



Coralwood School

Coralwood School is the only public school in DeKalb County dedicated to serving children with special needs between three and six years of age. Our research-based educational model includes 12 collaborative and co-teaching classrooms in which six to eight children with special needs and ten typically developing children are educated together. Research shows that this model results in significant gains for special education students, including higher levels of social play, more appropriate social interactions and greater gains in language, cognitive and motor development. Additionally, Coralwood has four self-contained classrooms that serve children with more severe disabilities. Children in the self-contained classes engage in multiple learning experiences with typically developing children throughout the school day.

The classrooms at Coralwood are led by highly specialized teachers and paraprofessionals who teach to a broad set of students with varied needs. The teachers work closely with the following therapists: speech/language, occupational, physical, vision and recreational. Primarily, these therapists provide services to children in the classroom and include both special needs and typical children in various therapies.



| 2011-2012 Coralwood School Year | |
|---|-----|
| # of Students: | 241 |
| # of Home Schools Represented: | 46 |
| Percentage of students in the following categories: | |
| Disabilities | 48% |
| Free and Reduced Lunch | 9% |
| Minorities | 32% |



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Victory in every classroom?

You can't put children first if you put teachers last.



"The Foundation is dedicating a large part of this year's Coralwood Challenge (our annual fund) to filling in the gaps in these salaries. You see, we love our staff."

Right now, the DeKalb County School System is in crisis given its budgetary shortfalls and the SACS investigation. Coralwood School is not. It's an ongoing battle but our program is growing every day thanks to the support of the Coralwood Foundation and our entire community. Why is our school different?

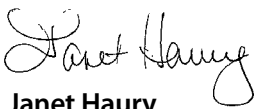
When we learned that DeKalb County was cutting teacher and paraprofessional salaries in our program, the Coralwood Foundation responded. The Foundation is dedicating a large part of this year's Coralwood Challenge (our annual fund) to filling in the gaps in these salaries and in training for new teachers. You see, we love our staff. We have an emotional as well as financial investment in them. We are as committed to their learning and professional development as they are to the learning and development of our students.

Excellence in education does not happen automatically. Teachers need training and support. We have spent thousands of dollars in classroom improvements, supplies and equipment. More importantly, we have invested in training Coralwood's staff in Orton-Gillingham and Lindamood-Bell reading methodologies, PROMPT speech therapy, and Floortime and ABA therapies, to name a few. This training includes ALL staff, not just special education teachers. Our general education teachers and paraprofessionals are highly trained to effectively deliver research-based methodologies to our students. We don't mess around. Coralwood is "top drawer," as Janet's grandmother used to say.

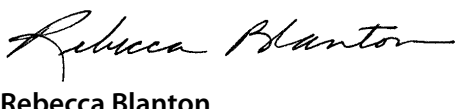
Why bother? We have a limited window of opportunity to really impact these children's educational lives in meaningful ways. So, we create differentiated learning opportunities using a variety of approaches. For example, children with autism struggle with abstract concepts. We trained teachers several years ago in Lindamood-Bell Visualizing and Verbalizing strategies and now our staff teaches children to create pictures in their heads as they read. This builds reading comprehension by helping students bridge the gaps between written words and their meanings.

As Coralwood principal and the Foundation president, we are constantly on the lookout for new ways to reach and teach children. We encourage teachers and therapists to investigate new techniques and new training seminars to attend. The Coralwood Foundation has funded up to \$20,000 per year for teachers' professional development. Teachers gain important skills, students' individualized needs are met and our program grows in rich and diverse ways. You see an immediate impact in the way your child learns.

A school needs a vision to reach the unique potential of its learning community. We started the Coralwood Foundation from scratch. Now we are poised to move successfully into the future, despite the disastrous state of DCSS. What does your child need to be happy and successful? Let's do whatever we can to make sure they have it.



