



# ANNOUNCEMENTS

## CDSS Grants Update

CDSS Grant funds typically support events and projects that include in-person participation. Since demand for such funding is low during the pandemic, we are currently accepting applications for the following categories on a rolling case-by-case basis, as finances allow:

- **NEW! Equity and anti-racism training for organizers or communities**
- **Publishing instruction materials (print, web, audio, video)**
- **Related endeavors that will have a lasting effect on dance, music, and song communities**

For application information, visit [cdss.org/grants](https://cdss.org/grants), and email [resources@cdss.org](mailto:resources@cdss.org) with questions.

## 2019 Annual Report

Our 2019 Annual Report is now available online. Looking back on 2019—the richness of dance, music, and song activity and community building, the magic of camps, and our sense of forward momentum—makes us both grateful for what we have and wistful for the world of just a few months ago. See the full report at [cdss.org/2019-annual-report](https://cdss.org/2019-annual-report).



## Thank You!

We didn't know what to expect when we reached out to you in April asking for your help in meeting an urgent fundraising need in the face of cancelled camps, help that would allow us to move forward with crucial initiatives both planned and in response to the pandemic.

**We are thrilled to report that you, our incredible community of members and friends, didn't just answer the call, you went above and beyond.**

You knocked our socks off, friends, boosting morale considerably around here, and sending us the kind of support that has kept us charging forward as hard as we can during this unprecedented year.

This is only the beginning of a challenging road into the unknown, and we're going to have to support each other along the way. So thank you, from the bottom of our hearts, for supporting us as we strive to learn, listen, and lead during this time of great change and upheaval.



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