2013 Grant Awards Cycle 1

Arts in Education

American Players Theatre, \$3,500 for *Student Matinees & Workshops*. Drawing from over 35 Dane County schools, APT will perform student matinees of the highest quality for over 3,000 elementary, middle and high school students in the fall of 2013.

Verona Area School District, \$3,325 for *Moving Together - Toward a Brighter Future Stoner Prairie Elementary School Mural Project.* Stoner Prairie is celebrating the school's rapidly growing diversity through the creation of a mural in the school entryway showcasing the many cultures represented in this learning community.

Madison Symphony Orchestra Inc., \$3,500 for *Up Close & Musical 2013-2014*. This nationallyrecognized education program brings the Hunt Quartet to Kindergarten-3rd grade classrooms to present exciting, interactive lessons that get students `hunting' for the musical concepts of expression, melody, rhythm and form in classical music's most popular repertoire.

Dance

Li Chiao-Ping Dance, \$1,740 for *2013 Summer Dance Camp and Intensive*. This program includes works choreographed by Li Chiao-Ping and current and former members of LCPD, and features community performers of all ages and abilities, and an informal showing and final concert celebrating Li Chiao-Ping Dance's mission of `dancing through life'.

Dance Wisconsin, \$1,600 for *New Works 2013*. New Works 2013, Dance for Life, celebrates art in motion, featuring diverse innovative dance pieces crafted by local choreographers to be performed by a local dance company, Dance Wisconsin, on October 12, 2013 at the Mitby Theater.

Madison Ballet, \$3,500 for *Movement In Your World*. During the 2013-2014 school year, the Madison Ballet will present Movement in Your World workshops in 40 Head Start classrooms. This successful, well-established creative movement program fills a void in local arts programming through structured dance activities for children facing economic disadvantages.

Kanopy Dance Theatre Inc., \$2,800 for the presentation of *Vision, Faith & Desire: dancemakers inspired by Martha Graham* featuring performances and choreography by former Martha Graham Company Dancers Donlin Foreman, Martin Lofsnes, Sandra Kaufmann, Deb Goodman, Lisa Thurrell (Kanopy's Co-Artistic Dir), Chicago's Winifred Haun Dancers, and Kanopy Dance Company.

Local History

Westmorland Neighborhood Association, \$2,850 for *Voices of Westmorland Part 1: Empowering Local Community Oral Historians.* In Phase 1 of a two-part program, this program will increase the community's capacity to capture its recent history by conducting training in oral history technique, accompanied by practical experience and feedback.

Multidisciplinary Arts/Culture

Wisconsin Union Theater, \$1,313 for *Zoe Keating, cello, with special guest Kate Corby and Dancers*. Avant cello player Zoe Keating will appear at Music Hall on May 4, 2013, joined by Kate Corby Dancers for a unique collaboration between musician/composer and choreographer/dancers. **Disability Pride Madison, \$2,579** for *Disability Pride Madison First Annual Festival July 27, 2013*. Disability Pride is a celebration of the lives of all people with disabilities. Through art and performance, they will share life stories, breakdown and end internalized shame and stereotypes, and build a stronger more inclusive community.

Overture Center Foundation, \$2,800 for *Tiempo Libre*. One of the hottest young Cuban bands, Tiempo Libre, will be in residency at Overture Center for the Arts October 3-4, 2013, and will include one performance open to the public and two OnStage performances will take place in Overture's Capitol Theater.

African Association of Madison, Inc., \$2,000 for *AFRICA FEST 2013*. Held at Warner Park on Saturday, August 17, AFRICA FEST 2013 will showcase African textiles and culture through displays, songs, crafts, stories, foods, history, and heritage to help build bridges of diversity in Dane County.

Madison Children's Museum, \$800 for Working with LEGO Bricks: Full STEAM Ahead!

