

# annual REPORT

of the MusicLink Foundation  
Fall 2014



The teachers and coordinators of the MusicLink Foundation are very excited about **our goal to reach 6000 students by the end of 2014 and raise \$6000 in 60 days** (Nov.–Dec. 2014) to show support for our mission to bring ongoing music lessons to children in need. A glance at the totals below and on our website homepage show just how close we are to celebrating our goal. It seems like just yesterday when we reached 5000 students in 2012, our 20th anniversary year. We couldn't make this type of progress without our hard-working coordinators and teachers and the support of our business partners and donors. We added 10 new state coordinators and 112 new teachers this past year. Our teachers donate in-kind instruction equivalent to **\$700,000 annually**, with an overall total of almost \$10.5 million donated to the program. They are the heart of MusicLink!

**GOAL**  
**6000**

sustain our **basic annual operations of \$80,000–\$100,000**. Legacy Partners pledge support through annual donations from \$5,000 (Bravo Tier) to \$10,000 or more (Encore Tier). In return, these partners are recognized with logos and signage at MusicLink events and will be featured in our publicity and communications. We welcome inquiries about the program and invite you to click on MusicLink Legacy Partners on our website homepage for details.

We encourage those who only receive this annual report in the mail to provide your email address so you can receive our bimonthly eLINK newsletter to keep updated on MusicLink events. Subscribe through the website—click on “Read our Newsletter” from the homepage to stay informed throughout the year. Many thanks again for your ongoing support!

### Louise P. Zanar Fund—A MusicLink Legacy Partner

The **Louise P. Zanar Fund** has provided ongoing funding to support the MusicLink Washington, DC Shining Stars program since 2009. We recognized them as a MusicLink

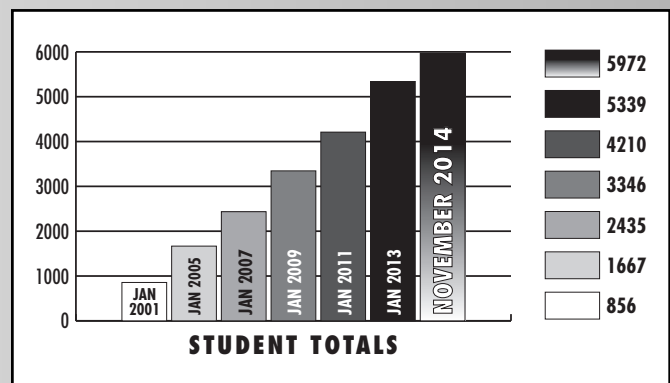
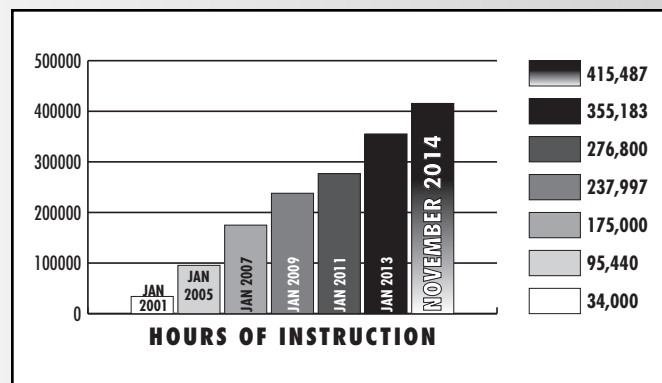
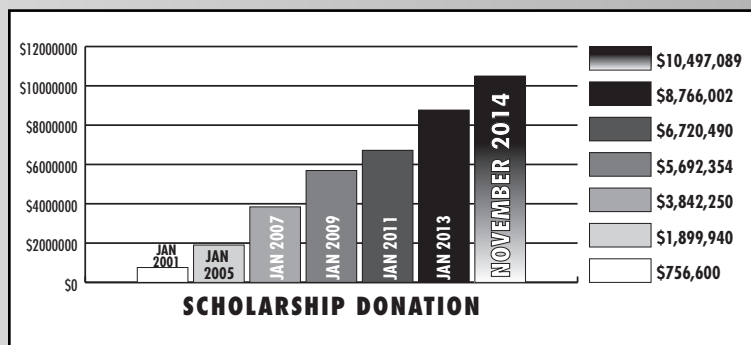
Legacy Partner at their annual recital and fundraiser, that featured our MusicLink kids in action! The fund has donated at the Encore Tier of \$10,000 for 2013–14 as well as the 2014–15 year. Our thanks to Elizabeth McGrail, Molly Daniels, and Rochelle Granat, the fund board members, and applause to Chris Sharp who is the teacher of our Shining Stars in DC. Elizabeth states, “The Louise P. Zanar Fund greatly values our partnership with MusicLink and its mission to bring the power of creative expression to children. We have been particularly impressed and grateful for the positive impact Chris and MusicLink have had on the students.”



