

### **The “Foundation Station”**

The Manitou Springs Education Foundation (MSEF) works together with the leadership and teachers of Manitou Springs School District to support and enrich the academic and community programs of District #14. MSEF is especially dedicated to international studies and foreign languages; arts and the community; civic education, service learning, and leadership development. Below is a list of opportunities MSEF supported last spring:

- Mbuni Ball Cultural Event and Silent Auction will provide for 2 mini-grant cycles
- Student Art Banners along Manitou Ave and in Green Mountain Falls
- Student Art Calendars in partnership with “Friends of the Library”
- \$1,000 scholarship to Renee Mendieta MSHS 2010 graduate, Secondary Education Major
- Over \$2,700 awarded to the following Spring Mini-Grant Projects:
  - MSMS- digital camera and scanner for yearbook and journalism courses
  - MSHS- new computer for the Radio Station
  - UPE- Needy Child Fund
  - MSHS- Scholarship students to be CPR/First Aid certified
  - Concrete Couch-HS Bench Project and MS Lantern Parade Project
  - UPE-Sponsored Destination Imagination at National Competition

Coming soon:

- MSEF Website: [manitouspringseducationfoundation.org](http://manitouspringseducationfoundation.org)
- **Fall Mini-Grant Applications due Oct 16<sup>th</sup>, winners announced Nov. 1st**