Janet Haury
President of Coralwood Foundation



Rebecca Blanton
Principal

2011-2012 Major Coralwood Foundation Accomplishments



- ☀ Purchased a **rock wall** for the Motor Therapy room and tricycles for the playground
- ☀ Created a new social skills summer camp called **Camp Incredible**. Fifty campers attended this three-week camp in June. The camp was based on the Superflex Curriculum and campers were taught social and problem solving skills in a creative and fun environment.
- ☀ Coralwood School received the **Community Partner Award** from Fernbank's School Master Gardner program. This award recognized Coralwood for its accomplished outdoor classroom areas and for the partners who worked on maintaining and improving these outdoor areas including Turner Broadcasting and Briarlake Baptist Church.
- ☀ Coralwood Foundation's 10th Annual Silent Auction took place on Saturday, February 25, 2012 at Emory's Miller-Ward Alumni House. Over 200 people attended including parents, friends, teachers and staff and we raised almost \$30,000-making it our **biggest and best auction** yet.
- ☀ Thanks to the many Coralwood families, staff, grandparents, teachers, board members and friends who gave generously to this year's Classroom Challenge campaign, we raised over \$40,000. All 16 classrooms earned \$200 for having **100% pledge participation** and 14 out of the 16 teachers received an additional \$300 to spend on items for their classrooms. Over the past seven years, the Classroom Challenge has raised more than \$430,000.
- ☀ Coralwood Foundation's 8th Annual Grape Crush was the best one yet! This year's wine tasting theme was "Experience South America" and guests were invited to sample delicious South American wines and enjoy amazing food prepared by Executive Chef Britton Cloud of Sprig Restaurant. The event was held on Saturday, May 5, 2012, over 100 people attended and we raised a **record breaking \$6,654!**
- ☀ Founded in 2008, before Higher Opportunities for Teachers (HOT) Committee funds academic and enrichment opportunities to teachers and staff that are not supported by the school or PTA budget. This year, the HOT Committee awarded **ten professional development proposals and two mini grants**. Congratulations teachers and staff and thank you for all you do for Coralwood!

GRANTS

- DeKALB COUNTY BOARD OF HEALTH
- KROGER
- TURNER BROADCASTING

CORPORATE GIFTS

- AGL RESOURCES
- CHILDREN'S MEDICAL GROUP
- CORNERSTONE BANK
- PUBLIX

IN-KIND GIFTS

- ALLIANCE THEATER
- Go! HOSPITALITY SERVICES
- THE GROVE
- KELLIE'S CATERING
- SPRIG
- JENNY BELL, WELL DONE DESIGN
- JIMMY GILMORE, FLUID FILMS

fundraising events



Coralwood Foundation Annual Auction

Coralwood Foundation's 10th Annual Coralwood Auction was held February 24, 2012 at Emory's Miller-Ward Alumni House. Funds raised from the auction supported professional development and mini-grants for our teachers and staff. Over 200 people attended and netted \$28,183, including \$4,000 towards our Fund-A-Project, which helped purchase new specially-designed tricycles for our playground. Our generous sponsors included **AGL Resources, Children's Medical Group** and **Cornerstone Bank**. In-kind sponsors included **Sprig, Go! Hospitality Services, The Grove** and **Kellie's Catering**. The auction was a huge success and the Foundation is grateful to all those who made a contribution towards this event.



Coralwood Foundation Wine Tasting Event

Coralwood Foundation's Annual Wine Tasting Event was held May 5, 2012 at the beautiful home of Kris Ulven and Daniel McKeithen. The "Experience South America" theme invited Coralwood parents and friends to sample delicious South American wines from **Alex Walters of Austral Wine Merchants**. Guests also enjoyed amazing food prepared by **Executive Chef Britton Cloud** of **Sprig Restaurant** while being treated to live music. We even got to bid on wonderful auction items. Thanks to those who organized the event and to those who attended, we raised \$6,654 towards Foundation operating expenses.



ARTWORK FROM
MS. LANGFORD AND MS. BRAMLETT'S PRE-K CLASS
BENEFITTING THE CORALWOOD FOUNDATION AUCTION
FEBRUARY 24, 2012



August 2012

| Sunday | Monday | Tuesday | Wednesday | Thursday | Friday | Saturday |
|--------|---------------------------|---------|-------------------------------|----------------------------|--|-------------------|
| | | | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 |
| 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 8:30am Parent Open House | 9 | 10 | 11 |
| 12 | 13 First Day of School | 14 | 15 | 16 | 17 | 18 |
| 19 | 20 | 21 | 22 | 23 | 24 9:15am New Parent Welcome Coffee | 25 HOMECOMING! |
| 26 | 27 | 28 | 29 | 30 6pm Curriculum Night | 31 | |

“John’s first 2 years at Coralwood were in a self-contained classroom with Holly Adams. At the end of the second year, John was still non-verbal and Susan Garrett, his speech therapist, recommended assistive technology for communication. Over the summer, as that paperwork was being processed, we talked to Holly and told her how John was hanging out in the baby pool and was mimicking the toddlers’ babbling. She said it’s time to get him in an inclusion class. So when fall came he was placed in Karen Roseberry’s 3-year-old inclusion class and within months was talking – single words at first, but more than enough to make a communication device unnecessary. All of the adults in his life for 4 years couldn’t teach John to talk – his peers, the children at Coralwood did. That’s what inclusion is all about to us.”

