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## **MW El Futuro Kennett Receives Mushroom Festival Grant**

KENNETT SQUARE, PA: Mighty Writers El Futuro Kennett, an educational and community center in Toughkenamon, Pennsylvania, that's part of the literacy nonprofit [Mighty Writers](#), has been awarded \$1,000 by the Kennett Square Mushroom Festival, the organization announced. The grant comes from proceeds from the 2022 Mushroom Festival.

Each year, proceeds from the Mushroom Festival are awarded to local community organizations and nonprofit organizations. Over the past 20 years, the Festival has donated more than \$1 million to local organizations for things like books, playground equipment, food, transportation and more.

"We are honored to be the recipient of a grant from Mushroom Festival Inc. for our work with children in Southern Chester County," says Tim Whitaker, executive director of Mighty Writers, which has centers in Pennsylvania and New Jersey. "Over the next 12 months, our center will serve 20,000-plus families with 65,000 meals, more than 300,000 pounds of food and give out over 7,000 books in our distribution program, all while providing services to hundreds more kids in our virtual and in-person writing programs. This generous grant will help us do that."

For information on the Mushroom Festival, visit [mushroomfestival.org](http://mushroomfestival.org). For information about Mighty Writers, visit [mightywriters.org](http://mightywriters.org).

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