



2012 Annual Report



Leadership for the
21st Century



A Letter from the President



Because of NYC, I've learned more about myself, who I want to be, and how to be comfortable in my own skin.

Jazzmine Herrera
South 3, 2012



Dear Friends,

Thank you for your continued support of Northwest Youth Corps (NYC). In 2012, we helped more than 1,100 youth and young adults develop critical skills such as teamwork, responsibility, and a solid work ethic, that will help them become the leaders of tomorrow. Northwest Youth Corps is a challenging program, and we hope you share our pride in the tenacity these young men and women showed in meeting the challenge head on.

In 2012, NYC crews worked more than 186,000 hours, to improve trails, restore land, and maintain habitat across a five state area. Additionally, youth spent more than 21,000 hours in education, which allowed them to earn high school credit. Meanwhile, 50 students progressed towards a high school diploma through NYC's accredited, field-based Outdoor High School, and our youngest participants, ages 7 to 11, made a connection to the outdoors and learned about organic farming through our YouthGrow program.

In 2013, we will continue our tradition of offering high quality experiential programs by launching our 21st Century Leadership Strategic Plan. This ambitious plan will allow us to serve greater numbers of youth, increase the scope of programs we offer, and allow us to complete campus renovations during the next three years.

Northwest Youth Corps is about all of us working together - resource management agencies, foundations, corporations, and individual donors - to create opportunities for our greatest asset, youth. As you read through this Annual Report, please consider supporting Northwest Youth Corps by sponsoring a work project, providing a donation, or helping us spread the word about our efforts to develop 21st Century Leaders today.

Thank you,

Erik Jensen
President of the Board



At NYC I learned I'm a lot stronger than I give myself credit for, I can work well with others, and my "personal limits" go beyond - WAY further than I thought.

Chase Baker
Teens 'n' Trail 1, 2012



Leadership for the 21st Century

NYC is committed to helping youth and young adults learn, grow, and experience success. Each participant graduates better prepared to thrive in an increasingly dynamic environment. NYC is invested in real outcomes for today's youth, to help them become tomorrow's leaders.



Workforce Development. For more than 28 years, NYC's programs have helped prepare youth for the workforce: giving them opportunities to earn a paycheck, and contribute to their household income. In 2012, when youth unemployment was at an all-time high, NYC participants and crew leaders earned more than \$1.4 million in stipends and wages, as well as solid job references that are vital to future employment.

Community Development. Through NYC, young men and women accomplish visible and valued public work that contributes to the local economy by enhancing recreational areas, protecting fisheries, restoring wildlife habitat, and building parks. Completed projects improve recreational assets that attract tourists, stimulating local economies.



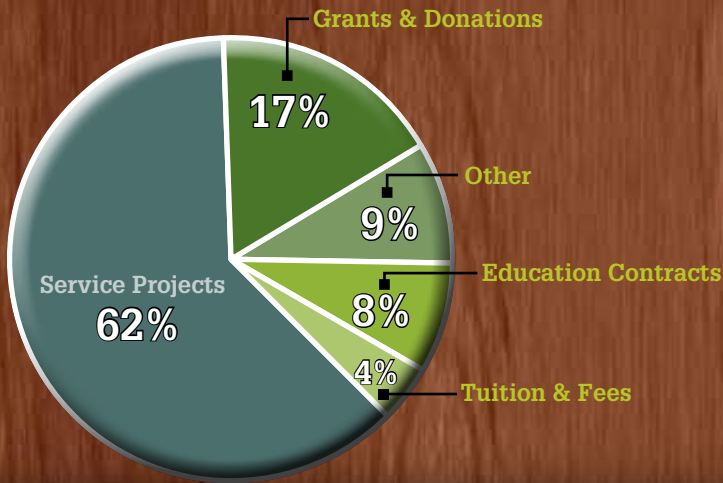
Strength through partnerships. Northwest Youth Corps works in partnership with more than one hundred federal, state, and local agencies as well as many private organizations and land managers. Through the strength of our partnerships and the continued investment of community stakeholders, we are able to leverage the resources it takes to provide the NYC experience to increasing numbers of youth each year.



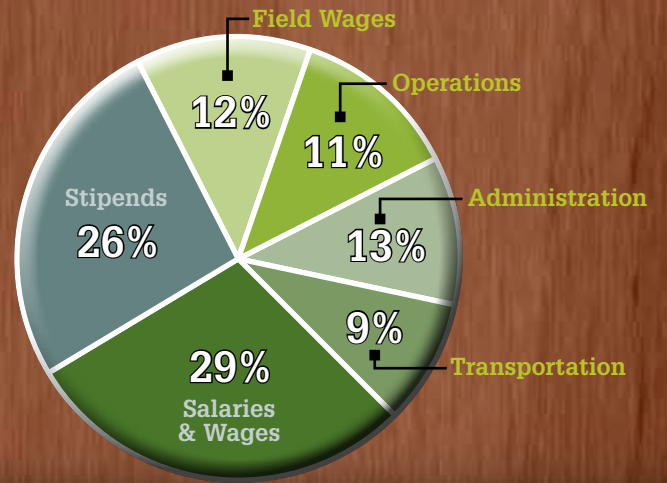
2012 By The Numbers



Revenues \$4,129,529



Expenditures \$4,078,059



Number of Youth Served:

	1984	1994	2002	2012
	58	409	735	1,040

Number of Partners:

	1984	1994	2002	2012
	12	33	69	112

Total Project Hours in 2012:
186,000

Trails Built/Maintained in 2012:
600 Miles

Land Restored in 2012:
2,700 Acres

Total Education Hours in 2012:
71,000

Gifts and Donations



Gifts and Grants

We couldn't do it without you!

