

Our vision is to lead teen girls in the California Juvenile Justice System toward accountability - to themselves, to others and to their community. By providing practical tools to effect behavioral change, we aspire to be a nationally recognized method for the effective treatment of at-risk adolescent girls, particularly in the juvenile justice system.

# self-awareness, self-respect & self-control



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"I like expressing my feelings in art and yoga. It is a positive way to check in with yourself. I am able to control my feelings, when I get upset I am able to walk away from a bad situation and breathe to calm myself down." AYP Participant



### Annual Report 2010







## **Financials**

Statement of Financial Position as of June 30, 2010 [unaudited]

#### Assets

Cash and Cash Equivalents	\$ 277,379
Fixed Assets, Net	937
	\$ 278,316
Net Assets	
Unrestricted	\$278,316
Temporarily Restricted	-
	278,316
	\$ 278,316

Statement of Activities for the Year Ended June 30, 2010 [unaudited]

Revenue Contributed	
Foundations and Corporations	\$ 179,849
Individuals	43,180
Public Funding	108,511
Events	27,565
	359,105
Earned	4,278
	\$363,383
Expenses	
Program Expenses	\$204,695
Management and Administrative Expense	s 51,662
Fundraising Expenses	28,674
	\$ 285,031
Increase in Unrestricted Net Assets	\$ 78,352
Increase in Temporarily Restricted Net Assets	

Increase in Temporarily Restricted Net Assets	
Total Increase in Net Assets	78,352
Net Assets, Beginning of Year	199,964
Net Assets, End of Year	\$ 278,316

The Art of Yoga Project is a 501(c)(3) non-profit organization. Tax ID Number: 20-2448697

"The Art of Yoga Project has strong leadership, a clear and important mission, and a well-designed program with a track record of success with at-risk girls." The Hon. Marta Diaz, Supervising Juvenile Judge, San Mateo County Superior Court

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Special thanks to: Honorable Marta Diaz Honorable Catherine Gallagher Honorable Margaret S. Johnson

The Art of Yoga Project would like to recognize all of its dedicated mentors, yoga instructors and artists many who generously donate their time.

Summer, Fall, Winter and Spring are, to most people, just seasons. At The Art of Yoga Project (AYP) we use the seasons to inspire and focus our innovative curriculum. Throughout the year, we guide over 500

young women incarcerated in the San Francisco Bay Area to use yoga and creative expression as tools for their empowerment, rehabilitation, healing and well-being.

Our gender-responsive program assists girls by giving them safe ways to push limits and test boundaries. Through meditative movement and art, we invite them to explore themes of body image, communication, anger-management, relationships, resiliency and accountability. All year long we provide a dynamic and vigorous experience to challenge them physically, mentally and emotionally.

Last Summer, we matched trained voginis as mentors or "moginis" with girls in our program. The girls expressed appreciation for having a positive adult role model and the mentor-mentee relationship helped the girls continue their journey to build self-awareness, self-respect and self-control as they transitioned back into their communities.

During Fall, we focused on building a stronger funding base to support our extensive programming in three counties. We ran our first ever annual campaign, held many successful fundraising events and focused on attracting new foundations. We also received partial funding in two counties.

In Winter, our leadership team confirmed our goals to serve each girl more completely. We envision a "Holistic Continuum" of Care" for girls in the juvenile justice system and plan to continue to develop after-care programs with community partners. We strive to be experts at working in both detention-based and rehabilitation centers and to refine a nationally recognized model.

This Spring, we welcomed additional staff and accepted two new AYP Affiliates from Minnesota and Idaho. We shared our expertise and learning through our professional training program that builds on our best practices for delivering the highest quality, trauma-informed, strength-based and gender-responsive programming.

Throughout the seasons we have been supported by a wonderful community of people - from the dedicated women who serve on our board, to the skilled program staff of voga teachers and artists, to the generosity of our donors, community partners and our volunteer administrative team - together they all give so charitably to support our mission. Thank you for a wonderful year.

With deep gratitude - Namaste!

Lisa Pedersen **Executive Director** 

Dear Friends.