Rochelle Granat, Elizabeth McGrail, Joanne Haroutounian, Molly Daniels  
(Photo by Ilene Cutler)

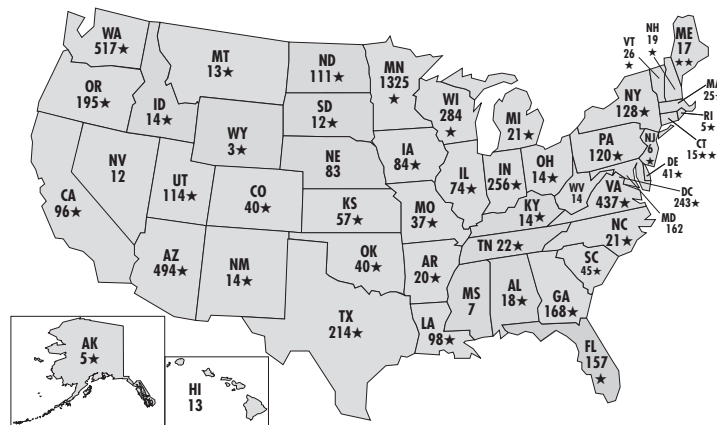
## MUSICLINK FOUNDATION STATUS REPORT

As of November 10, 2014, the MusicLink Foundation has reached **5,972** students served; over **415,400** hours of instruction, equivalent to **\$10.4 million** of in-kind scholarship donation.



# MusicLink

## States & Provinces



The maps show the total of students served by MusicLink over the past 20 years. Stars (★) indicate states and provinces adding new students during the 13–14 fiscal year. Double stars (★★) indicate additions of over 20% more students this year.

## OUR CURRENT MusicLink TEACHERS

OVERALL TEACHER TOTAL 2,216 (113 added this year); *Hall of Fame Teachers* (5 years or more); *Teachers of Distinction* (10 years or more)

