

LEAF Annual Report 2010



LEAF International Highlights:

- Partnerships with Ivuka Arts and Playing For Change in Rwanda to begin development of the Intore Cultural Center.
- Continued support of the Boquete community to ensure a successful summer music camp in Panama.
- Increased student participation in Guatemala, Tanzania, and Mexico. Students have improved and expanded to perform regularly in their villages and greater communities.
- A new traditional dance program in India pioneered by an LI Ambassador in partnership with Wilmington Yoga.



"The arts can help students become tenacious, team-oriented problem-solvers who are confident and able to think creatively. These qualities can be especially important in improving learning among students from economically disadvantaged circumstances." –Arne Duncan U.S. Secretary of Education



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\$24, 263+ Grants Received

Asheville Arts Council	\$3,000
National Endowment for the Arts	\$15,000
Southern Arts Federation	\$2,763
Weed & Seed Grant	\$3,500

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LEAF in Schools & Streets Highlight

"[Leaf creates a] home away from home...I know it from their laughter and smiles as [the children] listened to music, saw flame throwers, got their faces painted, went canoeing, and played many kinds of musical instruments. When I told the children it was time to go home, one child said, 'Why? We are home'" –Barbara Norton, Project MARCH Coordinator, Children First /Communities in Schools



Thanks LEAF Members for helping make programs in after school settings happen!

Children First Project MARCH program arrives at LEAF!

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