-JOANIE AND MIKE GROSS
FORMER CORALWOOD PARENTS

The Year of the Teacher.

Three wheels keep Coralwood School moving forward!



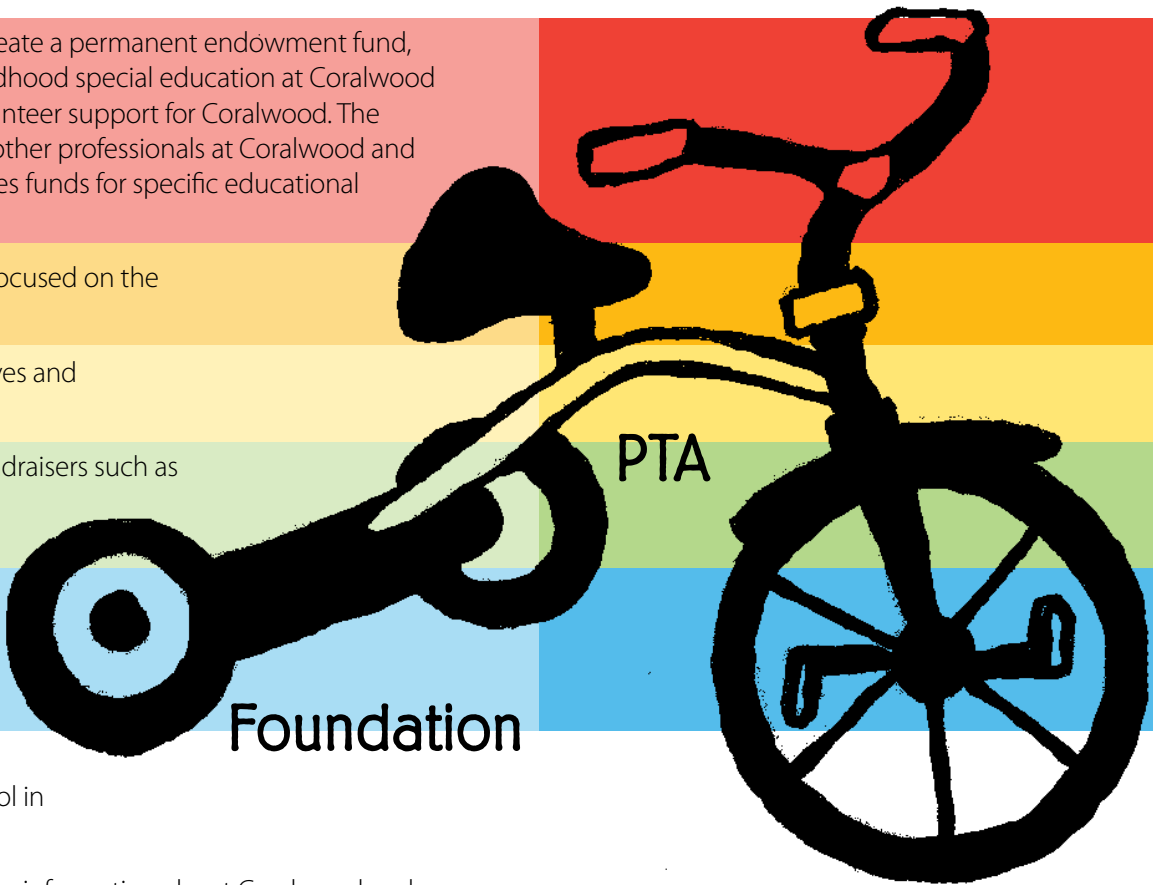
What is the Coralwood Foundation?

Coralwood Foundation, Inc. was incorporated in May 2005 to create a permanent endowment fund, the income of which is used to promote excellence in early childhood special education at Coralwood School, and to provide a vehicle for long-term financial and volunteer support for Coralwood. The Foundation funds the educational innovations of teachers and other professionals at Coralwood and as well as a Director of Development who writes grants and raises funds for specific educational initiatives.