- Alaska:** Freya Wardlaw-Bailey
- Arizona:** Homero Ceron, Solveig Englund, Anna Gendler, B Malchus, Elena Miroztchyska, Ed Reid, J Stevens, M Tatman, Alexandar Tentser
- Arkansas:** Linda Dale Kennedy, Pam Werner
- California:** Amy Bhatnagar, Terri Casia, Mehry Cohenzad, Sue Field, Michael Hemsworth, Jami Piper, Julia Takeoka, Noelle Tinturin
- Colorado:** Lisa Bush, Gabrielle Dugan, Sandra Lundberg, Laura Rogers, Tina Vernon, Michele Wooten
- Connecticut:** Sharon Girard, Vera Kushner, Kathleen Theisen
- Delaware:** Karen Schenck
- District of Columbia:** Nancy Breth, Tyler Sinclair
- Florida:** Emily Breeze, Tanya Brooks, Susan Chesser, Tarra Guerra
- Georgia:** Robin Blankenship, Deborah Brady, Lacie Craig, Rochelle Garman, Nora Martin, Renee Seawell, Janet Will, Martha Yasuda
- Hawaii:** Dennise Ontiveros-Fraga
- Idaho:** Loretta Germer, Bryant Hansen, Colleen Hunter
- Illinois:** Phyllis Calderon, Lisa Chodorowski, Marcia Mally, Deborah Meier, Patti Nyjen, Judy Zylstra
- Indiana:** Lynelle Vogel
- Iowa:** Nancy Cree, Linda Judiesch, Holly Kukkonen, Lucinda M. Lear, Pamela Weest-Carrasco
- Kansas:** Leonetta Chaves-Bibby
- Kentucky:** Adrienne McKinney
- Louisiana:** Robin Ebeyer
- Maine:** Rose Erwin, Diana Foster
- Maryland:** Carole Gauthier, David W. Holmes, Christopher Sharp, Mary Tamplin
- Massachusetts:** Julie Boris, Lani Bortfeld, Michelle Gordon
- Michigan:** Carita Farmer Hughes, Margarete Thomsen, Annetta Vander Lugt
- Minnesota:** Monica K. Allen, Diane Alvshere, Ruth Borash, Jean Bostrom, Melody Bruffey, Ann Cader, Jaette Carpenter, Sonja Clive-Orban, Gretchen Davis, Peggy Denler, Sara Diedrich, Brad Draper, Katie Ekberg, Anna Jeanne Flesner, Kacie Foster, Ellie Fregni, Dominica Gerszewski, Bethany Gonella, Ann-Marie Graffunder, Maria Grant, Mitchell Grussing, Mary Gustafson, Mary Hale, Heidi Hansen, David Holmes, Deanna Holst, Lydia Holsten, Elsa Hosch, Megan Jensen, Betsy Keno, Barbara Kinnick, John Krebsbach, Sue Krebsbach, Mary LaChapelle, Sylvia Lange, Caroline Langfeld, Gael Larsen, Kris Latham, Mary Jo Leier, Corissa Leonard, Kirsten Leverson, Beverly Madsen, Randall Martens, Margaret Maxwell, Lucia P. May, Rochelle Mazze, La Rae Mills, Karen Rae Mard, Lois Muelich, Susan Munson, Betsy Murray, Sally Nelsen, Cindy Nelson-Quesada, Kimberley Nichols, Norbert Nielubowski, Beverly Olson, Kris Olson, Wendy Pace, Rennae Petersen, Melinda Peterson, Helen Marie Plourde, Michelle Porter, Ben Prohaska, Mary Kaye Rabaey, Liz Raihala, Carolyn Reisinger, Rachel Revenaugh, Rebekah Richards, Karen Saunders, Linda Seime, Linda Jean Smith, Rebecca Smith, Carolyn Spargo, Laura Springer, Karen Stiles, Gene Swanson, Faith Swenson, Mary Swenson, Cheri Sykes, Marcia Vahl, Kathleen Van Doeren, Nancy Van Kampen, Tiffany Van Vooren, Arlene Veith, Anastasia Verdoljak, Gretchen Wagner, Arlene Wallin, Sue Wege, Mary Ann Weis, Beth Winterfeldt, Jennifer Wohlgenuth
- Mississippi:** Jeanne Evans
- Missouri:** Joyce Berg, Sarah Cool, Korin Wahl

