The Maryland Humanities Council is a private, educational charitable organization that stimulates and promotes informed dialogue and civic engagement on issues critical to Marylanders. Through collaborations with local partners in every county and Baltimore City, we offer the humanities both for their inherent pleasure and for their tremendous power to transform. Thank you for joining us on this journey.

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Letters About Literature, Baltimore

Let’s Be Shore, Practicing Democracy, Easton

One Maryland One Book and Baltimore Book Festival, Baltimore

Changing People’s Lives through the Humanities Every Single Day

The Maryland Humanities Council (MHC) experienced tremendous growth in 2012. This was possible through the extraordinary generosity of people like you: engaged, committed individuals who stepped up to provide financial support and attend MHC events.

Thanks to your belief in what we do, we expanded the number of programs we offer, the number of events we hold, the number of local organizations who collaborate with us, and the number of communities we reach.

We invite you to look back at the highlights of almost 700 free events. You will find people reading, talking, listening, and learning as part of MHC programs at schools, libraries, VFW halls, museums, parks, hospitals, and historic sites. You helped us reach nearly 700,000 Marylanders this past year through in-person activities, television and radio broadcasts, and online.

Thank you for continuing to support the humanities in Maryland. Together we can open eyes, open ears, and open minds.

Phoebe Stein Davis
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Program Activities: November 2010–October 2012

Where We Serve

- Literature & Medicine
- Events
- Conversations Bureau
- Book Festivals
- Maryland History Day

MDHC Programs

[Image of geographic map with counties and events marked]
The humanities provide some of the most foundational building blocks of learning—critical thinking, communicating complex ideas clearly, and applying a cultural, historical context to current events. Today we see an emphasis on STEM education—science, technology, engineering, and mathematics. Yet, it’s crucial to understand that, without the benefits of a grounding in the humanities, people wouldn’t be able to share, promote, and reflect on their discoveries and innovations effectively. Your support keeps the very necessary benefits of the humanities accessible to lifelong learners of all ages.

Journey Stories, Museum on Main Street, Brunswick

We’ve all been profoundly moved by a favorite novel, short story, poem, or play. Imagine writing a letter to your favorite author, sharing how his or her work made an impact on your outlook and life. That is just what several thousand Maryland 4th–10th graders do each year for Letters About Literature, a national competition. Maryland’s finalists are honored each spring, along with a dedicated educator who employs the program effectively in the classroom. The Sarbanes family—Baltimore City Public Schools’ Michael Sarbanes (far left), former Senator Paul Sarbanes (middle left), and Congressman John Sarbanes—are staunch supporters of the program and are on hand to personally congratulate winners.

Letters About Literature, Baltimore

Our beloved Chautauqua and Speakers Bureau give audiences of all ages an opportunity to discover more fully history’s overlooked or forgotten moments or take a deeper look at intriguing events of the past or present. Chautauqua’s actor-scholars present substantive, fact-based monologues as historical figures, such as President James Madison (right). Then they delve deeper into their storehouse of knowledge by engaging in in-character Q&A with audiences. These robust conversations stir much curiosity and debate and attract faithful audiences who return year after year. Speakers Bureau includes dozens of compelling scholarly presentations and living history performances hosted by community organizations statewide.

Chautauqua, La Plata

Journey Stories, Museum on Main Street, Brunswick

Chautauqua, La Plata
One Maryland One Book brings thousands of Marylanders together in vibrant discussion at hundreds of events throughout the state. It also brings authors to visit communities large and small each fall, inspiring readers of all ages. From Hagerstown to Huntingtown, Elkton to Easton, and points in-between, award-winning Canadian writer Steven Galloway (left) provoked much soul-searching with his inspired-by-true-events story of a city under siege and the resilience of the human spirit in the face of terror. *The Cellist of Sarajevo* touched readers of all ages.

**Maryland History Day** provides budding student researchers with tutorials, mentoring, and an opportunity to present their original research on a truly astounding breadth of topics. For the third year running, more than 18,000 Maryland middle and high school students across 17 counties participated, devoting an average of 70 hours to their projects. A study by our partners at National History Day has found that participants outperform their peers on state assessments not just in social studies, but in reading, science, and mathematics too! Our elected officials (left) understand the vital importance of this kind of humanities programming and often help honor Maryland’s finest young historians.
The humanities help us explore our humanity. Anyone can experience them and everyone “does them.” You are “doing” the humanities if you talk about the last time the Orioles were in a pennant race (that’s sports history!) What distinguishes the humanities programming offered by MHC every year is that we seek to bring diverse audiences together to share stories and consider alternative points of view. We define diversity much more broadly than just gender or ethnicity. We believe it also includes age, education, economic means, and sociopolitical perspective. Your support helps us honor diversity in all its forms and connect people from Maryland’s extraordinarily complex communities.

