



Because of You...

We can fulfill our mission to break the cycle of poverty at the start through nurturing care and an exceptional early learning program whereby we prepare young children for success in school and enable their parents to pursue educational and employment opportunities.



2018 Annual Report

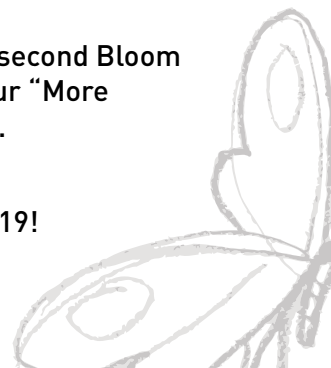
About Bloom

- Serving children from 6 weeks to 5 years of age
- Half our capacity dedicated to children from low-income families
- Scholarship fund to cover the costs of tuition for families in need
- Values-based programs and excellent curriculum with stellar learning and social outcomes
- Primarily serving children who live within the boundaries of the Wayzata School District, including all or parts of Wayzata, Plymouth, Orono, Minnetonka, Medina, Medicine Lake, and Corcoran
- Accredited by the National Association for the Education of Young Children and 4-Star Parent Aware rated

Because of You...

- » We provided high-quality learning and child care to 81 children and their families.
- » 52% received tuition assistance or were teachers' children; 48% were private pay.
- » All our students, including 35 children receiving tuition assistance, performed at or above age appropriate developmental expectations based on individual assessments.
- » 6 children who otherwise would not have had the opportunity to experience a school setting and build the necessary academic and social skills, graduated from our pre-K classroom kindergarten ready.
- » We raised the funds to create our second Bloom Early Learning location through our "More Room to Bloom" capital campaign.

Together, we can achieve even more in 2019!



You make it possible for our families to be the heroes of their own stories.

We celebrated a huge milestone with a long-time Bloom family this year. The mother, Brenda, completed her first semester of classes for medical coding. She is on a path toward building a career that will support her family. With your steadfast support, we have been walking alongside her and her children for the past several years. Now a preschooler, the youngest of Brenda's four children, Michelle, has benefited from the structure, consistency, nurturing and education provided by Bloom since she was an infant.

When she first started, Michelle was living in a chaotic home. Her mother lost custody of Michelle's older sister, which then prompted her to leave an abusive relationship with the children's father. Soon after, the courts terminated the father's parental rights. We helped Brenda attend parent education classes. She also started seeing a therapist. As a result of Brenda's hard work and commitment, her older daughter moved back in with her earlier this year and all child protection cases were resolved.

Because Michelle has experienced the stable, loving environment at Bloom since she was 6 weeks old, she is thriving socially, emotionally, and academically. You may not know that once we provide tuition assistance to a family, we guarantee support as long as the family qualifies. Also, most children spend more than 10 hours a day at Bloom. This provides structure and consistency to the children who may live in otherwise chaotic circumstances. And the children are loved by more adults in their lives!

Your contributions to the Shirley Robinson Scholarship Fund make this happen!

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Summarized Statement of Financial Position (December 31, 2018)

ASSETS

Current Assets

Cash	\$ 565,061
Accounts Receivable	\$ 31,845
Contributions Receivable	\$ 155,651
Prepaid Expenses	\$ 7,790
State Grant Receivable	\$ 2,284

Other Assets

Endowment, Cash	\$ 23,345
Promises to Give, Net	\$ 48,285

Equipment, Improvements, Intangibles

Facility Improvements	\$ 79,991
Program Equipment	\$ 30,681
Depreciation	(59,049)

TOTAL ASSETS \$ 855,884

LIABILITIES & NET ASSETS

Liabilities

Accrued Expenses	\$ 29,821
Accounts Payable	\$ 6,793
Total Current Liabilities	\$ 36,614

Net Assets

Without Donor Restrictions	\$ 257,585
With Donor Restrictions	
Perpetual in Nature (Endowment)	\$ 23,345
Purpose Restrictions	\$ 568,340
Total Net Assets	\$ 849,270

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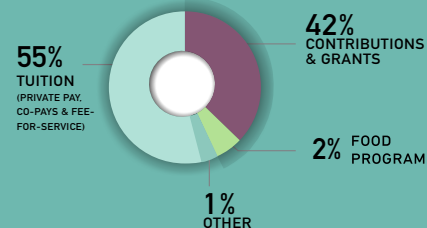
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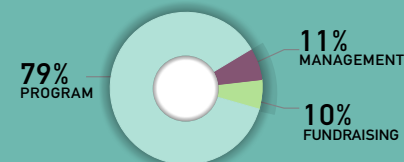
2018 Financial Highlights

(January 1 - December 31)

REVENUE (\$1,367,011)



EXPENSES (\$1,149,269)



ENROLLMENT BREAKDOWN

