



# VOICES for Art

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## MARCH 19: FREE Arts Organization Workshop

*"Asset Mapping & Financial Strategies for Non-Profit Arts Organizations"*

The Southwest Minnesota Arts & Humanities Council (SMAHC) will host a FREE WORKSHOP for regional arts organizations on Saturday, March 19 from 9:00 AM to noon at St. Stephen Lutheran Church, 1301 South 4th St., Marshall. SMAHC has secured the training services of LUTHER SNOW, a consultant, facilitator, author, and speaker who helps groups of people take positive action for the common good. As the "Good Groups Guru," he has trained and facilitated over 25,000 people and hundreds of organizations in positive collaboration. He is best known as the Creator and Developer of Asset Mapping. Luther Snow's Quick and Simple Asset Mapping Experience, or "Asset Mapping" for short, is a process that can be described as action planning, experiential learning, volunteer mobilization, and positive inspiration, all wrapped in one. Ideal for board members, staff and leadership teams of arts organizations.



[www.luthersnow.com](http://www.luthersnow.com)

*REGISTER TODAY: call the SMAHC office to hold spots for your arts organization as seating is limited. 800-622-5284 or 507-537-1471 or email SMAHC at: [smahcinfo@iw.net](mailto:smahcinfo@iw.net)*

## \*NOTICE\* Another round of Legacy Grants Added!

*Arts Legacy for Organizations & Communities grant funding still available for FY2011*

SMAHC has added a third round of funding for the Arts Legacy for Organizations & Communities grant program. This program is intended to fund high-quality projects or activities that will create a strong arts legacy in southwest Minnesota. Funding is available to organizations and communities in our 18-county region for up to \$20,000. Applicants who wish to apply for grants of \$10,000 to \$20,000 must submit a pre-application. Applicants whose pre-application aligns with SMAHC Arts Legacy Grant program objectives and shows considerable potential will then be invited to submit a full grant application.

The Minnesota State Arts Board and Minnesota's designated regional arts councils are entrusted with stewardship of significant new funding through the State of Minnesota's Arts and Cultural Heritage (ACH) Fund. Proceeds from the fund may be spent only on arts and arts access, arts learning and art and cultural heritage.

*For detailed guidelines and downloadable applications, visit our website at [www.smahc.org](http://www.smahc.org).*



### DATES & DEADLINES

*ARTS LEGACY Grants for*

*ORGANIZATIONS & COMMUNITIES*

- WORKSHOPS: March 24, 2011 (Marshall)
- March 29, 2011 (Windom)
- March 31, 2011 (Redwood Falls)
- PRE-APP DEADLINE: April 18, 2011
- APPLICATION DEADLINE: May 16, 2011
- PANEL MEETING: June 11, 2011
- BOARD ACTION: June 28, 2011
- PROJECT START DATE: July 1, 2011

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## New Legacy Logo Usage Regulations

*Did you know...* that MOST of our grant programs and **ALL of SMAHC's workshops and sponsored art-learning events** are made possible with funding by the MN Arts & Cultural Heritage Fund as appropriated by the MN State Legislature with money from the vote of the people on MN on November 4, 2008.

This "Legacy Amendment" funding has a new logo that you will see on the SMAHC website, grant guidelines, and event/workshop notices.

It is required by law to be shown on any promotion or advertising by grant recipients who have received funding through the Legacy grant programs.

The following acknowledgement is required to accompany this logo on any printed materials or digital promotions & advertising:

*"This activity is made possible in part by a grant from the Southwest Minnesota Arts & Humanities Council (SMAHC) with funds from the Minnesota Arts and Cultural Heritage Fund as appropriated by the Minnesota State Legislature with money from the Legacy Amendment vote of the people of Minnesota on November 4, 2008."*

These requirements apply to all printed materials, news releases, newsletters, advertisements, postcards, posters, programs, catalogs, invitations, films, videotapes, electronic transmissions and Internet sites. Grantees must also acknowledge this funding even when written credit is not applicable, by providing oral credit before each event or performance.

### *Accessing the legacy logo*

All variations of the logo, in multiple file formats, are available on the Department of Natural Resources website at: [www.dnr.state.mn.us/legacylogo/](http://www.dnr.state.mn.us/legacylogo/)

As a recipient of legacy funds:

- The logo must be used as is, without further design or format alteration.
- The logo can only be used to represent official Legacy Amendment projects.