- Montana:** Carla Bell, Sherlon Orth
- Nebraska:** Doris Kirke, Lori Supernaw
- Nevada:** Marvin Mings, Margie Nuttall
- New Hampshire:** Ursula Emond, Carleen Graff, Cassandra Reed, Paul Ruscak
- New Jersey:** Anna Kroik
- New Mexico:** Mary-Lynn Brown, Janet King, Audie Rhodes
- New York:** Helena AlMBERG, Patricia Cestaro, Peter Cody, Carla D'Amore, Mary Gray, Robert Renino, Anastasia Solberg, Benjamin Steinhardt, Daniel Stevens, Karen Sturzenbecker, Jean Vilkelis, Nettie West
- North Carolina:** Amy Gardner, Debra Heath, Chad Leatherman
- North Dakota:** James Adams, Robin Allebach, Anthony Eddleston, Victoria Hammel, Marjorie Johnson, Priscilla Keogh, Jason Laczkoski, Christopher Redfeare, Jan Rudolph, Sandy Weisenberger
- Ohio:** Karen Campo, Krysti Schey, Susan Selden
- Oklahoma:** Larry Baldwin, Katharine Schelp
- Ontario:** Mary Cumming, Valerie Laengert
- Oregon:** Shirley Brendlinger, Dan Brugh, Gail Buchanan, Virginia Hawley Buhn, Linda Butler, Kate Campbell, Pauline Eidemiller, Dorothy Fahlman, Chan Ham, Janet Harmon, Laura Jáuregui Wynnter, Mary Kogen, Jeannie Olson, Barbara Parker, Huang Phan, Oliver Poida, Ruth Richard, Kathryn Rigall, Ruth Sadilek, Debra Soastrin, Patti Widener, Katherine Wilkinson, Crystal Zimmerman
- Pennsylvania:** Gilya Hodos, William Marshall, Kathy Miller, Laura Williamson
- Quebec:** Diane Briscoe
- Rhode Island:** Gerri Lajoie, Andy Rizzotti
- South Carolina:** Alison Branham, Deborah Ruth
- South Dakota:** Brenda Ruedebusch
- Tennessee:** Susan Hailey, Shirley Ann O'Connor, Ann Almond Pope
- Texas:** Shelly Davis, Sherry Frush
- Utah:** Tami Baird, Penni Eads, Kimberly Gumucio, Cheryl Norman, Janice Kapp Perry, Cheryl Rytting, Kathi Sittner, Denise Williams
- Vermont:** Linda Galvan, Kelley Lyon, Peter Miller, Susan Nicholas, Margaret Stephens, Judy Vanesse
- Virginia:** Denise Adkins, Claire Allen, Sherrie Andrews, Marion Baker, Sheila Barrows, Anne Beamer, Valerie Gathright, Greg Genter, Barbara Gholz, Jaime Guitz, John Healey, Joan Jurenas, Cora Lee Khambatta, Melody Kucks, Ann Lee, Marjorie Lee, Doortje LeGrand, Laura Marchisotto Bogart, Kathy McGillicuddy, Marlene C. Miles, Christina Morton, Peggy Newhall, Drew Owen, Amy Park, Melody Payne, Diane Perett, Pauline Pompei, Gabriella Ryan, Kimberly Ryan, Rachel Sarrano-Winograd, Ronit Seter, Sarah Strom, Cara Transtrom, Darin Varbanov, Phyllis Vickers, Lisa Wold, LeeAnna Xanthos-McQueen
- Washington:** Mary Foster Grant, Linda Butler, Rebecca Cook, Nikkol Daniels, Heather Forbes, Joyce Hawkins, Barbara Heckenlively, Rebecca Hedman, Susan Huie, Emily James, Marilyn Karr, Jennifer Morgan, Marina Munter, Brandy Pancoast, Ellen Pickell, Maria Sier, Julia Swienty, Phyllis Twedt, Ilene Tyler, Verna Wagner, Marcia Wilke, Ashley Wright
- Wisconsin:** Asenath Dobratz, Evan Engelstad, Cody Goetz, Joanna Johnson, Annela Kochanowski, Louise Mann, Sally Ritchie, Gina Skule, Jonathan Thornton
- Wyoming:** Arlene Osborn

## MusicLink Accomplishments 2013–2014

### SENIOR AWARDS: Christine Schwartz, a student of



Beth Winterfeldt and Christine Schwartz

Beth Winterfeldt (MN) received the MusicLink Senior Award of Excellence, which recognizes a graduating senior who has shown outstanding musical progress and commitment through years of MusicLink lessons. The award of \$1000 is provided by the Arline and Russell Bridge Endowment Fund. Christine has studied through MusicLink for the past six years, receiving high distinction in the MMTA's Comprehensive Piano Exams as well as other state contests. Christine explains: "I have grown, matured, and been challenged through the discipline of music; I have also been comforted, encouraged, and inspired by its melodies. Being given the privilege of studying music by my parents and teachers has been incredible." She will be attending Bethel University in St. Paul, MN, majoring in art and continuing her piano studies.

**Marissa Teetson**, a voice and piano student of Jeanne Evans (MS), was recognized with a MusicLink Foundation Achievement Honors Award of \$500 from the Arline and Russell Bridge Endowment Fund for her progress in MusicLink lessons. Marissa seeks a career in nursing while continuing her musical training.



Rachel Ginter and Linda Jean Smith

The Ruth Stenson MusicLink award of \$1000 was awarded to **Rachel Ginter**, a graduating MusicLink piano student of Linda Jean Smith (MN). This award recognizes a senior from Minnesota who has shown outstanding achievement in musical training through MusicLink. Rachel has an appreciation for a wide range of music and enjoys writing music in her free time. "I know for a fact that I am blessed with this talent to play piano and I thank God for that. If it wasn't for MusicLink, I would be a different person. I will never be able to thank you enough." Rachel will attend MSU Moorhead, majoring in piano performance with a jazz and studio emphasis.

### GIVING TUESDAY & BELMONT BENEFIT CONCERT

The MusicLink Foundation took part in Giving Tuesday on December 3, 2013, raising \$8,500 spurred on by a matching grant of \$5,000 by MusicLink Legacy Partners, Bill and Brigid Brakefield.