Currently, the efforts of the Foundation's Board of Directors are focused on the following initiatives:

- Providing learning opportunities, grants for classroom initiatives and professional development for our school staff;
- Supporting the financial goals of the Foundation through fundraisers such as our Annual Auction and Wine Tasting, as well as grant writing activities;
- Working with the DeKalb County School System (DCSS) and the Board of Education to fund the Master Plan for Coralwood's campus in order to provide enhanced educational opportunities for our children;
- Implementing a marketing and communications plan that will position Coralwood School as the premier inclusion school in Georgia;
- Launching the website as a central location for comprehensive information about Coralwood and the Foundation, the PTA, related events and parent resources;
- Actively engaging Coralwood alumni, parents and friends in the continued work of the Foundation through community involvement and outreach as part of the "Coralwood Circle of Friends" group.

The Foundation views these projects as fundamental elements to improve the education of our children now and in the future.



Teachers

Give generously to the
Coralwood Challenge!



September 2012

| Sunday | Monday | Tuesday | Wednesday | Thursday | Friday | Saturday |
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| | | | | | | 1 |
| 2 | 3 School Closed, Labor Day | 4 Flower Power Fall Fundraiser | 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 |
| 9 | 10 6 PM - DCSS Board of Education meeting | 11 | 12 | 13 | 14 | 15 |
| 16 | 17 | 18 | 19 | 20 Conferences 3:30-5:30 and Family Meeting at 6:00pm | 21 | 22 |
| 23 | 24 SteviB's Spirit Night 5:00-8:00 | 25 | 26 | 27 | 28 | 29 |
| 30 | | | | | | |

"Rusty was not talking at age 3, we learned that he had water in his ears for at least 18 months. Coralwood did an evaluation on Rusty and he was offered the last slot in a new type of classroom called "inclusion". I believe this was the school year 1999-2000. Mrs. Rice was the principal and Mrs. Blanton was the counselor. Mrs. Blanton was so kind in the way she explained all the difficulties that Rusty was having. But she also explained his strengths which I have held onto dearly. I am now seeing her insight come to be reality. Rusty received speech every day and he received a lot of one-on-one positive instruction since he did not understand (hear) what was being asked of him. He received tubes in his ears and then he started to learn to talk. Rusty attended Coralwood for three years, pre-school, kindergarten and 1st grade. All through elementary school Rusty would remind me how much he missed Coralwood and all of his teachers. We have gone back to visit Coralwood several times. The changes of the building are very noticeable but one thing has not changed at all—the way the children are treated and nurtured to bring out the best in each child. I am so very grateful to the staff who developed the inclusion program and to all of the teachers and staff who made the program a success. The children in that first class are now Juniors in high school. When asked about Coralwood I know they will light up with a smile and say they loved Coralwood."

SANDY YATES
FORMER CORALWOOD PARENT

Please give generously to the Coralwood Challenge!



October 2012

| Sunday | Monday | Tuesday | Wednesday | Thursday | Friday | Saturday |
|--------|--|-----------------|--------------------------------------|-----------------|-------------------------------------|---|
| | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 |
| 7 | 8 School Closed, Columbus Day | 9 | 10 | 11 | 12 | 13 Family Photos at Coralwood with Patterson Photography |
| 14 | 15 School Pictures | 16 | 17 Bus Driver Appreciation Day | 18 | 19 | 20 |
| 21 | 22 Sprig Spirit Night 5:00-8:00 Book Fair | 23 Book Fair | 24 Book Fair | 25 Book Fair | 26 Book Fair Character Parade | 27 |
| 28 | 29 | 30 | 31 Pumpkin Patch | | | |

VOLUNTEER!

2012-13 FOUNDATION BOARD

COMMITTEES:

- ALUMNI RELATIONS
- CHARTER SCHOOL
- DEVELOPMENT
- FINANCE
- MARKETING/PUBLIC RELATIONS

“Amelia’s (a 2008–2011 Coralwood student) development was greatly enhanced through the school’s inclusion program. As a typically developing child, she enjoyed reaching out to her friends with special needs. The lessons she learned through the formation of these friendships were invaluable in understanding life is full of variety. She emerged from Coralwood as a sensitive team player. Her teachers often remark that Amelia is so helpful and sensitive to other children. We thank you Coralwood!”

