Dear Paul,

We received letters & cards from some of our scholarship recipients and wanted to share them with The Capital Times Kids Fund. They are so touching and we felt it important that you know the true impact of your support directly from the recipients.

Through the funding provided by The Capital Times Kids Fund in 2012, Three Gaits was able to provide scholarships for a number of different programs. From Hippotherapy to Day Camps children & youth benefitted from your continued support of Three Gaits.

We hope you will share these with committee members and others who are Three Gaits supporters and pass along all the wonderful words from those who give us so many reasons to continue doing what we love.

Many thanks for the continued support from The Capital Times Kids Fund and we look forward to seeing you at the reception on Thursday.

Sincerely,

Melissa Lawrence
Office Administrator
Dear hippotherapy donators,

Hello. My name is Soohyun Kim and I am a student at Hamilton Middle School. I am writing this letter to thank you for your donations for my hippotherapy treatment.

I have been doing hippotherapy since last spring.
I had major surgery done on both of my legs last summer and needed a lot of therapy to gain strength in my legs, and my weekly hippotherapy sessions really helped my body after the surgery.

Hippotherapy helped me gain strength in my trunk because I realized that I needed a stronger trunk in order to be good at horseback riding. I did many different exercises to make my trunk stronger.

I am able to use my hands more freely now. Before hippotherapy, all of my weight was in my upper body, so I had very heavy hands. Hippotherapy helped me shift my weight to my bottom so that my hands were free. I am now able to do things with my hands that were difficult to do in the past.

I feel that my body is much more relaxed after every hippotherapy session as well. I used to be tight because I sat in my wheelchair all day long at school and I would get tired very easily because my body was so tight. Hippotherapy makes me feel much better because my body is always relaxed and light.

I enjoy horseback riding very much and hope that I will be able to continue with my hippotherapy treatment. I really appreciate your donations and thank you for your kindness.

Sincerely,

Soohyun Kim
Dear Three goats scholarship sponsor,

Thank you so much for donating for horse riding camp for kids. Without your help we would have not been able to send my daughter to camp. She loved the camp and didn't want it to end. It will be an experience she'll never forget. We are very grateful for your generosity.

Sincerely,

Ted Elias & Tobra Elias
May 24, 2013

The Capital Times Kids Fund
P.O. Box 8060
Madison, WI 53708-8060

Dear Molly,

On behalf of the Urban League of Greater Madison, I would like to thank you for your recent donation of $3,000.00 which we received on 5/24/2013. Your investment will help us transform Greater Madison into the best place in the Midwest to live, learn and work.

Since our organization began, our mission has been to eliminate social and economic barriers for African Americans, other people of color, and the economically disadvantaged in Dane County by transforming our community into a place of opportunity, personal and professional growth, prosperity, and success for everyone. Over the years we have provided education, employment, and other support services to tens of thousands of youth, adults, and families. We have seen unprecedented demand for our services this year. Our ability to step up to the challenge is only possible because of thoughtful contributions from people like you. Thank you!

Onward,

[Signature]

Kaleem Caire
President & CEO

P.S. The estimated value of any goods or services provided in return for your donation is $0.00. Please keep this written acknowledgment of your donation for your personal records.

Thank you so much for continuing to support our efforts! We appreciate you!!
May 20, 2015

Mr. Juan José López
Youth Committee Chair
The Capital Times Kids Fund
2532 Fairfield Place
Madison, WI 53704

Dear Mr. López:

I would like to thank you and The Capital Times Kids Fund Youth Committee for your generous gift of $2,000. Your commitment to helping area teens take control of their futures and improve their quality of life in our community is sincerely appreciated.

Each year Youth Programs continues to advance its mission of providing economically disadvantaged teens employment and financial education, job placements, and mentoring. Through our Youth Programs we have seen many teens change their lives for the better. Our Financial Education Workshops have enjoyed particular success this past year. Through these workshops in 2014, we provided 129 disadvantaged teens in Madison with money management skills that will benefit them for the rest of their lives.

Your grant will go a long way toward helping teens in our programs improve their knowledge and their habits in order to make meaningful and lasting changes in their lives. Thank you, again, for your continued support of Common Wealth’s Youth Programs. We look forward to sharing our success with you throughout the year.

Sincerely,

Marianne Morton
Executive Director

Rachel Darken
Youth Programs Director
May 18, 2015

Youth Committee of the Capital Times Kids Fund
2532 Fairfield Place
Madison, WI 53704

Dear Juan,

On behalf of the Urban League of Greater Madison, I would like to thank you for your recent donation of $2,000.00 which we received on 5/18/2015. Your investment will help us transform Greater Madison into the best place in the Midwest to live, learn and work.

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Onward,

[Signature]
Ruben L. Anthony Jr.
President & CEO

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Capital Times Kids Fund

Mr. Juan Jose Lopez:

How exciting to receive the kind gift of your grant funding for the Mt. Horeb Youth Center. I will be sure to provide your committee with updates as to the impact of your generosity on the health and well-being of our students.

The grant will provide the choice of more healthy eating and cooking habits, as well as growing our own food. I was just out tilling up our gardening boxes and adding wood ashes and chicken manure. A recent study out of Purdue showed that juvenile brain health has gone down since WWII because backyard gardens containing wood ashes has decreased—the wood ashes contain all 15 micro-nutrients necessary for good brain development—who knew? Our interest in STEM jobs and related research will play into our grant activities.

Please thank everyone on your committee for their continued support and efforts for the youth of Southern Wisconsin.

Sincerely,

JoAnne Seckman
"We envision a world where every girl knows and activates her limitless potential and is free to boldly pursue her dreams"

May 19, 2015

Capital Times Kids Fund
Juan José López, Youth Committee Chair
2532 Fairfield Place
Madison, WI 53704

Dear Juan José,

Thank you for your continued support of Girls on the Run. The 2015 Capital Times Kids Fund grant award to support our Girls on Track scholarship efforts is so appreciated. I am pleased to report that our spring 2015 season of Girls on the Run and Girls on Track is another huge success, serving 867 girls throughout Dane County. The girls’ smiles and energy increases each week, as they learn about themselves and discover an ability to set and achieve important personal goals.

All the enthusiasm for our program – from the girls and from the community, is made possible by your thoughtful support. We are thrilled to offer GOTR to as many girls as possible each season, regardless of her family’s ability to pay. The Capital Times Kids fund grant specifically supports our Girls on Track spring program at Wright and Jefferson Middle Schools in Madison, allowing 6th-8th grade girls otherwise unable to participate, to thrive. This spring season we’ve awarded over $30,000 in scholarships to 275 girls throughout the county. The grant is so appreciated and crucial to the success of our Girls on Track program. Funding such as yours allow us to meet our goal of providing access to all girls who wish to participate, and we are so grateful.

I look forward to updating you in the future about GOTR of Dane County and will send an update and some pictures from our spring season, once it is complete. Thank you again for your generous support. As we encourage our girls, may you too, “Learn, Dream, Live, Run!”

Sincere thanks and best regards,

Sara Pickard
Executive Director

Grantor Name: **Capital Times Kids Fund**  
Donated Amount: **$2,000.00**  Date of Donation: **05/18/2015**

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