Conversation Bureau, Baltimore

With our Grants program, MHC is able to support humanities programming at organizations large and small throughout Maryland. We place particular importance on the ability to engage new, diverse audiences when awarding funds. Our grantees often leverage the “seal of approval” that an MHC grant bestows to secure necessary additional funding. A full list of 2012’s grantees can be found on page 11. Youth in Harford County (right) learned how to collect oral histories at the Hosanna School Museum as a companion project to the Journey Stories exhibition on display in their community.

Grant-funded Hosanna School Museum project, Darlington

Maryland History Day, Baltimore
When different generations come together to engage with the humanities, everyone benefits. Particularly profound is the impact on youth when they witness adults setting an example of careful consideration of other points of view or when their own humanities scholarship is recognized by parents and others.

Our awards ceremonies for Letters About Literature and Maryland History Day, as well as the Maryland History Day recognition in the Maryland Senate and House of Delegates, can inspire students for years to come and provide crucial networking opportunities.

When concerned individuals come together to practice respectful, civil dialogue around divisive issues, progress is possible. MHC makes great effort to ensure that multiple viewpoints are given voice and consideration at our discussion-based events. Practicing Democracy’s Let’s Be Shore project was able to bring business, agriculture, public policy, academic, and environmental interests together to share, listen, learn, and empathize with diverse perspectives. The conversation continues online at www.letsbeshore.org.
The humanities are treasured for the knowledge we gain from their exploration. They are also of tremendous social value, preparing us to be responsible, engaged citizens.

Your support helps us strengthen communities by employing the humanities to create safe spaces for open, respectful discussion of complex and divisive issues.

Our collaboration with the Smithsonian, Museum on Main Street, brings the immense resources of this national treasure to small communities throughout Maryland. Journey Stories visited Harford, Cecil, Frederick, Somerset, and Prince George’s Counties. The Harford County Public Library and Harford County Department of Community Services explored the storied past of Route 40, locals’ love affair with cars, and food on the move in a companion exhibit (right) and presented more than 70 related events.

Our annual summer series of Chautauqua living history performances explores pivotal moments in history, such as the War of 1812. The interactive Q&A period between audiences and both the character and the scholar allow for a deeper examination of motives, trends, and contemporary relevance. Entertaining musical and dramatic performances, such as one by the 257th Army Band (left), precede each show. This increases engagement and strengthens bonds between communities and regional artists.

Chautauqua, Germantown

Chautauqua, Easton

Journey Stories, Museum on Main Street, Abingdon
Journey Stories brought together the Brunswick Branch of the Frederick County Public Library and the Brunswick Railroad Museum to collaborate on a striking complementary local exhibit. Scenes from the town’s history filled the panoramic windows of the historic Kaplan Building, recalling the much-beloved Christmas tableaux from when the building housed a thriving department store. In addition, the arrival of Journey Stories helped jumpstart long-held plans for the Brunswick Visitor Center, now housed in the Museum.

Our award-winning Practicing Democracy program offered a series of dialogue events that played out in person and online throughout the Lower, Middle, and Upper Shore. Let’s Be Shore urged residents to consider the interrelation of land use, water quality, and economic development. Participants shared their perspectives on the unique character of the Eastern Shore.

Video documentaries, audio interviews, and photographs of iconic Eastern Shore scenes spurred stories and discussion across boundaries of age, ethnicity, profession, geography, and education. In Wicomico County, MHC collaborated with Salisbury University’s Institute for Public Affairs & Civic Engagement and Sustainable Delmarva to bring more than 120 concerned residents together to respond to diverse viewpoints offered in video portraits produced by award-winning filmmaker Doug Sadler.
The Maryland Humanities Council is able to serve every corner of the state thanks to our amazing local partners. The following is just a partial list of the hundreds of educational, historical, and cultural organizations that help bring the humanities to your community.

### Allegany County
- Allegany Arts Council
- Allegany County Historical Society
- Allegany County Library
- Allegany County Public Schools
- Bishop Walsh School
- Frostburg ECHOSTARS
- Frostburg State University

### Anne Arundel County
- Anne Arundel County Public Library
- Anne Arundel County Public Schools
- Benjamin Franklin Learning Center
- Community Mediation Maryland
- Indian Creek Upper School
- Maryland State Archives
- Montessori International Children's House
- Severn School
- Shady Side Rural Heritage Society
- Ship's Company
- South County Senior Center
- St. Anne's School of Annapolis
- St. Martin's in-the-Field Day School
- St. Mary's High School
- Summit School

