Webster Five gives $1,000 to Pakachoag Music School

WEBSTER - The Webster Five Foundation is donating $1,000 to the Pakachoag Music School of Greater Worcester to help pay tuition for students from low-income families.

Webster Five’s Web of Caring to Make a Difference program reinforces the bank's long-standing initiative to give back to the community by supporting local organizations that are making a difference. The Pakachoag Music School aligns with this initiative as it aims to make music lessons available to all children, giving them the opportunity to nurture their own music ability, gain confidence and inspire creativity.

The organization offers a range of programs, from early childhood to young adults, serving 40 communities in and around Worcester. Students receive a weekly private lesson or participate in a weekly class, choosing from a variety of genres to study, including violin, jazz, folk, and ensembles.

Richard T. Leahy, president and chief executive officer of Webster Five, said, “Webster Five is honored to support the school’s goal to help make music lessons available to all students, in our community.”

Music School Executive Director Sarah Smongeski said, “We are very grateful to Webster Five for their donation, which will allow us to secure support for the current year’s financial aid program.”