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GENERATION HOPE, INC.

Nat King Cole Generation Hope, Inc.'s mission is to provide music education to children with the greatest need and fewest resources by funding programs that provide for instruction, mentoring and resources.

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Nat King Cole Generation Hope has created a proven model for providing music education to children that uses strategic partnerships and teaching methods to produce quantifiable impact in the lives of the children served.



- Research music education needs in community**
- Identify music education partners and beneficiaries**
- Solidify funding and in-kind support**
- Educate and provide resources**
- Utilize lessons learned to improve and expand**
- Promote community engagement**

Our program provides educational opportunities for children, mentors and teachers; a philanthropic avenue to support education and culture for funders; as well as a cultural experience for the community.



ANNOUNCING EXCITING PLANS FOR SUMMER 2018!

In addition to our highly successful summer strings camp program now in its seventh year at Lynn University in Boca Raton we will be adding a new music education program at VanderCook College of Music in Chicago. This inaugural camp will host 100 string and guitar students from Title 1 Chicago Public Schools on the VanderCook College of Music campus. This life changing experience will provide middle and high school students an opportunity to receive the highest quality instruction from VanderCook upperclassmen and a Guitars Over Guns representative serving as mentors.

At both camps students will receive individual, small group and large ensemble instruction and will follow a rigorous schedule of rehearsals, coaching and masterclasses. Curriculum incorporates the education plans of the school district and university in a cohesive mix that provides an innovative learning environment that propels students to engage with their mentors, become more passionate about their musical abilities and achieve a higher level of character and leadership excellence.

To learn how you can join us by supporting one of these camps or to start one in your area, please contact us at info@natkingcolegenhope.org or 561.213.8209.

PLEASE JOIN US FOR OUR FREE FINALE CONCERTS!
Summer Strings Boca - June 22, 2018
Summer Strings Chicago - August 10, 2018
 RSVP to info@natkingcolegenhope.org

INSTRUMENT DRIVE CONTINUES...

Nat King Cole Generation Hope receives hundreds of requests for instruments and funds for instrument repair or replacement each year. Representatives of the Title 1 schools and organizations we serve are telling us that funds for instrument replacement and repair are minimal at best. Children have either no choice of what instrument they can choose to learn, must share with others, or are being turned away from band or orchestra due to lack of instruments.

...and while we have been able to place new and refurbished instruments of all types - pianos, violins, keyboards, guitars, drums, trumpets, saxophones and flutes in schools in Miami Dade, Broward, Palm Beach and Okeechobee counties, the requests keep coming...

We need your help!

Funds are needed to purchase and repair instruments.

Donations of gently used instruments are needed.

Please contact us today!

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IN APPRECIATION

Nat King Cole Generation Hope would like to express our gratitude to the following organizations who have generously granted funds and/or committed to support our music education programs and services to date this year. Because of their efforts to make a difference, children will receive access to quality instruction, mentoring and resources that will improve their lives and the community as a whole.



The mission of the Boca West Children's Foundation is to identify and fund projects to assist at-risk children and their families in the Boca Raton and South Palm Beach County areas.
bocawestfoundation.org

The Cantor Fitzgerald Relief Fund's mission is to support victims of terrorism, emergencies and natural disasters. They provide direct financial assistance to hundreds of charities around the world, and they are proud to help raise awareness to small charities that have the potential to make big impacts. cantorrelief.org



Josh Groban's Find Your Light Foundation is dedicated to ensuring that every child has the opportunity to experience a quality arts education. They believe that is best achieved through direct support of exceptional arts programs combined with education, advocacy and outreach. They focus support where the need is greatest to inform and inspire others in recognizing arts education as a critical component of a young person's development. fylf.org

The Cultural Development Fund for Small or Emerging Organizations is funded by the County Commission, this program provides resources to small, stable organizations or new, emerging organizations to preserve cultural heritages and expand cultural opportunities for children and youth. palmbeachculture.com



LAST CALL for APRIL 10

**BOCA WEST CHILDREN'S FOUNDATION
CONCERT FOR THE CHILDREN TICKETS!**

"Battle of the Bands"

Unlimited Food Truck Fare - Included!

\$200 per person

100% of tickets sales through NKCGH benefit

Keeping Music Alive!

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