SMAHC will continue to provide information on the usage regulations for Legacy grant funding on our website at [www.smahc.org](http://www.smahc.org)



## Welcome New Board Members

Two new Southwest Minnesota Arts & Humanities Council board members were elected to fill existing terms.

Dan Wahl of Walnut Grove was elected to serve as the Redwood county representative. A published writer, poet, artist, musician, actor and educator - Dan shared in his board application that, **"I've been blessed with opportunities and support for my own art efforts throughout my life, and it's time to pay it back in a way I haven't done before. Or rather, pay it forward."** He is currently an English Professor at Southwest Minnesota State University and teaches writing and expressionism classes at the Marshall Area Fine Arts Council.

Cindy Reverts of Luverne was elected to serve as the Rock county representative. Cindy is currently the treasurer of the Rock County Fine Arts Association and serves as the Fine Arts Representative on the Council for Fine Arts & Humanities Rock County. When not working on her pottery and glass art, she also sits on the board for ART ROCKS in Luverne, teaches and exhibits at galleries around the Midwest. Cindy wants to **"broaden my horizons and be a representative for Rock County"** while on the SMAHC board of directors.

## SMAHC GALLERY EXHIBIT



*"Gongo" - Erik Gran, 2010, acrylics on canvas*

Erik Gran

Opening Reception

April 7, 2011

5-7 PM

*Exhibit runs April 7 through July 1*



## Mark your Calendar: May 14-15 SMAHC Artist Retreat

As in years past, SMAHC will host a weekend retreat for artists on the peaceful shores of Lake Shetek. Tentative session topics in the works include: writing critiques, visual art critiques, gallery expert Q&A, photographing your work, poetry & bookmaking, one-on-one artist consulting and an evening jam session.

Network with fellow artists and find inspiration for your art!  
Registration details coming soon!

## Upcoming Grant Writing workshops

### ARTS LEGACY for ESTABLISHED CAREER ARTISTS

**March 10, 2011 • 4 PM - 5:30 PM • FREE**

SMAHC office, 1210 E College Dr, Suite 600, Marshall

Register by calling: 800-622-5284 or 507-537-1471

*The Arts Legacy Grants for Established Career Artists program is designed to provide funds to aid in career development and arts activities of professional artists for a project that incorporates a community component. Grants are available for up to \$7,000 and must demonstrate considerable collaboration between the artist and the community served. Grant application deadline: April 1, 2011*

### ARTS LEGACY FOR ORGANIZATIONS & COMMUNITIES

**March 24, 2011 • 4 - 5:30 PM • FREE**

SMAHC office, 1210 E College Dr, Suite 600, Marshall

**March 29, 2011 • 4 - 5:30 PM • FREE**

Cottonwood County History Center, 812 4th Ave, Windom

**March 31, 2011 • 4 - 5:30 PM • FREE**

Redwood Falls Public Library, 509 S. Lincoln, Redwood Falls

For more info or to register: 800-622-5284 or 507-537-1471

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## SMAHC awards Arts Legacy for Organizations & Communities Grants

At the February 22 meeting, the SMAHC Board of Directors voted to award a total of \$47,299 under the Arts Legacy for Organizations & Communities grant program.

The Arts Legacy for Organizations & Communities grant program awards up to \$20,000 for projects that leave an arts legacy. Four grant recipients received the following funding:

RiverSong Music Festival, Hutchinson: \$10,974 to offset festival expenses

Marshall Area Fine Arts Council, Marshall: \$20,000 for the creation/painting of a history mural in downtown Marshall

Marshall-Lyon County Library, Marshall: \$12,750 to create drawings etched on glass windows in the entry of the new Marshall library now under construction

Chippewa Valley Youth Club, Montevideo: \$3,575 to form a youth ukulele orchestra

[www.smahc.org](http://www.smahc.org)  
Grant guidelines, grant applications,  
arts calendar, news and contact info

Galleries and Opportunities

The SMAHC Art Gallery exhibit by Deb Connolly of Danvers. This exhibit runs until April 1, 2011. Erik Gran of Silver Lake will exhibit starting April 7, 2011. Visit the Gallery Monday through Friday from 8 AM to 4:30 PM at 1210 E College Drive in Marshall. Enter through the glass door on the east side of the building.

