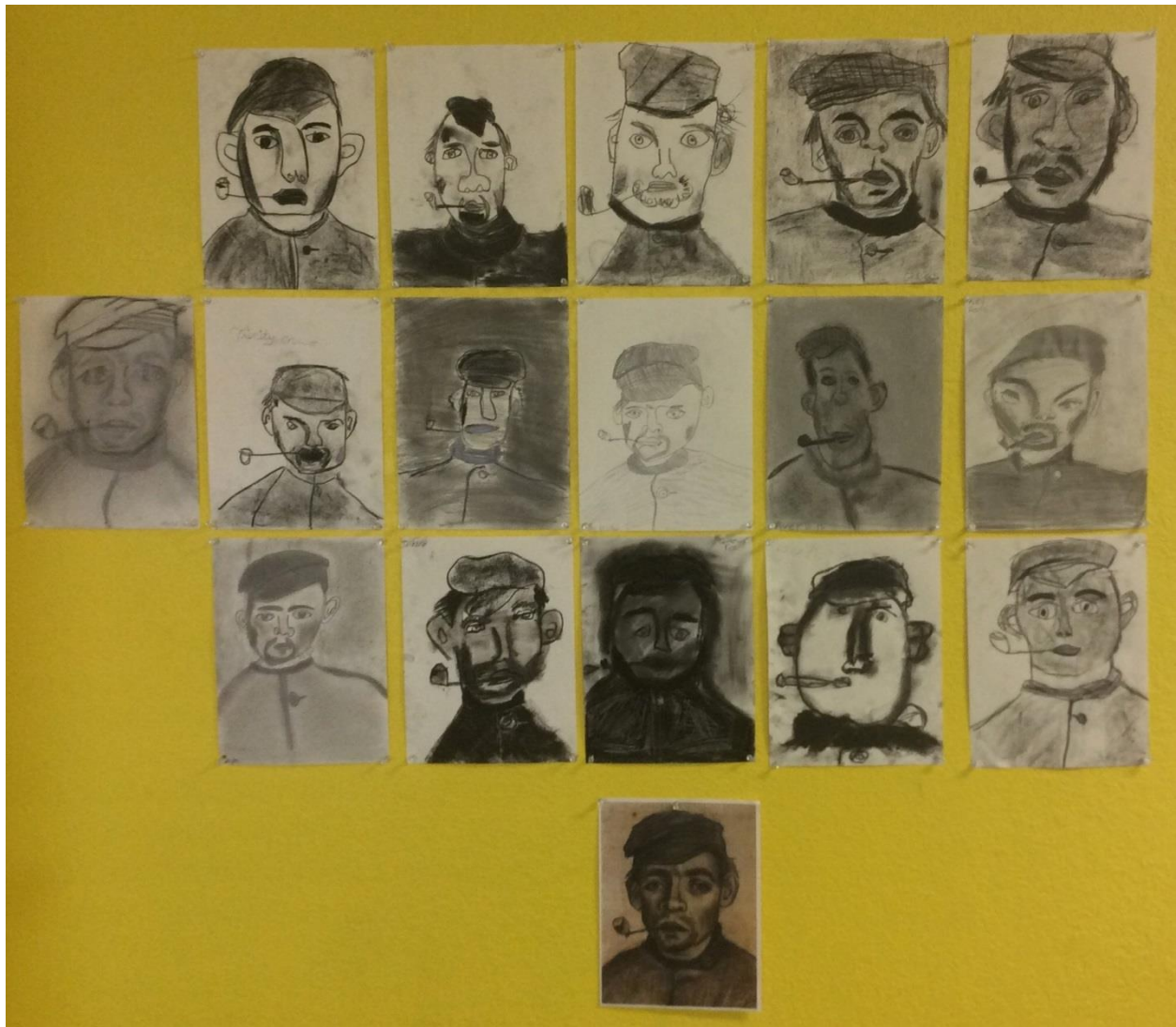


“I am so fortunate to be involved with Artists for a Cause which has given me so many opportunities to give back to my community. As Vice President of my school's chapter, I have enjoyed participating in Dance for Food, and performing in the salon series. I'm looking forward to continuing my involvement and increasing our chapter's membership”!

Becca Suskauer, Singing Actress, Dancer



“Being in A4AAC has meant being able to inspire change, and that is the greatest gift”. – **Mikaela Danchenko, singer and songwriter** helped produce the first student edition of Dance for Food.



“I wanted to say thank you for all of your support for A4AC. Artist For A Cause has changed my life by allowing me to live my dreams and share my talent. I am truly grateful”. Best, **Erich Schuett, Boy Soprano Age 12.**





“As public relations officer at Martin County High School, Artist for A Cause means unity between all arts. Working with fellow artists really helps expand our high school community. Thank you for your contribution”! - **Michael Stern, Martin County High School A4AC Club Officer**

“Being in Artists For A Cause has changed me for the better and has warmed my heart on many occasions. It is such a fantastic resource in our community to not only share our art but also benefit those in need” -**Victoria Bartolotta (MCHS A4AC Vice President)**





“I would like to sincerely thank you for your support Of A4AC. I am so thankful for the performance and training opportunities A4AC Has given me and many other talented young artist in our community. I feel so honored to be a member of A4AC. I am blessed to be able to say at age 13, with out a doubt I want to pursue a career in Musical Theater. Being involved with A4AC keeps me working to be my best. I hope some day to be a professional mentoring other young aspiring artists through Artist 4 a Cause”. **Eliza Levy, Singing Actress and Dancer, age 13**





Artists for a Cause Inc. (A4AC) is a not-for-profit organization that helps visual and performing artists to use their talents for community improvement, stimulating culture, while addressing the critical needs of communities. Some programs help artists and charities to get the most out of their collaboration, while most produce results directly, by feeding the poor, healing the sick, or solving other problems through unique artistic solutions. A4AC never asks artist professionals to donate their livelihood. No program is merely about art for arts' sake – Artists for a Cause is about the arts as a solution to ...

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