



ANNUAL REPORT

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Investing More. Impacting More.

Thanks to the generosity of our members and supporters, The Fine Arts Center Partners provided more than \$310,000 in direct support to the Fine Arts Center this year—a 27% increase in program support over last year.

Letter from FAC Partners Board Chair and Executive Director

As we reflect on another year at the Fine Arts Center, we are filled with gratitude for the students, families, faculty, board members, alumni, donors, and community partners who make our mission possible. Your support continues to provide life-changing opportunities for young artists to learn, create, and thrive.

This year marked an exciting milestone as we completed my first full year as Executive Director and completed a comprehensive five-year strategic plan. Made possible through the generous support of the Community Foundation of Greenville, this roadmap will guide our work as we strengthen programs and expand opportunities for students.

The Partners for the Fine Arts Center provided more than \$310,000 in direct support this year—a 27% increase in program support over last year. These funds provide scholarships, guest artists, equipment and instruments, travel assistance, and other essential resources to enrich the student experience and remove financial barriers.

We also celebrated another successful *Elevate* fundraiser, raising more than \$57,000 in sponsorships. The evening featured an inspiring performance by Broadway's Phillip Boykin (an FAC Alum!) alongside Fine Arts Center students. We are especially grateful to our sponsors and supporters for making this event possible.

As we look ahead, we are energized by the momentum we've built and excited for what comes next. We are also delighted to welcome our newest board members— Joshua Powell (ex-officio), Karen Sobocinski, Ryan Hamilton, and Brad Smith. Their leadership and commitment will help strengthen the Fine Arts Center as we continue to grow and expand our impact.

Thank you for believing in the Fine Arts Center, together, we are shaping a vibrant future for arts education in our community.

With gratitude,



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Executive Director



Craig Walker
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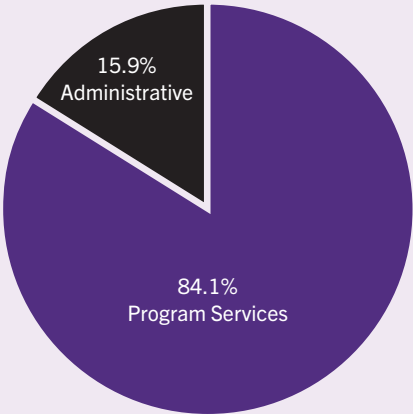
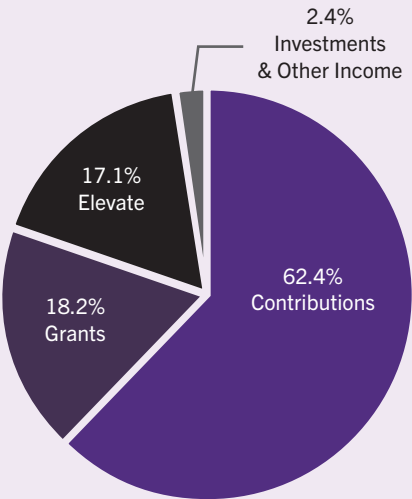
Michele Wascavage

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Revenue Total:
\$398,897

Contributions
\$248,771
Elevate (Sponsorships & Ticket Sales)
\$68,181
Grants
\$72,500
Investment & Other Income
\$9,445



Expenses Total:
\$409,050

Administrative
\$65,015
Program Services
\$344,035



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Elizabeth at the Brevard Classical
Voice Intensive



“ I just wanted to thank the FAC partners and everyone who works with FAC and to make these scholarships possible. I’m having such a good time at Brevard’s Classical Voice Intensive. I am so grateful for the opportunity to learn about music and vocal performance. The intensive has taught me so much about foreign language diction and it has furthered my journey in discovering and applying technique. I’m so happy to be able to do what I’m passionate about even over the summer with the help of people like you. Thank you so much! ”

- FAC Student Elizabeth, Summer Intensive Scholarship



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