

## LFFTA PRESS RELEASE

Lillette's Foundation for the Arts has expanded to undertake a new and exciting program.

In an effort to reach and assist more performing arts students, we have decided to launch a new pilot project. This program will be an 8-day intensive "Summer Music Boot Camp" designed to help students that have musical talents to round out their talents with theory, appreciation, history and musicianship. It was created to enhance the success and bridge the theory curriculum between the middle and the high school music programs.

Lillette's Foundation for the Arts in cooperation with Booker High School, which currently has a VPA program that enables students to excel in the field of performing arts, will launch this program in June 2009. Lillette Jenkins Wisner, the founder and CEO of the foundation, as one of her many community activities, has performed in the Booker VPA Theatre with a benefit concert in support of preserving the program.

Fifteen to twenty talented students will have the opportunity to participate in the "Summer Music Boot Camp" by successfully completing the application and audition process. Applications are currently being accepted by the Foundation and can be downloaded by logging on to [www.lillettesfoundation.org](http://www.lillettesfoundation.org). The deadline for applications has been extended to May 15, 2009.