Mazomanie Regional Heritage Foundation, \$2,475 for *Gandy Dancer Festival – 2013*. The 7th annual Gandy Dancer Festival is a celebration of Wisconsin's small-town heritage, offering a day-long music festival, chidren's activities, games and rides all free to the public.

Omega School Inc., \$2,000 for *I didn't know there were Latinos in Wisconsin: Three decades of Hispanic Writing*, an anthology featuring Latino writers. Poems, essays and short stories capture the diverse experiences of Latinos in Wisconsin, whether longing for home, forging a new cultural identity, or to trying to comprehend winter, cheese & beer.

Music

Felix-Riss Duo, \$800 for Cello/Piano accompaniment to a silent movie

Wisconsin Youth Symphony Orchestras, \$3,000 for *Eugenie Mayer Bolz Family Spring Concerts,* serving as the culminating performances of the WYSO season, in which their diverse group of young musicians gets to display the instrumental skills and confidence that they have acquired over nine months of rehearsal.

Bach Dancing & Dynamite Society, \$3,325 for *Deuces Are Wild: BDDS's 22nd Chamber Music Festival.* Combining musicians from around the country, a varied repertoire, and delightful surprises to create serious fun -`Deuces Are Wild' describes the shuffling, dealing, and card-counting that go into putting together this summer program.

Token Creek Festival, Inc., \$2,450, for the *2013 Token Creek Chamber Music Festival*. With improvisation as this year's motto, the festival will feature eclectic programming in an intimate salon-like setting of a refurbished barn, will explore the unfamiliar, familiar, the spontaneous, and the dramatic.

Madison Early Music Festival, \$2,250, for the Madison Early Music Festival 2013 - Parthenia: A Consort of Viols

in a program titled `Lust Hab' Ich Ghabt Zuer Musica: A Passion for Music from Senfl to Bach', including works by Isaac, Senfl, Scheidt, Schein, Schwartzkopf, and Bach, joined by guests William Hudson, tenor, and Christa Patton, harp.

Friends of the Monona Senior Center, Inc., \$576, for Summer Concerts in Winnequah Park

Madison Opera, Inc., \$2,800, for *Opera In The Park 2013*, the 12th anniversary of a Dane County summer tradition featuring the Madison Opera Chorus, the Madison Symphony Orchestra, and spectacular guest soloists. This free community event showcases the best of opera and Broadway underneath the stars in Madison's beautiful Garner Park.

Jazz at Five Inc., **\$2,800**, for continued support for *Jazz at Five*, a free outdoor concert series offering performances each week from national and regional acts along with the best local jazz musicians Madison has to offer.

Madison Blues Society, \$2,190, for the *11th Annual Blues Picnic* to be held in June at Warner Park, including music, food, beverages, souvenirs and raffles, featuring `Blues Kids' and professional groups performing in celebration of an art both universal in appeal and uniquely American in origin.

Madison Music Collective, \$2,800, for the 2013 Isthmus Jazz Festival Headline Concert and Community Outreach.

Madison Music Collective, in partnership with the Wisconsin Union Theater, will present Carmen Lundy as the headline performer.

North/Eastside Senior Coalition, \$1,125, for *2013 Summer Concert Series at Warner Park* offering live music for the whole family Monday evenings June 10, 17, 24 and July 8, 15, 22, 6-7:30pm, with a local band playing either jazz, country, swing, big band, rock, bluegrass or Mexican music each week.

Capitol City Band Association, \$1,700, for *Support 2 Outreach Concerts* where the band will give tribute to our troops (then and now) on July 4 at Rennebohm Park, and play a patriotic concert in the style of the U.S. Marine Band including the Colorguard and Military Flag Presentors from VFW Post 7591 in cooperation with the Madison Veterans Council.

Madison Bach Musicians, Inc., \$2,320, for the *Baroque Holiday Concert*. This vocal ensemble and period instrument chamber orchestra will perform a concert on Dec. 14 in Madison's First Congregational Church featuring Baroque masterworks appropriate to winter and the holiday season.