Lia Chiffamariam, Jonathan Chiffamariam, Ashley Ondoua, Oscar Paz-Suaznabar

The Federal Masonic Lodge No. 1 of Washington, DC, organized a benefit recital for MusicLink that featured the IBIS Chamber Music Ensemble as well as four outstanding MusicLink pianists. Students had the rare treat of performing in the ballroom of the Belmont Mansion on a golden Steinway grand piano. The concert, combined with Masonic Lodge and MESH Charities of the Eastern Star, raised \$7,000 for the MusicLink Foundation.

### PLAYATHONS, BENEFITS, AND MORE RAISE FUNDS FOR MUSICLINK



Playathon Performers

As word spreads about how much fun it is to have a performance event for MusicLink, we can hear music in malls, recital halls, and music stores across the country! All of these different events helped raise \$19,733 for the MusicLink Foundation. These funds will go towards networking for ongoing lessons, instrument repair and moving costs, camp scholarships, and reimbursements for event fees and music paid by MusicLink teachers.

**IL:** Illinois MusicLink Coordinator, Deborah Meier organized a Clavinova Festival at Piano Distributors in Fairview Heights that raised a total of \$550. Our thanks to manager Steven Trawford who plans to make this an annual event at his store.

**LA:** Kathryn Tobey held a Benefit Recital in her studio in Dec. 2013 and raised \$410 for the MusicLink Foundation.

**MN:** Once again our wonderful Minnesota MusicLink teachers and coordinators led the nation with a two-day Playathon at the Mall of America, their sixth, raising over \$11,000—a new high. Over 300 students performed, adding 19 new teachers to the event. The event was organized by Sue Wege, MusicLink's Director of Coordinators and Midwest Coordinator, along with a loyal team of volunteer teachers.

The event featured an emcee appearance by Nicholas David, third place winner of the third season of *The Voice* as well as Kathryn Knuttila Karg, Miss Minnesota 2010. Thanks go out to Schmitt Music for providing a beautiful Boston grand piano and to MMTA for helping with publicity and online registration.

**MO:** Our thanks to the Missouri Western University and Nathaneal May who raised \$51 in a performance fundraiser.

**NH/VT:** Judy Vanesse, VT/NH Coordinator and former Northeast Regional Coordinator, organized a playathon at the Powerhouse Mall in West Lebanon, NH, which featured performances by 29 students and raised \$345 for MusicLink.

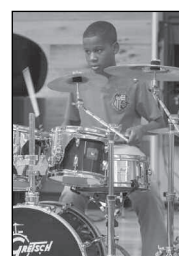
**NY:** The Faust Harrison Piano store hosted a MusicLink fund-raiser in December that raised \$670 for the MusicLink Foundation. Thanks to Patricia Cestaro, our NY MusicLink Coordinator for helping to organize this event.

**VA:** The state had a number of musical fund-raisers this past year. The Celebration Singers of Woodbridge collected \$707.14 in contributions through their concert season. The Fairfax-Loudon Music Fellowship continued its annual holiday playathon at the Dulles Town Center, raising a whopping \$2,500—a great event organized by Sandy Baker. The amount was doubled through the Giving Tuesday event. In May 2014 the annual MusicLink playathon at the Tysons Corner Center was extended to two days and featured 125 student performances representing 19 different studios. The students played on a Steinway B grand piano supplied by the Steinway Piano Gallery, as well as performances on violin, cello, viola, bassoon, flute, and voice. The two-day playathon raised \$3,500 for MusicLink.

The executive director and assistant director tried a bit of a different twist for fund-raising. They enjoyed an evening of great rock and roll at the State Theater in Falls Church, VA, where several guitars were auctioned off that were signed by the bands that were performing. The auction raised \$960—thanks to Leila Habib and

Brennan Giuffre of the State Theater. Are you a rock and roll fan? Maybe a guitar raffle will be fun to do to help MusicLink in your community.

### GRANT SUPPORT:



Corey McGraw

The City of Fairfax Commission in the Arts continued their support with \$1250 for our northern Virginia program. The Louise P. Zonar Foundation expanded their support to \$10,000 and became a MusicLink Legacy Partner. The Weissberg Foundation provided \$2,000 to the foundation as a memorial donation for Judith Sarah Morris.

### CAMP SCHOLARSHIPS:

The MusicLink Foundation provides the opportunity for students to attend the music camp of their choice. During the summer of 2014, the foundation provided scholarships for 19 students to attend camps across the country with scholarships totaling \$4,490. Students attended local summer programs in AR, DC, IA, IL, MN, NH, NY, VT, and WA. Many students have enjoyed numerous summers of musical growth through these scholarship opportunities.