HOLLY AND DANA RECTOR
FORMER CORALWOOD PARENTS



November 2012

| Sunday | Monday | Tuesday | Wednesday | Thursday | Friday | Saturday |
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| | | | | 1 | 2 Original Artworks sent home | 3 |
| 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 | 9 Casino Night- Adults Only | 10 |
| 11 | 12 | 13 | 14 | 15 Fall Performance 5:30 and Spirit Night at Maddio's 5:00-8:00 | 16 Thanksgiving Luncheon | 17 |
| 18 | 19 School Closed, Thanksgiving Holiday | 20 School Closed, Thanksgiving Holiday | 21 School Closed, Thanksgiving Holiday | 22 School Closed, Thanksgiving Holiday | 23 School Closed, Thanksgiving Holiday | 24 |
| 25 | 26 | 27 | 28 | 29 | 30 | |

"Coralwood is where miracles happen!.. It's just that simple ! Where reality meets hope, and with knowledge, love and compassion. Coralwood rehabilitates children and their parents' desperate and broken hearts!

We love Coralwood!"

- THE SMITH FAMILY





December 2012

| Sunday | Monday | Tuesday | Wednesday | Thursday | Friday | Saturday |
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| | | | | | | 1 |
| 2 | 3 | 4 Holiday Shop | 5 Holiday Shop | 6 Holiday Shop | 7 Holiday Shop | 8 |
| 9 Holiday Treats | 10 | 11 | 12 | 13 | 14 | 15 Parents Morning Out |
| 16 | 17 | 18 | 19 | 20 | 21 Winter Break Begins at End of Day | 22 |
| 23 | 24 School Closed Winter Break | 25 School Closed Winter Break | 26 School Closed Winter Break | 27 School Closed Winter Break | 28 School Closed Winter Break | 29 |
| 30 | 31 School Closed Winter Break | | | | | |



"Coralwood has great teachers. You can have a great experience. You will have extraordinary fun! Your child smarter than ever! They have a woods that it is called Coralwood. And they have a tree-house."

- S.A.M.
CORALWOOD ALUM

Our son's IEP goals, created at his previous school, were to be met within six months. After five weeks attending Coralwood, he met or exceeded all but one of his goals! At a quickly arranged IEP meeting, we expanded his social and educational targets, which I believe he will achieve with ease and joy because of his school environment.

Coralwood is an exemplary school that recognizes the significance of early education and its long-term value in our children's success. My son's highly qualified teachers go above and beyond every day because they care so much about each child. The inclusion model is the ideal arrangement for my son. He is thriving and loves school. Thank goodness for Coralwood!

- PAMELA KING,
CORALWOOD PARENT



January 2013

| Sunday | Monday | Tuesday | Wednesday | Thursday | Friday | Saturday |
|--------|------------------------------------|---|------------------------------------|------------------------------------|------------------------------------|--|
| | | 1 School Closed Winter Break | 2 School Closed Winter Break | 3 School Closed Winter Break | 4 School Closed Winter Break | 5 |
| 6 | 7 School Closed Winter Break | 8 First Day Back to School - Students return | 9 | 10 | 11 | 12 Saturday Parent Academy (SPA) |
| 13 | 14 | 15 | 16 | 17 | 18 | 19 |
| 20 | 21 School Closed, MLK Day | 22 | 23 | 24 | 25 | 26 |
| 27 | 28 | 29 | 30 | 31 | | |

“At 18 months, my son Robbie was showing signs of speech delay along with sensory issues related to pickiness with food and self regulation. We began speech occupational therapy 3-4 times a week. Robbie’s progress was slow and steady. He needed more than just therapy sessions, he needed to be understood and engaged by his teachers and therapists all day along with his peers. We knew we had to get Robbie into a better school that was educated on special needs. Robbie was evaluated at Coralwood Diagnostic Center a month before his 3rd birthday and when he turned three he was placed in Coralwood School for the next school year with a very thorough Individual Education Plan (IEP). After doing research on schools in the area, we were so excited and grateful to get a spot for him there. When Robbie started school he spoke about 10-20 spontaneous single words a day, he had started pointing as a form of communication—and he had finally started saying mommy! The first day he started Coralwood there was a change. After school, we asked him to get his shoes so we could go outside and play. That was the first day that he actually looked for and got his shoes! By the middle of his second year at Coralwood, Robbie talks in full sentences, understands and responds to our questions, has small conversations, talks from the moment he wakes until he goes to bed. With his budding language, comes emerging social qualities. I credit most of his progress to Coralwood and his awesome teachers and speech therapists who really understand him. And, of course, his typical peers who add to Robbie’s character every day. He still has a lot of work to do but he is on his way. Robbie is the hardest working person I know and we are very proud.”