City of Madison, \$2,100, for *Tunes at Monona Terrace* offering opportunities for the public to enjoy the spirit of Dane County in a world class accessible venue at no charge. This series celebrates the heyday of dance and musical shows, drawing thousands of dance enthusiasts of all ages.

Theater

Madison Shakespeare Company, \$3,000, for *Shakespeare in the Park: Antony and Cleopatra*. Local volunteer actors, designers and technicians will bring to life this thrilling historical drama set in the Ancient Mediterrenean. \$10 tickets and a convenient location at Breese Stevens Field will make this show accessible to a wide audience.

Music Theatre of Madison, \$2,016, for *Bloody Bloody Andrew Jackson*. MTM will present the Wisconsin premiere of the rock musical Bloody Bloody Andrew Jackson, which holds a contemporary lens to the story of America's most outrageous leader and the founder of the Democratic party.

Playwrights Ink, \$700, for RETRO/INTRO: Playwrights Ink 21st-Anniversary Showcase

Children's Theater of Madison, \$2,800, for *Aladdin*. CTM will present Disney's Aladdin-Dual Language Edition in May 2013. A unique adaption of this family-oriented musical employs a combination of both Spanish and English languages, completely understandable by both bilingual and single language speakers.

Oregon Straw Hat Players, \$1,465, for production of the Musical *Oliver*! August 3 through 10 at the Oregon Performing Arts Center, www.osphonline.org.

Mercury Players, Inc., \$650, for *The Arsonists*, a play written by Caleb Stone, and directed by Sadie Yi, a fictional story exploring the ethical and relationship struggles of two couples as their rural Wisconsin community grapples with unwelcome media attention.

Theatre in All the Wrong Places, \$650, for *Costuming for Lady Windermere's Fan.* **Madison Savoyards Ltd., \$2,500**, for *Iolanthe* - The 51st annual summer production. Written at the peak of Gilbert & Sullivan's creative powers, Iolanthe combines Gilbert's humor at its sharpest and Sullivan's music at its most beautiful. Iolanthe pokes fun at Victorian politics that contemporary audiences will appreciate.

Forward Theater, \$2,975, for *Sons of the Prophet*. Forward Theater Company will present the Wisconsin premiere of Sons of the Prophet by award-winning playwright Stephen Karam. The play will be presented at Overture Center for three weeks in November of 2013.

ROAR Enterprises, Inc., \$2,100, for *ROARrrr: Children's Musical Play & KIDS DAY OF UNITY*. ROAR Enterprises and Edgewood College are hosting a KIDS DAY OF UNITY featuring the children's play: ROARrrr. This collaboration involves outreach to urban and rural schools to discuss the play's themes of diversity, tolerance, and unity; culminating in free performances.

Visual Arts

Street Pulse - Refuge Films, \$2,975, for *Dostoyevsky Behind Bars* a short documentary telling the story of Wisconsin graduate students who teach literature classes to inmates at Oakhill Correctional Institution.

Wisconsin Academy of Sciences, Arts & Letters, \$1,870, for Jill Olm, Beth Racette, and Leslie Vansen exhibition

Systems for Abstraction showing the artwork of three Wisconsin artists who use abstraction as a way to organize and present their views of the world.

Chazen Museum of Art, \$2,800, for *Romare Bearden: A Black Odyssey*. The Chazen will be one of only Seven U.S. Museums hosting this unique exhibition from the Smithsonian Institue Traveling Exhibition Sevices, featuring a collection of 50 paintings, drawings and collages by one of the most original arists of the 20th Century.

Rachel Bruya, \$1,160, for *The Little Gallery Project*. Seeking to expose unsuspecting pedestrians to contemporary art, each little gallery will serve as a stage by bringing a gallery to the people instead of urging people to gather at a gallery. The Little Galleries project will exhibit local, professional level artists on an approximately monthly rotation.

