



Dance for All Call for Donations

Dance for All has been bringing joy and hope to children from disadvantaged backgrounds for nineteen years.

Gangsterism and drug use are rife in these areas and our dance programmes provide the opportunity for children to learn valuable skills while offering a positive, meaningful focus for their lives.

The present global economic situation impacts particularly heavily on the communities we serve, making our contribution to improving the lives of South Africa's youth even more essential now... and we need your help!

Dance for All's mission is to provide children in historically disadvantaged communities with the opportunity for enjoyment, promotion of self-esteem and empowerment through the medium of dance, as well as training professional dancers and developing a unique, indigenous dance company.



Dance for All Annual Fund Campaign

Our aim is to raise funds for our core annual operational costs. Many of the grants we receive are project specific and may not be used to cover operating costs, despite the fact that these play an essential role in sustaining our organisation.

How you can help

Individuals may choose a monthly or annual contribution that suits their pocket (see graphs overleaf).

Section 18A certificates for South African tax deductions are available on request.

Annual Fund contributors will receive quarterly invitations to attend special events.

Cheques (payable to Dance for All) may be posted to:
Dance for All Annual Fund Campaign
PO Box 385
Newlands, 7725
South Africa

Direct deposits may be made to:

Account name: Dance for All
Bank: Nedbank
Account no: 104805 5205
Branch code: 104 809
Swift code: NEDSZAJJ
IBAN: ZA10

Reference: AFC and your name

Please send your contact details to the above postal address or to DFA's fundraising manager
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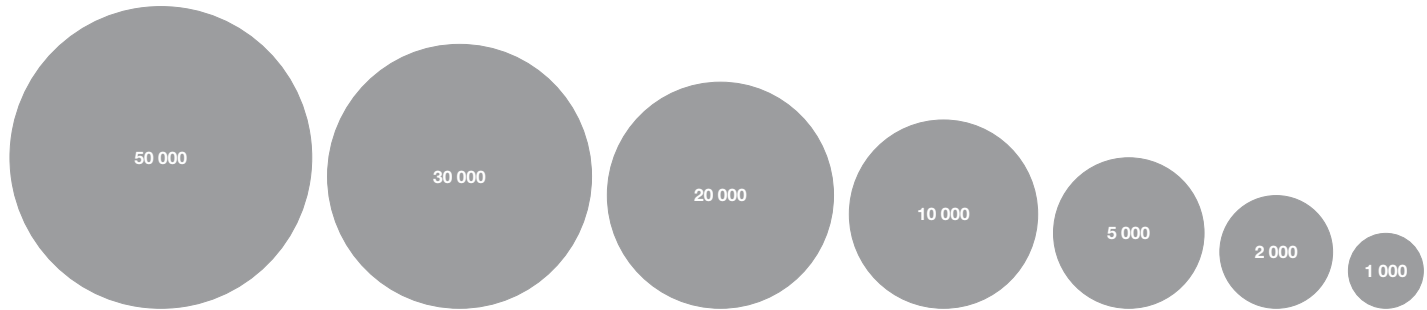
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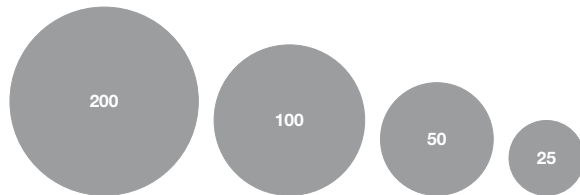
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Contribution options

(South African Rands)



Annual individual contribution options



Monthly individual contribution options

1USD = R7.80

1GBP = R12.80

1Euro = R11.50

Based on 29 October 2009 exchange rates at www.xe.com

Total contribution target
(South African Rands)



Contribution target:	3 000 000
Contributions received:	0
Contributions required:	3 000 000

Why support us?

Dance for All was founded in 1991 by Philip Boyd, a former principal dancer with CAPAB (now Cape Town City Ballet). From inception, DFA established itself as a sustainable, well-managed organisation. This stability resulted in exponential growth; we started with thirty-four children learning ballet in a classroom in Gugulethu, and today have over a thousand children participating in our outreach programmes. These consist of daily Ballet, African, Contemporary and Spanish dance classes and cover the historically disadvantaged communities of Gugulethu, Nyanga, Khayelitsha and Athlone, as well as the rural areas of Barrydale, Montagu, McGregor, Robertson and Bonnievale.

Beyond teaching dance, these classes encourage the children's creativity, self-discipline and confidence. Many report that they have better school grades because their concentration and memories have improved. These qualities flow into their daily life, underpinned by self-worth and a sense of purpose. Some of the children hope to become professional dancers where they can continue working with disadvantaged children.

Dance for All is a highly regarded school of dance; our students receive first-class training from a talented and diverse teaching team and we are training a new generation of professional South African dancers. Our Specialised Dance Programmes provide especially talented students with intensive dance training to prepare them for careers in the performing arts and the students have many opportunities to perform on stage.

Twenty DFA students have gone on to work professionally in the performing arts industry in South Africa and abroad.

DFA's professional company, InSPIRations Dance Company, ran two successful seasons in 2009; *Pieces of a Dream* and *Cotton Club Moves*. The company will continue to produce high-quality shows on a project

basis. InSPIRations gives young Dance for All dancers something to work towards as they aspire to be part of the company.

Noluyanda Mqulwana, one of the members of InSPIRations, started dancing with DFA at the age of nine. She has danced professionally abroad but returned to South Africa because of her passion for continuing DFA's work with disadvantaged children. Noluyanda is one of a number of DFA 'graduates' teaching at DFA and other organisations – highlighting the domino effect of our training programme.

Theo Ndindwa, DFA's founding male student, established his own dance company in Cape Town in 2007. Prior to this he spent a couple of years performing with dance companies in the UK, followed by a stint as a professional freelance dancer back in Cape Town.



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I have been through a lot of things and challenging stuff. Dance has helped me not be involved in bad things. It has taught me good things about life and my body's health. I would like to be a professional dancer and teach children... I would also like to own a dance studio that is made especially for the street kids so that they won't feel left alone. – **Odwa Makando, 15**

Dance has kept me away from crime and violence. Sometimes when I get home from dance classes my friends tell me someone's been murdered and there's fighting or something. That's why dance has improved my life. – **Avumile Roxwana, 14**



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