Every year our generous donors made it possible for NYC to serve youth. We want to recognize - with our special thanks - the community members, alumni, parents, foundations, businesses, and agencies for the important role they play in NYC's growth and development. Thank you for helping us help youth achieve success.

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U.S. Army Corps of Engineers

- The Dalles
- Portland
- Rogue River Basin

BLM

Oregon

- Burns District
- Coos Bay District
- Eugene District
- Lakeview District
- Medford District
- Roseburg District
- Salem District

Arizona

- Kingman District

Idaho

- Adams County Weed Management Authority Council
- Friends of Weiser River Trail

Washington

- Adams County Soil & Water District
- Mason County Parks

Oregon

- City of Corvallis
- City of Fossil
- City of Hillsboro
- City of Seaside
- City of Silverton
- City of West Linn
- City of Wilsonville
- City of Sandy
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- Sanipac
- Oregon Track Club
- EWEB
- Friends of Buford Park
- Friends of Hendricks Park
- Hendricks Hill Homeowners Association
- Lane County Waste Management
- Spencer Butte Homeowners Association
- Marion County
- McKenzie River Trust
- Mount Pisgah Arboretum

NYC gave me direction in life and gave me the skill-set to tackle any problem I have been faced with since my first session about three years ago. NYC is my HERO

Josh R Abel BLP 2012



- The Nature Conservancy
- Neighbors For a Livable West Linn
- Oregon Department of Forestry Western Lane District
- Spencer Butte Neighborhood Association
- Willamalane Parks and Recreation District
- Lomakatsi
- Klamath Basin Rangeland Trust
- Tualatin Hills Parks and Recreation District
- Youth in Nature Partnership
- Port of Portland
- Mary's River Watershed Council
- Klamath County
- Klamath Lake Land Trust
- Klamath Watershed Partnership
- Middle Fork Willamette Watershed Council

National Park Service

- Crater Lake National Park
- Lewis and Clark National Historic Park
- John Day Fossil Bed National Monument

Oregon State Parks and Recreation

- LL Stub Stewart State Park
- Columbia Gorge Management Unit
- Silver Falls State Park
- Southern Willamette Management Unit
- Silver Falls State Park

USFS Region I

- Idaho Panhandle National Forest
- Sandpoint Ranger District

USFS Region III

Apache-Sitgreaves National Forest

- Alpine Ranger District

Coronado National Forest

- Douglas Ranger District
- Sierra Vista Ranger District

- Santa Catalina Ranger District

USFS Region IV

Boise National Forest

- Idaho City Ranger District

Payette National Forest

- Krassel Ranger District
- McCall Ranger District
- Weiser Ranger District

Salmon-Challis National Forest

- North Fork Ranger District

Caribou-Targhee National Forest

- Soda Springs/Montpelier Ranger District

Sawtooth National Forest

- Ketchum Ranger District
- Fairfield Ranger District

USFS Region V

Klamath National Forest

- Goosenest Ranger District
- Happy Camp Ranger District

Six Rivers National Forest

- Orleans Ranger District
- Smith River NRA

USFS Region VI

Colville National Forest

- Republic Ranger District

Deschutes National Forest

- Bend-Fort Rock Ranger District
- Sisters Ranger District

Fremont-Winema National Forest

- Lakeview Ranger District
- Chemult Ranger District

Malheur National Forest

- Emigrant Creek Ranger District
- Prairie City Ranger District

Mt. Baker-Snoqualmie National Forest

- Skykomish Ranger District
- Snoqualmie Ranger District

Mt. Hood National Forest

- Barlow Ranger District
- Clackamas Ranger District

- Hood River Ranger District
- Zig Zag Ranger District

Ochoco National Forest

- Lookout Mountain Ranger District
- Paulina Ranger District

Rogue River National Forest

- High Cascades Ranger District

Siskiyou National Forest

- Gold Beach Ranger District
- Wild Rivers Ranger District

Siuslaw National Forest

- Central Coast Ranger District
- Hebo Ranger District

Umatilla National Forest

- Heppner Ranger District
- North Fork John Day Ranger District
- Walla Walla Ranger District

Umpqua National Forest

- Tiller Ranger District
- North Umpqua Ranger District
- Diamond Lake Ranger District

Wenatchee-Okanogan National Forest

- Wenatchee River Ranger District
- Cle Elum Ranger District
- Naches Ranger District
- Chelan Ranger District
- Entiat Ranger District
- Methow Valley Ranger District

Willamette National Forest

- McKenzie River Ranger District
- Middle Fork Ranger District
- Sweethome Ranger District

US Fish and Wildlife

- William L. Finley National Wildlife Refuge
- Tualatin National Wildlife Refuge
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- Ankeny National Wildlife Refuge



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