Madison Museum of Contemporary Art, \$2,625, for *I Dream Too Much: Paintings by Leslie Smith III* MMoca is proud to present the first solo museum exhibition of work by Leslie Smith III, a Madison-based painter.

Capital Grants

Mount Horeb Landmarks Foundation, Inc., \$2,000, for restoration of Historic District #1 Schoolhouse

Capitol City Band Association, \$993, for upgrades, replacement and purchase electronic equipment

Madison Marimba Quartet, \$674, for purchase of a portable amplifier and 4 wireless microphones

2013 Grant Awards Cycle 2

Arts in Education

Children's Theatre of Madison, \$2,800 for *Young Playwrights Program*. A program designed to give voice to teenagers through the medium of playwriting with mentoring from teaching artists, culminating in a public performance of staged readings of selected plays, directed and performed by experienced artists.

Emily Keown, \$280 for *Fabric of Our Lives* bringing together middle school girls to create a narrative quilt. A contemporary quilting bee of middle school girls, they will step away from the digital world and work face to face with each other and with their hands.

Access Community Health Centers, \$3,000 for A Closer Look: A Collaboration with Midvale-Lincoln Elementary School. Access and Midvale-Lincoln Elementary will partner to provide students with a unique arts experience in which students will work with Rafael Lopez, creating a mural, and with Erika Koivunen creating outdoor sculpture.

Opera for the Young, Inc., \$3,500 for *Countywide school tour of The Barber of Seville by Gioachino Rossini.* This new production is complemented with teaching materials including tutorial CDs, a teachers guide about opera, and activities for integration of opera into academic subjects.

VSA Wisconsin, \$2,160 for *Artist residencies in Madison*. Led by VSA teaching artists, nearly 50 elementary students and 36 adults with disabilities will benefit.

American Players Theatre, \$3,500 for *Potency of Poetry (PoP)* a school residency program utilizing the unique performance skills of APT's teaching artists to infuse students with enthusiasm and enhanced appreciation of words, language and storytelling.

Dance

Madison Contemporary Dance Vision (MCVD), \$2,435 for *Living Art*. With choreography inspired by Georgia O'Keeffe, Degas, Salvador Dali and Paul Gaugan, 16 MCVD artists will perform 16 new works throughout Dane County.

Kate Corby & Dancers, \$1,251 for *Digging: Meditation, Creativity and Physical Practice*. Employing meditation as a tool for cultivating creative research, this project will culminate in an evening length dance theatre septet. Outreach activities will accompany the performances, including discussion and lecture-demonstrations about meditation.

Dance Wisconsin, \$2,800 for 2013 Nutcracker Fantasy. This family-friendly ballet, a spin-off of the traditional Nutcracker, will be performed by local dancers, and will include a live orchestra, singers and guest artists.

Madison Ballet, \$2,160 for *Spring 2014 Repertory Balanchine Ballet* offering unparalleled opportunities for artisitc development, while providing productions that engage new and experienced dance audiences with Balanchine's characteristically athletic and dynamic choreography.

Kanopy Dance Theatre Inc., \$2,625 for the presentation of *Puppetmaster: Heavy Metal Dance* an evening length dance/story set to acoustic cello playing heavy metal, described as "intentionally cliché - a bit Dr. Whoesque - entertaining".

Local History

Wisconsin Veterans Museum Foundation for *Talking Spirits XV: Forest Hill Cemetery Tour* a living historical event that commemorates Dane County's rich Civil War history.

Multidisciplinary Arts/Culture

Madison Public Library Foundation, \$2,800, for *A New Chapter for the Wisconsin Book Festival hosted by Madison Public Library* presenting 50+ free programs presenting literature, spoken word, art and performance with both local literary artists and nationally acclaimed authors.

Overture Center Foundation, \$2,800 for *Duck Soup Cinema* presenting Vaudeville acts, a feature silent film accompanied by an organist on the magnificent Grant Barton Organ, celebrity appearances, gags and door prices all add up to excellent family-friendly entertainment.