### TEACHER REIMBURSEMENT & GRASS ROOTS GRANTS

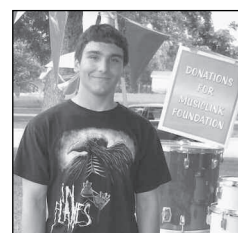
The MusicLink Foundation provides reimbursement to teachers for student music and event fees. This year, 28 teachers from 16 different states asked for help, totaling \$1,990 in reimbursement grants.

Our Grass Roots Grant programs assist new MusicLink programs or projects. This year the foundation provided \$1,608 to the following organizations to promote state and local programs: MN: Minnesota Music Teachers Association; Maple Lake MN—Linda Jean Smith; WA: Walla Walla MTA; IL: Chicago—A Touch of Class.

### BUSINESS PARTNERS:

MusicLink relies heavily on business support at the community level. We welcome the following new business partners to our roster: AZ: Right Brain Music; FL: Creative Keys Inc.; IL: Piano Distributors; Evanston Band & Orchestra; MN: Scott's Piano Shop; Multi-state: Piano Pronto.

### INSTRUMENTS/IN-KIND DONATIONS



Andrew Julkowski

The MusicLink Foundation received over \$21,340 of in-kind donations of instruments and music this year, not including over \$25,000 in discounted and free music distributed directly to MusicLink teachers through our Business Partner discount program. Their names are italicized in our donor list in the Annual Report.

Several events brought in multiple instruments and music to the foundation—A Community Clean Sweep event in PA brought instruments and music worth over \$4000 and an eagle scout project organized by Andrew Julkowski of Richfield, MN, that contributed \$1,915 worth of instruments and \$665 in funds to MusicLink.

# MusicLink Foundation Donor Support 2013-2014

We thank all of our donors—foundations, corporate sponsors, and individuals who share our passion to bring music to children in need. We have included donations from September 2013 to September 2014. *Italicized* individuals and business partners provided in-kind donations of instruments and music. MusicLink Legacy Partners: E = Encore Tier (\$10,000+), B = Bravo Tier (\$5,000–\$9,999) annual donations.

## MusicLink Legacy Partners

Bill & Brigid Brakefield - E  
Louise P. Zanar Fund - E  
MusicLink Board of Directors - B

## Benefactor: \$10,000 or more

Louise P. Zanar Grant  
Bill & Brigid Brakefield  
MN MusicLink Playathon  
Arlene & Russell Bridge Endowment

## Gold: \$5,000 – \$9,999

Federal Masonic Lodge 1 & MESH Charities  
William & Joanne Haroutounian  
MusicLink Board of Directors  
Phillip MacDonald

## Silver: \$1,000 – \$4,999

Celebration Singers  
City of Fairfax Foundation  
Fairfax-Loudan Music Fellowship  
*Hungry for Music*  
Kanter Kallman Foundation  
Courtney Morris/Weissberg Foundation in memory of Judith Morris  
*Joanne Rhines*  
Martha Smith  
Joel Trugman  
VA MusicLink Playathon

## Bronze: \$250 – \$999

Joyce Berg  
*Jason Blackowiak*  
*Jeanne Bradshaw*  
*Wanda Chang*  
*Gretchen Davis*  
*Deirdre Donohue*  
*Alice Eelman*  
Ginny Gutierrez  
*Sherry Hieber*  
IL Clavinova Festival  
Michael Jones  
*Jody Katz*  
Charles Kinney  
*Annie Lai*  
Brenda Martin  
Beverly McGahey

## Bronze: \$250 – \$999

*Gary Moanan*  
Music for Young Children  
NH/VT Playathon  
NY MusicLink Benefit Recital  
*Elaine Pederson*  
*Tom & KeLee Rauch*  
*John Schwartz*  
Lillian Smith  
Tobey Benefit Recital  
*Nelson Tardilla*  
*Clarence Torrance*  
*Rebecca Warner*  
Sue Wege  
*Marge Winokur*