The Carnegie Cultural Center presents the Rock County Fine Arts Juried Transparent Watercolor Show 2011, May 31 to June 27, 2012. The cost for the event is \$10 for one entry, \$20 for two entries, and \$25 for three entries. For more info, email Mary Petersen: marypet@iw.net or call 507-283-8154. Located at 205 N. Freeman, Luverne, MN 56156. Hours are Tuesday – Friday, Noon - 5 PM and Saturday, 1 - 4 PM.

Clay Coyote Pottery, 17614 240th St. Hutchinson. Regular Hours are Monday - Saturday 10-5pm - Sunday Noon to 4. You can always call ahead for an appointment. Check out [www.claycoyote.com](http://www.claycoyote.com) or email Betsy or Tom at [claypot@hutchtel.net](mailto:claypot@hutchtel.net)

Marshall Area Fine Arts Council (MAFAC), 109 N. 3rd Street, Marshall. February 22 - April 1: Mike Burnette Exhibit - MAFAC's 2011 'Emerging Artist' featuring acrylic paintings. April 5 - May 13 "High School Art Stars" exhibit. Hours: Tues - Fri 12 - 5:30 PM. Evenings and Saturdays by appointment. 507-532-5463. Visit [www.mafac.net](http://www.mafac.net) for more information.

Milan Village Arts School in Milan. Classes in March include Watercolor, Wood Spoon Carving, Timber Framing, Weaving, Bowl Turning, Acanthus... and more. To view all the class offered throughout the year, visit their website at [www.milanvillageartsschool.org/](http://www.milanvillageartsschool.org/)

Nobles County Art Center, 407 12th Street, Worthington. The March exhibits features the Student Show until March 25th. "Annual Area Art Show 2011" exhibit opens April 3 with a reception from 1 - 4 PM and runs through April 29. Hours: M-F 2 to 4:30 PM. Free. Call 507-372-8245 for more information.

Robert Remick Gallery/Cottonwood County Historical Society, 812 Fourth Avenue, Windom. "God's Creation: Lester's Observation" by photographer Lester Rupp runs thru March 26. Student Art Show begins April 3. Gallery Hours: M-F 8- 4 PM & Sat 10-4 PM. Free. For more information, call (507) 831-1134 or email [cchs@windomnet.com](mailto:cchs@windomnet.com)

Tokheim Pottery, 2057 361st Ave, Dawson. Visit [www.tokheim-stoneware.com/](http://www.tokheim-stoneware.com/) for more information about the gallery or call 320-769-2142. Email [info@tokheim-stoneware.com](mailto:info@tokheim-stoneware.com)

William Whipple Gallery in Bellows Academic 291 at Southwest Minnesota State University, Marshall. Whipple Gallery hours are Monday - Thursday, 8 AM to 11 PM. Friday, 8 AM - 5 PM. Sunday, 1 to 11 PM. Closed Saturdays and Holidays.

Willmar Area Arts Council Gallery at WEAC building (Willmar Education and Arts Center), 611 Fifth St. SW, Willmar.

CALENDAR

*\*\* Indicates the project was funded in part with a grant from the SMAHC with funds provided by the McKnight Foundation, the MN State Legislature, or the MN Arts & Cultural Heritage Fund as appropriated by the MN State Legislature with money from the vote of the people of Minnesota on 11/4/08.*

**What's Happening? ... Get it in VOICES**

... publicize arts activities and events in your area!

Submit upcoming dates for the February VOICES by January 20, 2011.

Date(s): \_\_\_\_\_ Times: \_\_\_\_\_

Sponsoring Organization(s): \_\_\_\_\_

Name of Event: \_\_\_\_\_ Admission: \_\_\_\_\_

Location: \_\_\_\_\_ City: \_\_\_\_\_

Contact person for inquiries: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Name of person completing this form: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone & e-mail address: \_\_\_\_\_

Brief Description of Event: \_\_\_\_\_



MARCH CALENDAR

March 3 Ilya Yakushev presented by the West Central Concert Series at the Willmar Education and Arts Center. 7:30 PM. Gold Medal Winner of the 2005 World Piano Competition, Ilya Yakushev is from St. Petersburg, Russia. For info email: WCConcertS@gmail.com

\*\*March 3 **Southwest Minnesota Orchestra "Annual Children's Concert"** featuring *'Tubby the Tuba'* at the Schwan's Community Center for the Performing Arts in Marshall. 7:30 PM. For more info, contact 507-537-7103.

