Radnor Educational Foundation Grants Summary Report

School Year: 2012-13

Grant Amount

* ACTS iPad Initiative

\$32,900.00

Joan Cusano – Director of Instructional Technology
Support of professional development for five teachers for the ACTS program
(Aligning Curriculum with Technology and Standards) including 50 student iPads
(32 GB iPads and AppleCare Protection for each iPad).

* Speak Up! Program at RHS

\$3.000.00

Haley Butler - RHS Assistant Principal

Speak Up! is a local organization which trains students in leadership and communication skills. This program for the community facilitates conversations between adults and adolescents.

* Navigating Adolescence at RMS

\$4,000.00

Banny Ackerman - RMS Watershed Teacher

Dr. Kenneth Ginsburg, renowned adolescence expert and author, provides professional development sessions for faculty and hold assemblies for students and parents regarding adolescent issues. He presents strategies families can use to support and guide their children so they feel empowered during this critical time in their lives.

* Step into Sweden!

\$1.500.00

Phuong Lee – IES Multi-Cultural Committee

Step into Sweden explores a foreign country's culture, traditions and history. The program provides all learners the opportunity to develop rich content knowledge about the diversity of world culture and build upon Common Core skills of researching and integration of knowledge and ideas.

* Reading Olympics at RMS

\$3,000.00

Nicole Settanni - RMS Literacy Teacher

Students meet in teams bi-monthly to read from a 45 book list produced by Delaware County. Students compete in an annual county-wide competition to test their knowledge of the books.

* RHS Robotics

\$2,266.00

Ken Delaney - RHS Teacher

Through this program, Radnor Robotics students participate in Vex Robotics, a competitive Robotics Competition. Students develop programming and robot building skills, time management, teamwork and the need for accurate documentation.

** PA Tax Credit (EITC) approved program.

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* After School Tutor/Mentoring Program

\$10,000.00

Anthony Stevenson - Principal

After school tutoring program for K-8 at-risk students.

* Radnor High School Theater Program

\$27,087.00

Brian Dietzler - Theater Educator

Technology upgrades to include sound and lighting for auditorium and Black Box Theater.

** PA Tax Credit (EITC) approved program.

* RES American Dance/Music Residency

\$3,000.00

Susan Mlodzienski – RES Cultural Arts

Peter & Mary Alice Amidon will lead 1st through 5th grade students in two 45 minute classroom sessions of music and gym through traditional dance/songs of North America and Britain. This program provides students with a positive dance/music experience and builds an atmosphere of personal and peer respect.

* RHS Macbeth Performance and Workshop

\$2,000.00

Kelly Overcash - RHS Teacher

The Linny Fowler WillPower Tour is an educational program sponsored by the Pennsylvania Shakespeare Festival. The acting troupe provides a professionally directed production of Macbeth with sets and costumes. This program will include a classroom study guide as well as a post-show discussion and workshop with the cast and trained actors.

* Uganda Food Project

\$1,300.00

Jodi Sabra – RMS Teacher

Provides food for Uganda Pen Pals Project. Grant is supported by restricted donations from school families and the community.

* Mindful Me! at RMS

\$15,000.00

Danielle Bajus - RMS Soundings Teacher

MindfulMe! Is a Mindfulness program that will be taught to students grades 6-8. Roots & Wings, LLC will train teachers, counselors and staff members practical Mindfulness techniques adapted for use with school age children to improve focus, promote behavioral control and enhance social-emotional skills.

Total Grant Amount to be Awarded:

\$105,053.00