Madison Children's Museum, \$2,400 for *SPARK!* a program working to welcome and serve seniors with Alzheimer's and other forms of memory loss. SPARK! creates positive energy and validating experiences through artmaking, conversation, and intergenerational activity.

YMCA of Madison, \$700 for *Race to Equity: A Multicultural, Multidisciplinary Youth Arts Reception* a free, public event on Oct. 1, 2013, including music, theater, art, as well as oral history and storytelling with the goal of engaging young people of diverse backgrounds in a variety of projects that illustrate the diverse lived experiences of people in Dane County.

<u>Music</u>

Madison Symphony Orchestra, Inc., \$3,150 for *2013 Fall Youth Concerts* offering elementary and middle school students across Dane County the opportunity to experience live classical music in Overture Hall.

Grace Presents, \$2,440 for *Grace Presents Concert Series* offering monthly Saturday afternon concerts, free and open to the public, including instrumental and vocal chamber music, organ, opera, klezmer, blues, bluerass, folk and jazz.

Wisconsin Youth Symphony Orchestras, \$3,000 for *Evelyn Steenbock Fall Concerts*, serving as the first performances of the WYSO season, in which their diverse group of young musicians can display their talents and reap the rewards of hard work.

John Duggleby, \$1,688 for *Affordable Musical Programs for Seniors/Disabled People* providing enjoyable theme-related musical entertainment in fully accessible environments for senior/disabled adults who might be physically or financially challenged.

Middleton Community Orchestra., \$2,796, for *Rising Stars from Wisconsin* presenting two concerts featuring many loved and classic works with guest artists, both recent graduates of Lawrence College, each appearing as soloists.

Wisconsin Union Theatre, \$3,150, for the *Madison World Music Festival 2013* connecting the citizens of Dane County with musicians from around the globe through free public performances at Memorial Union and the Willy Street Fair.

Con vivo!...music with life, \$1,750, for *con vivo! presents 'Bakers Dozen'* presenting a live chamber music performance of music by Wagner and Mozart, conducted by Madison Symphony Music Director John DeMain, at the First Congregational Church in Madison.

Madison Opera, Inc., \$3,150, for *The Student Matinee Arts Education Program*, introducing students throughout Dane County to classical performing arts through fully staged opera performances, featuring Puccini's 'Tosca' in Overture Hall and Donisetti's 'Daughter of the Regiment' at the Capital Theatre.

Dimensions in Sound & The Studio Orchestra, Inc., \$1,755, for *Senior Living Establishment Concerts,* presenting classical works of the Big Band era and symphonic orchestral music to those no longer able to seek out live music due to advanced age or disabilities.

Madison Youth Choirs, \$2,800, for *Becoming an Expert Noticer: Art and our World* during which the singers and audience learn to become expert noticers of the world around them using music, visual arts, and movement as a special lens.

Madison Music Collective, \$3,150, for *the Jazz Colors of Autumn: Madison Music Collective's Fall 2013* Series presenting Latin trombonist Papo Vazquez for the Fall Isthmus Jazz Series, and Jazz on Sunday programming featuring vocalist Jackie Allen, Hammond B-3 organist Tony Monaco, and trumpeter Marquis Hill.

Madison Bach Musicians, Inc., \$2,540, for the *Baroque Chamber Music with Guest Violinist Marilyn McDonald,* presenting two concerts featuring selections by Bach, Teleman, and other baroque masters.

Madison Choral Project, \$2,450 for *A Light in the Darkness* a choral music concert celebrating the return of light amidst the December darkness, found at the intersection of many faiths and traditions.

City of Madison, \$3,150, for *Concerts on the Rooftop at Monona Terrace* offering opportunities for the public to enjoy the spirit of Dane County in a world class accessible venue at no charge.

Fresco Opera Theatre, \$2,311 for *Paranormal Playhouse* an original ballad opera with a ghost story providing a unique experience intended to transform the public's definition of opera, and sure to broaden and diversify the opera audience.

