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The Wachovia Foundation awarded a grant to the Passport Initiative to help expand the AVID program to Manteo High School and Cape Hatteras Secondary School.

The Outer Banks Community Foundation, \$6500

The Outer Banks Community Foundation awarded a grant to the Dare Education Foundation in support of piloting the Strings Program at First Flight Middle School. The grant was used to purchase violins, music and music stands to begin the program.

The Outer Banks Visitors Bureau, \$80,000

The OBVB awarded grants totaling \$80,000 to help the Dare Education Foundation and the Outer Banks Relief Foundation draw thousands of visitors here for the OBX®Marathon. The event gave a boost to the business community during the fall shoulder season and raised money for the two foundation causes.

Endowment

The following contributor made an investment in our future by making a donation to the Dare Education Foundation Endowment Fund, managed by the Outer Banks Community Foundation.

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