WENDI AND JEFF BERKMAN
CORALWOOD PARENTS



February 2013

| Sunday | Monday | Tuesday | Wednesday | Thursday | Friday | Saturday |
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| | | | | | 1 | 2 |
| 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 | 9 |
| 10 | 11 Hawthorne Meeting for Rising First Graders 3:00 | 12 | 13 | 14 Grandparent's and Special Friend's Day | 15 | 16 |
| 17 | 18 School Closed – President's Day | 19 | 20 | 21 |  22 Coralwood 11th Annual Auction | 23 |
| 24 | 25 | 26 | 27 | 28 Conferences 3:30-5:30 and Family Meeting at 6:00 (Dinner at 5:30) | | |



Coralwood Annual Silent Auction

The annual auction is the primary fund-raiser for the Coralwood Foundation which exists to ensure that the children of Coralwood have a safe, nurturing and stimulating environment to address all their special needs. Join us for a fun and important evening Friday, February 22nd.

- Meet Coralwood's staff and parents
- Bid on everything from city venue tickets to vacation home rentals to a wide selection of services and items
- Enjoy a catered buffet and cocktails

<http://www.coralwoodschool.com/support/auction/index.php>

"Our son Jackson received an amazing amount of love and support during his four years at Coralwood. All of his teachers were truly exceptional people and professionals. Their commitment to being members of his team educated us to what is possible when he is properly supported and challenged. These lessons on how to be a strong advocate for all our children continue to influence our many educational decisions today. The many friends we made at Coralwood, both staff and parents, will always be an important part of our extended family."

-JENNY & DAVID BELL
FORMER CORALWOOD PARENTS



March 2013

| Sunday | Monday | Tuesday | Wednesday | Thursday | Friday | Saturday |
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| | | | | | 1 Family Reading Night 6:00pm | 2 |
| 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 School Closed | 9 |
| 10 | 11 | 12 | 13 | 14 | 15 | 16 |
| 17 | 18 | 19 | 20 | 21 Conferences 3:30-5:30 | 22 | 23 Run, Walk and Roll |
| 24 31 | 25 | 26 | 27 | 28 | 29 | 30 |



"The opportunity to develop new skills, enhance old skills, and expand our practical knowledge is just a portion of what the Foundation offers to staff members. The Coralwood Foundation offers a path for professional development opportunities, technology growth, and general support which allows us to become highly effective teachers and contributors to the Coralwood community."

-URSUAL DANIELS
CORALWOOD SPECIAL EDUCATION
KINDERGARTEN TEACHER

"Coralwood leadership has always demanded and acknowledged excellence. This expectation has been embraced by the entire staff, creating a model of early childhood education that has become respected throughout the country."

-LISA NASSER
CORALWOOD PRE-K TEACHER



April 2013

| Sunday | Monday | Tuesday | Wednesday | Thursday | Friday | Saturday |
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| | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 |
| 7 | 8 Spring Break | 9 Spring Break | 10 Spring Break | 11 Spring Break | 12 Spring Break | 13 |
| 14 | 15 Camp Incredible Applications Due | 16 | 17 | 18 | 19 | 20 |
| 21 | 22 | 23 | 24 | 25 | 26 | 27 |
| 28 | 29 Administrative Assistant Appreciation Day | 30 Spring Performance and Family Meeting at 5:00 | | | | |
| 30 | | | | | | |

Become a Coralwood leader.
Join the Coralwood Foundation Board

**2012 – 2013 Coralwood Foundation
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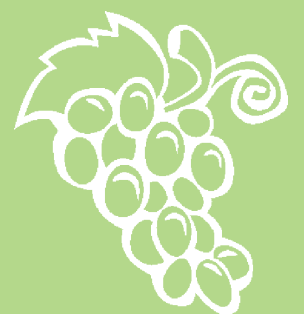
Jennifer Sedlack
IHM School



May 2013

| Sunday | Monday | Tuesday | Wednesday | Thursday | Friday | Saturday |
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| | | | 1 | 2 | 3 Camp Incredible Payments Due |  4 Coralwood Foundation's 5th Annual Grape Crush |
| 5 | 6 Teacher Appreciation Week | 7 Teacher Appreciation Week | 8 Teacher Appreciation Week | 9 Teacher Appreciation Week | 10 Teacher Appreciation Week | 11 |
| 12 | 13 | 14 | 15 | 16 | 17 Spring Fling | 18 |
| 19 | 20 | 21 | 22 | 23 | 24 Rain Date for Spring Fling | 25 |
| 26 | 27 No School- Memorial Day | 28 | 29 Last Day of School | 30 | 31 | |

May is Grape Crush Month!
Reserve the babysitter now and
then come enjoy a selection of
regional wines and catered buffet.