March 4 Lake Wobegon Brass Band Concert at the Performing Arts Center in Dassel. 7:30 PM. Tickets: Adults \$15, Youth \$5. Reserved seating available at Dassel Comm. Ed office or by calling 320-286-4120.

March 4 Minneapolis Guitar Quartet performing at the Adrian Branch Library at 1:00 PM. Free. For info, call (507) 483-2541 or email mvaselaar@plumcreeklibrary.net

March 5 Minneapolis Guitar Quartet performing at the Jackson County Central Performing Arts Center, Jackson. Sponsored by the JCC Community Education and Jackson County Library. 7:00 PM. Free. For info, call (507) 847-6627 or email pam\_grussing@jccschools.com

\*\*March 5 Radoslav Lorkovic presented by the Prairie Wind Folk Music and Bluegrass Association performing at the Cottonwood County Historical Society Museum in Windom. 7:30 PM. For info, call (507) 831-3560 or email: bboldt@mindspring.com

March 5 Art Projects / Arts Organization Development Panel Meeting at the SMAHC Office, 1210 E. College Drive, Marshall. 9:00 AM.

March 8 Arts Advocacy Day at the Capitol sponsored by Minnesota Citizens for the Arts (MCA). Join your fellow arts advocates at the MN History Center and State Capitol in St. Paul to meet your legislators and talk about supporting the arts. Register online: [www.mncitizensforthearts.org](http://www.mncitizensforthearts.org) by March 4, 2011. For more info, call 651-251-0868 or email: [mncitizensforthearts.org](mailto:mncitizensforthearts.org)

March 10 Free Grant Writing Workshop for Legacy Grants for Established Career Artists at the SMAHC Office, 1210 E. College Drive, Marshall. Pre-registration is required - call (800) 622-5284 or (507) 537-1471.

March 11 Skilly & Duff Irish Quartet: **"Like a Trip to Ireland."** 7:30 PM St. Patty's Day celebration at The Little Theater in New London. For ticket information, please contact: [mick@Midwestinfo.net](mailto:mick@Midwestinfo.net) or call 320-859-3536.

**March 11 "The Bottom Line Duo"**, Bass & Cello, MAFAC Concert, Schwan Community Center for the Performing Arts in Marshall. 7:30 PM. Tickets available at the door: Adult \$15, Student \$10, Child (Under 12) \$5.

\*\*March 11 - 13 **"Attack of the Giant Grasshoppers & Pom Pom Zombies"** presented by the Pipestone Performing Art Center. Fri & Sat at 7 PM; Sun matinee 2:00 PM. For info and tickets, contact 507-825-2020 or 877-722-2787.

\*\*March 12, 13, 18, 19 **"Nice People Dancing to Good Country Music"** performed by the FungusAmongus Players at the Dassel History Center. 7 PM and 2 PM matinee. All tickets \$15 includes dessert. Tickets available at Dassel Comm. Ed office or call 320-286-4120.

\*\*March 13 Prairie Winds Concert Band Spring Concert performed at the Willmar Education and Arts Center (WEAC), 611 5th St SW, Willmar. Performing "Tuba Tiger Rag" and other selections including Handel's "Water Music". Tickets \$6 Adults, \$3 Students, Preschoolers free. For information, email [georgeoverton@charter.net](mailto:georgeoverton@charter.net) or check [www.prairiewindsconcertband.com](http://www.prairiewindsconcertband.com)

March 15 New London Fine Art Festival submission deadline. For details go to [www.newlondonfineart.com](http://www.newlondonfineart.com) or email: [nlonfaf@gmail.com](mailto:nlonfaf@gmail.com)

\*\*March 17 Creative Writing Event with readings given at the Event Center, 1005 Hwy 15 South, Hutchinson. 6:00 PM.

March 18 - 20 & 25-27 **"Gilligan's Island, The Musical"** presented by the Green Earth Players at the Palace Theater in Luverne. Fri & Sat at 7:30 PM; Sun matinee 2PM. For info and tickets, contact 507-283-2765.

March 18 Gary Rue & Laura MacKenzie performing at the Missionary Alliance Church in Tracy. Gary Rue plays guitar and Laura MacKenzie plays traditional wind-powered music. Sponsored by the Fine Arts Council of Tracy. Tickets \$10 at the door.

