



### **Whole Again International**

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#### Organization History:

Whole Again International (WAI) was organized in October, 2004, in Cincinnati, Ohio. It was founded by World Outreach Christian Church (WOCC) and remains a strategic partner for community outreach. WAI focuses on the nutritional, physical fitness, and academic needs of children from lower-income families.

WAI was granted funds from the Governor's Office of Faith Based and Community Initiatives to provide academic enrichment in reading to all 1,300 children participating at its 21 sites. WAI has employed 21 Enrichment Program directors and 110 Educational Para-professionals to implement the enrichment program to the children. In 2010, WAI hired an Executive Director and began board development.

#### Organization Mission:

Whole Again International provides meals, educational and recreational enrichment programming for underserved youth and their families to have a healthy mind, body and spirit.

#### Current Programming:

SVP is working with Whole Again International's programs that are primarily focused on the nutritional, physical fitness and academic needs of children from low-income families. WAI's featured program, the Summer Food and Enrichment Program (SFEP), was established to improve the overall quality of life for these children. The SFEP has operated successfully since 2005, growing from the original 8 sites to 21 feeding/enrichment sites in 2010. In the first year, 200 children were served; by the summer of 2010, an average of 1,300 children per day were fed and enriched at the WAI sites. In their six years of providing meals and enrichment to underserved youth, WAI has established themselves as a needed provider within the community.

#### SVP and Whole Again International:

The partnership between SVP and WAI has gotten off to a strong start and the relationship between the organizations has already proven to have a positive impact on both organizations. SVP is currently working with WAI on board development, strategic and annual planning, fundraising and their financial budget. One early positive outcome that has already come to fruition is the utilization of local college co-op students to help out with the enrichment programs.

To visit Whole Again International's website, go to <http://wholeagainintl.org/>.