

Fine Arts Booster Group

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an affiliate of IPEI

Quick Facts

Organization:

First year was 2001-2002.

Live under the non-profit umbrella of IPEI (Ithaca Public Education Initiative) as an affiliate

Serve all the arts and all schools in the Ithaca City School District

All volunteer

Numbers:

Funds raised to date – over \$135,000

\$85,000 of this going directly to teacher mini-grants

Musical Instruments recycled to date – 100

Listserv members – 229

Major Actions:

Continuing advocacy and information through listserv, passion, presence and people

Joined with Sports Boosters and LACS Community to support Facilities Bond

Major Public Art Project – the Watershed Wall in Downtown Ithaca

Fundraising and Friendraising

Musical instrument support

Community Connections as opportunities arise – eg. Wynton Marsalis visit in 2010

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