**March 19 "Broadway Meets Lake Benton"** at the Lake Benton Opera House. Two shows at 2 PM and 7:30 PM. General admission tickets are available at the door for \$10. [www.lakebentonoperahouse.org](http://www.lakebentonoperahouse.org)

March 19 "Asset Mapping and Financial Strategies" workshop for Arts Organizations -- bring your entire board or leadership team. Hosted by SMAHC and led by Luther Snow, the Creator and Developer of Asset Mapping. Workshop runs 9 AM - 12 noon at St. Stephen Lutheran Church in Marshall. Register by calling SMAHC office at 800-622-5284 or 507-537-1471 or email: [smahcinfo@iw.net](mailto:smahcinfo@iw.net)

\*\*March 19 Jack Langley presented by the Prairie Wind Folk Music and Bluegrass Association performing at the Cottonwood County Historical Society Museum in Windom. 7:30 PM. For info, call (507) 831-3560 or email: [bboldt@mindspring.com](mailto:bboldt@mindspring.com)

March 20 - Springstock! at the Community Center in Renville sponsored by the Arts Council and Friends of the Arts. A gathering of poets, storytellers, and musicians. 5:30 PM. Food and drink available for purchase. For more information or questions, call Ed at 320-329-8164 or e-mail: [valleyhouse@tds.net](mailto:valleyhouse@tds.net)

March 20 Community Sing with Jesús Echevarría and Diana Syse at **St. Mary's Church**, Worthington. Open to singers and non-singers, this community event is free. Visit [www.volcaessence.org/worthington](http://www.volcaessence.org/worthington) to register.

March 24-26 and March 31-April 2 **"Forever Plaid"** Dessert Theatre by the Hutchinson Theater Company. Doors open at 6:30 PM with dessert served first; 7:00 PM show held at Peace Lutheran Church in Hutchinson. Tickets \$17.50 available online at [www.hutchtheater.org](http://www.hutchtheater.org) or at the Hutchinson Chamber of Commerce.

March 24 - March 27 MACTFest (Minnesota Association of Community Theaters) at the Center for the Arts (Fergus Theatre), 124 W. Lincoln Ave., Fergus Falls. Nine community theatres, great workshops, exhibits, silent auction, and lots of networking. For more information, email: [webmaster@mact.net](mailto:webmaster@mact.net) or go to [www.mact.net](http://www.mact.net)

**\*\*March 25 Prairie Fire Children's Theatre "Sleeping Beauty"** performed at the Clinton-Graceville-Beardsley Elementary Gym in Clinton. 3 PM & 7 PM shows.

March 26 "Club Swing" presented by the Prairie Music Concert Association at the Murray County Central School Auditorium in Slayton. 5 great singers with a backup quartet bring songs, events and personalities of the Swing Era. 7:30 PM. For ticket information, call (507) 836-8443 or email [elwing@iw.net](mailto:elwing@iw.net).

\*\*March 28-29 SMSU Jazz Ensemble with guest bassist, Mr. Rodney Whitaker. March 28 at SCCPA in Marshall @ 7:30 PM. March 29 at Pipestone Area School @ 7:30 PM. Mr. Whitaker will present open rehearsal sessions with the Marshall and Pipestone High School jazz ensembles (at their respective schools) in the afternoon prior to the event. For info, contact 507-537-7103.

**March 31 "The Mousetrap"**, MASC Dinner Theatre, Marshall American Legion, Dinner 6 pm, Show 7 pm.

\*\*March 31, April 1-3, 7-10, 14-16 **"Hello Dolly"** performed at The Barn Theatre, 321 4th St SW, Willmar. Thurs-Sat Evenings at 7:30 PM, Sun Matinee at 2:30 PM. \$15 Adults - \$8 Students. For more info, email: [info@thebarntheatre.com](mailto:info@thebarntheatre.com)

### APRIL CALENDAR

April 1 SMAHC DEADLINE: Arts & Learning (Round II); Legacy Grant for Established Career Artists; Art Study Opportunity for Youth Grants; and Prairie Disciple nominations.

April 7 SMAHC Gallery Opening and Artist Reception for Erik Gran, abstract acrylic artist from Silver Lake, held at the SMAHC Gallery in Marshall. Reception from 5 - 7 PM. For more information, call our office at 800-622-5284 or 507-537-1471.