### Baltimore City
- AARP Experience Corps Baltimore City
- Art on Purpose
- B&O Railroad Museum
- Baltimore Book Festival
- Baltimore City Public Schools
- Baltimore National Heritage Area
- Baltimore Office of Promotion and the Arts
- Baltimore Symphony Orchestra
- CENTERSTAGE
- CityLit Project
- Enoch Pratt Free Library
- Greater Baltimore Cultural Alliance
- Loyola/Notre Dame Library
- Maryland Center for Career and Technology Education Studies
- Maryland Historical Society
- Maryland State Department of Education
- Maryland State Library for the Blind & Physically Handicapped
- MedStar Good Samaritan Hospital
- Mercy Medical Center
- Montgomery-Vocational-Technical High School
- Mount Clare Museum House
- Mount Saint Joseph High School
- Peabody Institute
- Railroad Historical District Corporation
- St. Casimir Catholic School
- St. Francis Neighborhood Center
- The Bryn Mawr School
- The Governor's Office on Service and Volunteerism
- The GreenMount School
- The Society for the Preservation of Federal Hill and Fell's Point
- The Walters Art Museum
- University of Baltimore Foundation
- University of Maryland Medical Center
- Village Learning Place
- Waverly Family Center
- WYPR 88.1 FM

### Baltimore County
- Baltimore County Department of Aging
- Baltimore County Public Library
- Baltimore County Public Schools
- Calvert Hall College High School
- Catonsville Senior Center
- Community College of Baltimore County, Catonsville
- Goucher College
- Hampton National Historical Site
- Maryland Public Television
- Maryland Youth Film Festival
- MedStar Franklin Square Medical Center
- Notre Dame Preparatory School
- Pickersgill Retirement Community
- Senior Box Office
- St. Joseph School, Fullerton
- St. Paul's School
- The Boys' Latin School of Maryland
- The Ivy Bookshop
- Towson University
- University of Maryland, Baltimore County

### Calvert County
- Calvert County Office on Aging
- Calvert County Public Schools
- Calvert Library
- Calvert Marine Museum
- Cardinal Hickey Academy
- Jefferson Patterson Park and Museum

### Carroll County
- Carroll County Public Library
- Carroll County Public Schools
- Fairhaven Retirement Community
- Historical Society of Carroll County

### Cecil County
- Cecil County Arts Council
- Cecil County Office of Tourism
- Cecil County Public Library
- Cecil County Public Schools
- Elkton United Methodist Church
- Historical Society of Cecil County

### Charles County
- Archbishop Spalding High School
- Charles County Public Library
- Charles County Public Schools
- College of Southern Maryland
- Grace Christian Academy
- Grace Lutheran School
- Indian Head Senior Center
- St. Mary's High School
- St. Mary's Bryantown School

### District of Columbia
- Library of Congress
- National Book Festival
- SITES: Smithsonian Institution Traveling Exhibition Service

### Dorchester County
- Dorchester County Public Schools
- Frederick County
- Brunswick Railroad Museum
- Delaplaine Visual Arts and Education Center
- Frederick Arts Council
- Frederick County Public Libraries
- Frederick County Public Schools
- Hood College
- Weinberg Center for the Arts

### Garrett County
- Garrett College
- Garrett County Public Schools
- Garrett Lakes Arts Festival
- Ruth Enlow Library

### Harford County
- Friends of Concord Point Lighthouse
- Grace Christian Academy
- Harford Community College
- Harford County Department of Community Services
- Harford County Public Library
- Harford County Public Schools
- Josanna School Museum
- St. Joan of Arc School
- St. Margaret School

### Howard County
- Glenelg Country School
- Howard County Public School System

### Kent County
- Garfield Center for the Arts
- Historical Society of Kent County
- Kent County Public Library
- Kent County Public Schools
- Roland Park Village School
- Sustainable Delmarva
- Washington College

### Montgomery County
- Academy of the Holy Cross
- AmeriCorps/Project CHANGE
- Art & Remembrance
- Bullis School
- Charles E. Smith Jewish Day School
- Christ Episcopal School
- Docs in Progress
- Gaithersburg Book Festival
- Grace Episcopal Day School
- Green Acres School
- Montgomery College
- Montgomery County Historical Society
- Montgomery County Public Libraries
- Montgomery County Public Schools
- Montrose Christian School
- Our Lady of Mercy School
- Project Change
- St. Catherine Laboure School
- St. John the Baptist Catholic School
- St. Jude Regional Catholic School
- St. Peter's Catholic School
- Washington Episcopal School

### Prince George's County
- Bensalem Academy
- Friends Community School
- Laurel Historical Society
- National History Day
- Prince George's Arts & Humanities Council
- Prince George's Community College
- Prince George's County Historical & Cultural Trust
- Prince George's County Memorial Library System
- Prince George's County Public Schools
- Riverdale Presbyterian Church
- St. Ambrose School
- St. Matthias Apostolic School
- Queen Anne's County
- Queen Anne's County Free Library
- Queen Anne's County Public Schools

