



NEWSLETTER

Alex Haunty's Theater & Arts Fund, Inc.

2025-2026 Update

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"Seeing a Broadway show live helps people with disabilities grow as individuals and learn new skills." Alex Haunty

Celebrating Transformational Friendships

This summer was filled with many exciting opportunities! Along with artists from ArtWorking—a nonprofit that provides career support for artists with disabilities—and several artists from Inspiring Hope Ministries (IHM), Alex had the privilege of showcasing his art in the Overture Center's Gallery.



Later that summer, we brought over 100 friends from ArtWorking and IHM (our sister organization) and beyond to visit the gallery and see the Broadway hit *Wicked!* As we gathered, there was no shortage of high fives, hugs, and smiles.

Afterwards, we met for a special dinner to share our thoughts and reflections on what we experienced. The show's message of overcoming other's negative expectations and our own challenges deeply inspired us. We were also very moved by the unlikely friendship of Glinda and Elphaba, two very different people, growing and encouraging one another which was captured in the song "For Good." [See the summary video here \(bit.ly/4rGMXEi\)!](https://bit.ly/4rGMXEi)



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Alex Haunty's Theater & Arts Fund Inc. is a nonprofit organization and is seeking donations so that more people with disabilities can experience the theater and the arts. To learn more about



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Thank You!



We're so thankful to Brian and Mindy Hensen and Ed and Toni Deutschlander for helping sponsor our after party dinner! It was so wonderful to get to sit down with each other, enjoy some excellent food, and celebrate the show!



Over the last 11 years, Alex has raised over \$70,000 to take his friends with disabilities to "experience the awesomeness of Broadway shows," and he has no plans of stopping. In 2026, he's excited to bring more people to *Back to the Future* (March) and *Beauty and the Beast* (May).

Looking Ahead

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Alex Haunty's Theater and Arts Fund, Inc. (AHTAFI) is a nonprofit organization making a difference by helping create access to the arts for people with disabilities and giving them the opportunity to shine. AHTAFI provides special experiences of premier Broadway and theater shows, and helps develop workshops and performance opportunities in art, music, and theater.