April 7 MAFAC Exhibit Opening Reception for "High School Art Stars" featuring art from area high school students at the MAFAC Gallery, 109 N. 3rd Street, Marshall. Reception from 5:30 - 7 PM.

April 2, 3, 4 "Spring Dinner Concerts" performed by the Southwest Minnesota Men's Chorus. April 2 at St. Stephen Lutheran Church in Marshall. April 3 at the Walnut Grove Community Center. April 4 at the Wabasso Community Center. All concerts begin at 7 PM. For more info, email: [rstenzel@iw.net](mailto:rstenzel@iw.net)

\*\*April 5 Minnesota Orchestra Spring Tour of Greater Minnesota featuring Osmo Vanska, Music Director and Courtney Lewis, conductor. Performed at Memorial Auditorium, 601 9th Street, Dawson. 7:30 PM. Reserved seating tickets: \$15 Adult, \$5 Student.

April 7-9, 15-17 **"Lucky Stiff"** presented by SMSU Theatre in Marshall. 7:30 PM, except April 17 matinee at 2 PM. Dinner theatre available April 8 and 16. Tickets: \$14 Adult, \$12 Student. Dinner Theatre tickets: \$34 Adult, \$32 Student. Reservations at [www.smsutickets.com](http://www.smsutickets.com) or call 507-537-7103 or email: [nadine.schmidt@smsu.edu](mailto:nadine.schmidt@smsu.edu)

April 8-10, 15-16 "Don't Hug Me County Fair" hilarious musical play presented at the Renville school, Old Gym Theater. Evening performances at 7:30 PM; Sunday afternoon at 2:30 PM. Sponsored by the RCW Area Arts Council and Friends of the Arts. For more information, email: [fota.rcw.area@gmail.com](mailto:fota.rcw.area@gmail.com)

April 8-10, 15-17 "'Til Beth Do Us Part" family-friendly, comedy performed at the Lake Benton Opera House. Evening performances at 7:30 PM; Sunday afternoon matinees at 2:00 PM. Tickets \$10 Adult, \$9.50 Senior/Student. For tickets call 507-368-4620 or email [lakebentonoperahouse@gmail.com](mailto:lakebentonoperahouse@gmail.com)

\*\*April 8 & 10 Crow River Singers Spring Concert. April 8 at St Anastasis Church, 460 Lake St SW, Hutchinson at 7 PM. April 10 at Peace Lutheran Church, 400 Franklin Street SW, Hutchinson at 2 PM. Tickets \$6 per person; children under 12 free. For information, contact Holly Dapper at (320) 587-0710 or email: hollymd55@hotmail.com

April 9 Prudence Johnson and Dan Chouinard performing at the Jackson County Central Performing Arts Center, Jackson. Sponsored by the JCC Community Education and Jackson County Library. 7:00 PM. Free. For more information, call (507) 847-6627 or email pam\_grussing@jccschools.com

\*\*April 9 Gypsy Mania "Hot Club" Swing Jazz presented by the Tyler Arts Council performing at the Danebod Gym Hall, 135 Danebod Court in Tyler. 7:30 PM. Tickets are 10 for adults and \$5 for children. For more information, call (507) 247-3811 or email rgsiemers@hotmail.com

\*\*April 16 Visual Art Event with exhibits at Peace Lutheran Church, 400 Franklin St. SW, Hutchinson. 10 AM - 5 PM.

\*\*April 17 Liszt Festival: *Le concert c'est moi* performed by the SW MN Orchestra at the Schwan Community Center for the Performing Arts, 400 Tiger Drive, Marshall. 4 PM.

April 28 ¡Cantaré! Community Concert - Worthington featuring music of Diana Syrse Valdésand and Jesús Echevarría and will take place at Memorial Auditorium in Worthington.

\*\*April 30 Eisenhower Dance Company community performance at Memorial Auditorium, 714 13th Street, Worthington.

## Memberships and Donations Received Jan. 25 - Feb. 28, 2011

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Relationships Matter: Volunteerism in Immigrant  
Communities

Tuesday, April 19, 2011 • 9 AM - 11 AM

Bremer Bank, Willmar • Fee: FREE

Register online: [www.MAVANetwork.org/diversity](http://www.MAVANetwork.org/diversity)

Fundamentals of Nonprofit Finance

Tuesday, July 7, 2011 • 9 AM - 12 PM

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