PEBOGA \$3,150 for 2013 Fall Gospel Fest a one-day inspirational music event that serves as a platform for both contemporary and traditional gospel and features national recording artists who sharing the stage with local artists.

Music Con Brio, Inc. \$2,550 for *the Second Annual Community Concert Series* presenting two community concerts in Madison, working in partnership with local professional artists ad exploring different types of ethnic music, providing motivating performing opportunities for students, community outreach, and collaborations across art organizations.

Festival Choir of Madison, \$2,592 for *Cantus in Harmonia: In Honor of St. Cecilia* a 40-year celebration concert performing works written in honor of the patron Saint of music, Cecilia, including music by Benjamin Britten, Henry Purcell, Anton Bruckner, and Franz Liszt.

<u>Theater</u>

Forward Theater, \$3,500, for presenting *Red*, the Wisconsin premiere of this award-winning playwright John Logan, a production complemented with pre-show talks and post-show talkbacks after every performance.

Visual Arts

Capital Grants

Madison Youth Choirs, \$1,605, for rehearsal equipment.

Rhapsody Arts, \$2,000, for 'Pennies for Pianos' fund, this grant going toward the second of four pianos to be purchased for use in private and group music instruction.

Madison Opera Inc., \$1,900, for purchase of Madison Opera Center rehearsal hall furnishings.

2013 Grant Awards Cycle 3

Arts in Education

Madison Music Makers, Inc., \$3,130 for *Fall and Spring 2013-2014 Gala Concerts.* This free, open-to-the-public showcase musical event will provide performance opportunities for all its students while entertaining its audience with a variety of music reflecting the heritages of the student members.

Dance

Dance Wisconsin, \$2,040 for *La Fille Mal Gardee Ballet*. The Unguarded Daughter, was the first ballet choreographed to include realistic characters, plots, and settings. Humor, romance, beauty, and exciting dance make this event enjoyable for patrons of all ages.

Madison Ballet, \$3,500 for *Behind the Curtains: 2014 School Performance of the Nutcracker* combining a full-length professional ballet performance with a pre-performance Study Guide, "Behind the Curtains"

provides students with a one-of-a-kind opportunity for a deeper understanding of dance and the art of ballet.

Kanopy Dance Theatre Inc., \$2,450 for the presentation of *Fresh.Local.Organic* an evening of dance by local choreographers. Celebrate dance-local. Artists include Kiro Kopulos, Maureen Janson, Tiana Ching Maslanka, Carlos Ramirez, Brienna Tipler, Kanopy Artistic directors Lisa Thurrell and Robert Cleary.

Local History

Robert Kahn, \$1,750 for *A Capitol Idea*. In honor of the 100th birthday of "Wisconsin," the statue which sits atop the Wisconsin State Capitol, "A Capitol Idea" is a presentation of storytelling performances at fourteen assisted living facilities focusing on unique stories related to the State Capitol.

Multidisciplinary Arts/Culture

Opera for the Young, Inc., \$1,875, for *Family Opera Day featuring 'The Barber of Seville'* at Overture Center for the Arts on May 31, 2014. Two free performances of "The Barber of Seville" will be complemented with workshops in theater, music, and design with assistance from the Madison Youth Choirs and Madison Children's Museum.

Overture Center Foundation, \$2,800 for *Overture's 2014 International Festival* weaving tapestries of performances, crafts and foods with sounds, smells and flavors as vibrant as the costumes adorning the performers. We give voice to languages and cultures from around the world, and all the performers call Dane County home.

Simpson Street Free Press, \$2,800 for *Where in Dane County is the Simpson Free Press* bringing local history, music, and the arts alive for young readers. For our student reporters "Where in Dane County" is a rigorous, core curriculum, writing-for-publication project. These stories lead young readers to fascinating content that celebrates history and the arts in Dane County

City of Madison, \$2,065 for *Terrace Town 2014 Going Green* teaching students how cities are planned, what makes a sustainable city, and how citizens can participate in the improvement of their community. Elementary classrooms, aided by volunteer planners and architects, design and build city models that are displayed to the public at Monona Terrace.