"Working at Coralwood has allowed me to be in
the company of a group of elite educators. The
Coralwood Foundation has provided me with
numerous opportunities for higher education
while encouraging me to follow through with
new and innovative projects through fund-
ing mini-grants. It is wonderful to work in an
environment where I truly feel supported and
valued for my hard work."

-HOLLY ADAMS
CORALWOOD SPECIAL EDUCATION TEACHER

income statement

| INCOME | Amount |
|---|---------|
| Contributions | 45,175 |
| Grants | 12,702 |
| Special Events Income | |
| Silent Auction Income, Net of Expenses of \$7,514 | 28,183 |
| Grape Crush Income, Net of Expenses of \$2,536 | 6,654 |
| Camp Incredible Income, Net of Expenses of \$19,531 | 194 |
| Total Special Events Income | 35,031 |
| Miscellaneous Revenue | 270 |
| Investment Income | |
| Dividends and Interest | 7,400 |
| Gain on value of long-term investments | 314 |
| Total Investment Income | 7,714 |
| Total Income | 100,892 |
| EXPENSES | |
| Development Fees and Expenses | 14,152 |
| Awards and Grants | 7,824 |
| Equipment, Landscaping, School Program Support | 13,369 |
| Conferences and Meetings | 4,548 |
| Administrative Expenses | 1,015 |
| Depreciation expense | 6,483 |
| Total Expenses | 47,391 |
| NET INCOME | 53,501 |



June 2013

Camp Incredible is a place for students to improve their social skills—the best predictor of future success in school and life. Camp Incredible’s “Superhero” theme features theatrical elements while also teaching students how to build appropriate social skills in a fun motivational way.

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| 9 | 10 Camp Incredible | 11 Camp Incredible | 12 Camp Incredible | 13 Camp Incredible | 14 Camp Incredible | 15 |
| 16 | 17 Camp Incredible | 18 Camp Incredible | 19 Camp Incredible | 20 Camp Incredible | 21 Camp Incredible | 22 |
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| 30 | | | | | | |

CAMP INCREDIBLE
CORALWOOD SCHOOL SUMMER CAMP 2012



Sponsored by
Coralwood Foundation

Thank you to the Coralwood Foundation for facilitating Camp Incredible this summer! My son attended the fun-filled educational summer camp and it was an amazing experience. The students were introduced to various fictional characters including superheroes and villains. This type of curriculum provided a great framework for my son and me to talk about social smarts in terms of these characters. I’ve used the lessons learned from this camp often as a way to re-direct behavior and as a reminder of other strategies to use when we’ve gotten stuck along the way. Thank you again for making this opportunity available to our community.

-SONYA VERRILL
CORALWOOD PARENT





balance sheet

CORALWOOD FOUNDATION, INC.
Statement of Financial Position as of June 30, 2012

| | |
|---|-----------------|
| ASSETS | |
| Current Assets | |
| Cash | \$32,142 |
| Accounts Receivable | 9,215 |
| Investment | |
| Capital Improvements Fund | 7,571 |
| Endowment Fund | <u>387,852</u> |
| Total Investment Assets | 395,423 |
| Fixed Assets | |
| Furniture, Equipment and Other Fixed Assets | 38,731 |
| Less Accumulated Depreciation | <u>(20,855)</u> |
| Net Fixed Assets | 17,876 |
| TOTAL ASSETS | 454,656 |
| LIABILITIES | |
| Accounts Payable | <u>1,224</u> |
| Total Liabilities | 1,224 |
| NET ASSETS | 453,432 |



July 2013

| Sunday | Monday | Tuesday | Wednesday | Thursday | Friday | Saturday |
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| 14 | 15 | 16 | 17 | 18 | 19 | 20 |
| 21 | 22 | 23 | 24 | 25 | 26 | 27 |
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| | | | End of Coralwood Financial Year | | | |



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