### Somerset County
- Moxie Gallery, University of Maryland Eastern Shore
- Somerset County Library System
- Somerset County Public Schools

### St. Mary's County
- College of Southern Maryland
- Fairhead Academy
- Father Andrew White School
- Historic St. Mary's City Foundation
- Historic Sotterley
- Montgomery Hall, St. Mary's College of Maryland
- St. Mary's College of Maryland
- St. Mary's High School
- St. Mary's County Public Schools
- St. Mary's Ryken School

### Talbot County
- Unitarian Universalist Church of Hagerstown
- Washington County Board of Education
- Washington County Free Library
- Talbot County Public Libraries

### Washington County
- Unitarian Universalist Church of Hagerstown
- Washington County Board of Education
- Washington County Free Library
- Washington County Public Schools

### Wicomico County
- Edward H. Nabb Research Center for Delmarva History and Culture, Salisbury University
- PACE: Institute for Public Affairs and Civic Engagement, Salisbury University
- Shore Corps/PALS
- Ward Museum of Wildfowl Art
- Wicomico County Public Libraries
- Wicomico Public Library

### Worcester County
- Worcester County Library
- Worcester County Public Schools
- Worcester Preparatory School
## 2012 Grant Awards

### Allegany County
- Appalachian Independent
  - One Vision/Many Voices
  - $8,000

### Baltimore City
- B&O Railroad Museum
  - Lincoln’s Train Trips
  - $6,800
- Baltimore Choral Arts Society
  - “Land of the Free” Choral Conversation
  - $1,200
- CENTERSTAGE
  - Community Engagement Programs for
  - *The Whipping Man*
  - $7,900
- Directing Dissent
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  - $7,000
- Maryland Historical Society
  - Living History Outreach
  - $9,000
- University of Baltimore Foundation
  - West Meets East: Chinese Films in America
  - $1,200
- The Walters Art Museum
  - The African Presence in Renaissance Europe:
    - Our History/Whose History
  - $9,000
- Baltimore County
  - University of Maryland, Baltimore County: Center for Art, Design & Visual Culture
    - For All the World to Hear: Stories from the Struggle for Civil Rights
    - $8,000
- Calvert County
  - Calvert Library
    - Scholars Talk About Lincoln: The Constitution & the War
    - $500
  - Calvert Marine Museum Society
    - Distance Learning at the Calvert Marine Museum
    - $2,500
- Caroline County
  - Adkins Arboretum
    - Exploring Nature’s Role in the Underground Railroad Audio Tour
    - $8,000

### Harford County
- Harford County Public Library
  - Journey Stories Programming
  - $5,000

### Hosanna School Museum
- Lost and Found: The Forgotten Communities of Aberdeen Proving Ground (Journey Stories Youth Oral History Project)
  - $1,200

### Prince George’s County
- Laurel Historical Society
  - Tasting Laurel: A Program Series
  - $500
- University of Maryland:
  - Clarice Smith Performing Arts Center
    - Fortune’s Bones: The Manumission Requiem
    - $9,000

### St. Mary’s County
- Historic St. Mary’s City Foundation
  - Race and Representation
  - $900

### Talbot County
- Academy Art Museum
  - Juneteenth Celebration
  - $1,200

### Wicomico County
- Ward Museum of Wildfowl Art
  - Maryland Masters: Edwin Remsberg’s Portraits of Maryland Traditions
  - $1,200

Grants Awarded in Fiscal Year 2012:
19 totaling $86,900

Total Community Match: $510,008

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**Expenses**

- Program Services: 42.5%
- Grants to Organizations: 44.5%
- Fundraising: 5.6%
- Management: 7.4%

**Income**

- National Endowment for the Humanities: 33%
- Cost Sharing: 52%
- Earned Income: 6%
- Corporations, Foundations & Individuals: 8%
- State of Maryland: 1%

**Statements of Financial Position: FY12**

**Assets**
- Cash: $374,014
- Grants & Accounts Receivables: $313,558
- Prepaid Expense: $19,013
- Property and Equipment: $205,552
- Security Deposits: $2,500
- Total: $914,637

**Liabilities and Fund Balances**

**Liabilities**
- Accounts Payable and Accrued Expenses: $46,858
- Regrants Payable: $13,830
- Loans Payable: $47,634
- Subtotal: $108,372

**Fund Balances**
- Net Assets - Unrestricted: $399,629
- Net Assets - Temporarily Restricted: $379,636
- Subtotal: $779,265
- Total: $887,637

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**Journey Stories, Museum on Main Street, Brunswick**

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