Drum Power, Inc., \$2,450 for *Drum Power Lowell Elementary School Drum and Dance Project*. Drummers and dancers will present traditional songs, music and dance from Mali, Guinea and Senegal, as well as experiencing the leadership, collaboration, focus and discipline gained through the process of learning them.

River Alliance of Wisconsin, \$500 for *The Wild and Scenic Environmental Film Festival* featuring an evening of short films on conserving the environment with everything from stunning scenery to thought-provoking animation. These films are guaranteed to amuse and inspire.

Madison Children's Museum, \$500 for *Healthy Habits Week* during which visitors to the museum enjoy free health-focused activities, including arts movement activities. Dance, drumming, juggling, and yoga highlight the many creative physical activities that can be enjoyed by kids of all ages and abilities.

<u>Music</u>

Madison Music Collective (MMC), \$2,800 for *MMCs Mid-West Musical Connections - Jazz on a Sunday concert series and educational workshops 2014* focusing on "Mid-West Musical Connections." The concerts will highlight regional musicians.

Wisconsin Youth Symphony Orchestras, \$3,150 for *Winterfest Concerts*, performed by WYSO's 361 young musicians in four orchestras, feature the most challenging repertoire of the year. These performances inspire WYSO members to increase their instrumental skills, listen closely to their fellow musicians, and give a stunning display of their talents.

John Duggleby, \$700 for *Beat Generation Drum Circles/Kitchen Bands for Seniors/Disabled People* providing enjoyable, participatory percussion-oriented musical sessions in fully accessible environments for senior/disabled adults who would not receive such opportunities otherwise.

Middleton Community Orchestra., \$2,800, for *Winter and Spring Concerts Featuring Young Artists from Wisconsin* presenting two concerts, featuring four guest artists who earned degrees from the UW Madison School of Music.

Madison Symphony Orchestra, Inc., \$3,150 for *Spring Young People's Concert 2014* offering middle and high school students across Dane County a unique opportunity to experience live classical music at Madison's Overture Center for the Arts.

Clocks in Motion Percussion, \$1,400, for *John Luther Adams - Earth and the Great Weather*. Percussion, strings, chorus, spoken voice, and pre-recorded natural sounds join forces in Clocks in Motion's production of John Luther Adams' genre-defying piece, Earth and the Great Weather.

Con vivo!...music with life, \$1,125, for *con vivo! presents 'Winters Tale'* presenting a performance of live chamber music by German and Austrian composers on Sunday, March 2, 2014 at 2:30 pm at First Congregational Church in Madison.

Madison Opera, Inc., \$2,625, for *Madison Opera Presents* `*Dead Man Walking*`, one of the most important operas ever written. Based on Sister Helen Prejean's book and the movie of the same name, the opera is the centerpiece of a two month long program of county-wide outreach events, "Extending the Stage: *Dead Man Walking*."

Madison Youth Choirs (MYC), \$2,300, for *the* 4th *Annual Madison Boychoir Festival* presenting collaboration between MYC and the Madison Metroplitan School District (MMSD) with additional support from Edgewood College, the Madison Boychoir Festival offers boys an exciting day of singing and learning.

Madison Bach Musicians, Inc., \$2,380, for *Mass in B Minor, by J.S. Bach,* presenting, in collaboration with the Madison Choral Project, performance of J. S. Bach's landmark Mass in B minor. The concerts will feature a 22-piece baroque orchestra, four outstanding vocal soloists, and a 17-voice professional choir.

Arohana School of Music, \$2,450 for the *Tyagaraja-Mozart Festival* a multi-cultural music festival of artistic, cultural & historic significance, centered on one of the greatest melodic composers in world music, Tyagaraja (1767-1847) but also providing a glimpse of harmony – Mozart(1756 – 1791), his contemporary in the West, offering perspectives of developments of melody and harmony in that era.