## Sustainer: \$100 – \$249

Jeanne Agee  
Hope Armstrong Erb  
Heidi Bundy  
John Cassisi  
Stella Chiang  
Edwin & Rosalie Demoney  
*Foxes Music Co.*  
Daniel J. Gallagher  
Peter & Marilyn Haase in memory of William Steck  
*Debra Hintermeyer*  
*Julie Holland*  
Jana Hollis (Julia Haynes Memorial Fund)  
Kevin Knight  
Arnie & Zena Lerman  
Jan & Elizabeth Lodal  
Mary Mack  
Katherine McCabe  
*Kerri Oddenino*  
Sandra Phaup  
Michael Pitts  
Laura & William Riski  
George Salvatierra  
Michael Salvatierra dedicated to Carmen Merrill  
*Janet Stewart*  
Grace Terpstra dedicated to Grace Millard  
Kathleen Theisen  
Steve Trawford  
Ednamae Trevey  
Sarah Yoon

## Friend: \$30 – \$99

Helena Almgberg  
Francine A'Ness  
Terry Bell  
Rachel Bittner  
Jia-Lian Chang  
Elizabeth Cooper  
Martin Cuellar  
Melissa Dress  
William Dunne  
Charles Famulare  
Gateway Arch East MTA in memory of Norbert Schultz  
Angela Gentile  
Raeanna Gislason  
Juliette Glasow  
Jane Goldstein  
Rajesh Gopal  
Bonnie Gray  
Dione Haag  
Michael Hagburg  
Hung Haven  
Carol Hay in memory of Alan & Elinor Smith  
Elena Kalinovskaya  
Mary Katinas dedicated to Donna Collins  
Peter Kim  
Erika Kim-Eun  
Diana Kliber  
Mary Kay Lanz  
Joo Young Lee  
Sarah Lockwood  
Anna Lucca  
Peter Mainetti  
Kaiyan Mao  
Melissa Marrison  
J. Kenneth Marshall  
Brenda Martin  
Mary McCrossan  
Scott McKissock  
Lisa Means  
Deborah Meier  
Deborah Mitchell  
Ophelia Mnatzakanian  
Shirley Moraes  
Robert Moran  
MWU Fundraiser  
Elisabeth Nava

## Friend: \$30 – \$99

Theresa Nguyen  
Sharon Obias  
Diane Perett in memory of Kenneth Cook  
Tram Phan  
Lawrence Reichard dedicated to Eric Heywood  
Diane Remishofsky  
Elizabeth Rodriguez  
Robert Schlauch  
Judith Schoepflin  
Eric Silla  
Elain Silverman  
Veronica Stein in honor of Judith Siegel  
Margaret Stephens  
Hanita Tan  
Katherine Tobey  
Lois Trumbull  
Lyanne Trumbull  
Regina Villasmil  
Anne Wang  
Emily Wang  
*Mary Ann Weis*  
Wayne & Karen Woolhiser  
Fan Yang  
Vincent Yemoh  
George Yeung  
You Pem Yi  
*Mary Young*  
Anna Zachary  
Le Zhang



## MusicLink Foundation Staff and Coordinators

Joanne Haroutounian, PhD, Executive Director  
Andrea Shore, Assistant Director  
Sue Wege, Director of Coordinators

### MusicLink Foundation Governing Board

Chairman: Joanne Haroutounian VA; Secretary: Martha Smith VA; Treasurer: William Haroutounian VA; Virginia Gutierrez FL; Grace Jean VA; Charles Kinney VA; Sue Wege MN

### Regional Coordinators

Northwest: vacant; Midwest: Sue Wege; Southwest/South Central: Tisida Jones; Northeast: vacant; Mid-Atlantic: vacant; Southeast: Nora Martin; Canada: Glory St. Germain

### State Coordinators

CT: Sharon Girard; DE: Karen Schenck; GA: Nora Martin; IL: Deborah Meier; LA: Katherine Tobey; MA: Michelle Gordon; MD: Mary Tamplin; ME: Diana Foster; MI: Carita Farmer Hughes; MN: Sue Wege; MO: Joyce Berg; NC: Chad Leatherman; NH: Judy Vanesse; NJ: Tammie Holloway & Anna Kroik; NY: Patricia Cestaro; OH: Karen Campo; OR: Eileen Knox; PA: Judy Vanesse; RI: Judy Vanesse; UT: Jenean Christensen; VA: Martha Smith; VT: Judy Vanesse; WA: Karen Monroe; WY: Arlene Osborn

### Province Coordinators

MB: Glory St. Germain; NB: Tanya Bostick; NS: Kimberly Charron; QC: Diane Briscoe

### Advisory Board

André Watts, concert pianist; Verdine White, bass guitarist Earth Wind & Fire; Doug Schmitt, Schmitt Music; Carolyn Callahan, PhD, UVA National Research Center for the Gifted