Theater

Forward Theater, \$3,500, for presenting the Wisconsin premiere of *'Or'*, by playwright Liz Duffy Adams. The production will be complemented by pre-show talks every Thursday and Sunday, and post-show talkbacks after every performance, as well as an exhibition in the Playhouse Gallery on the art of costume design.

Fermat's Last Theatre Company, \$700 for staging a modern dress version of Shakespeare's *Troilus and Cressida*, at the Rotunda Studio in the Overture Center. With its epic themes of love and war, loyalty and betrayal, honor and cynicism, this work speaks very much to a modern audience.

Children's Theatre of Madison (CTM), \$3,500 for presentation of *The Giver*, adapted by Eric Coble from Lois Lowry's classic dystopian novel about growing up, growing wise, and taking control of one's own destiny.

Middleton Players Theatre, \$2,450 for *Middleton Players Theatre Presents 'A Chorus Line'*, the second show in its two-show summer season. A CHORUS LINE features music by Marvin Hamlisch and book by James Kirkwood & Nicholas Dante.

Theatre Lila, \$2,800 for *No Child & No Story Left Behind* a powerful one-woman play that takes us on the soul-searching journey of Ms. Sun, a guest artist inspired to teach the self-proclaimed "worst class" at Malcolm X High School.

Playtime Productions, \$2,625 for *the Princess and the Pea*. Job applicants abound for the position of princess at the castle of Henrietta and Hubert in PlayTime Productions' spring rendition of The Princess & The Pea coming to 15 Dane County venues at low cost for the entire family.

Music Theatre of Madison, \$1,700 for *You're the Flop: A History of Broadway Musical Failures* an original revue about the history of musical theatre failures on Broadway.

Four Seasons Theatre, \$3,150 for *'Kiss Me Kate'*. Selected in honor of the 1939 Union Theater opening with Alfred Lunt and Lynn Fontanne's touring Broadway production of The Taming of the Shrew, this Cole Porter classic will welcome audience members to the renovated historic theater.

Madison Theatre Guild, \$1,400 for `*Red, Hot, and Cole*!` a play that traces the rise to superstardom of Broadway's greatest wit, the irrepressible Cole Porter, through delightful repartee and revealing anecdotes from his nearest and dearest.

Visual Arts

Mount Horeb Area Arts Association, \$1,600 for the 8th Annual Spring Art Tour a three day, family friendly, open-art-studios event on the second weekend of June, which is free and showcases the art of approximately two dozen artists living and working within fifteen miles of Mount Horeb, Wisconsin.

Madison Museum of Contemporary Art (MMoCA), \$2,700 for *The Mystery Beneath*. Drawing from the dynamic holdings of the Madison Museum of Contemporary Art, The Mystery Beneath explores the lasting traditions of surrealism and magic realism as they developed in Wisconsin shortly before, during, and after World War II.

Habitat Restore, **\$2,540** for *Salvage*, *Create*, *Build*! Habitat ReStore is hosting its 6th annual Salvage Art Show in Paoli's Artisan Gallery from April 18th - June 1st, 2014. More than 60 local artists will use salvage materials to create artwork for the show.

Wisconsin Academy of Sciences, Arts & Letters, \$2,700 for *Ida Wyman and Kevin Miyazaki*. This pair of solo exhibitions will feature the work of two contemporary Wisconsin documentary photographers: Ida Wyman and Kevin Miyazaki.

Very Special Arts Wisconsin (VSA), \$2,100 for *Call for Art* program featuring a juried exhibition of work by nearly 300 people with disabilities from across Wisconsin.

Capital Grants

Madison Blues Society, \$492, for purchase of tents and electrical equipment for outdoor events.

Madison Music Makers, \$1,937, for purchasing choral risers for a new choral program.

Madison Flute Club., \$2,000, for the Contrabass Flute capital campaign.