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# **ANNUAL REPORT**

For Year Ended May 31, 2021

## **Mission Statement**

The mission of BallenIsles Charities Foundation is to render financial and in-kind support to civic and not-for-profit organizations within Palm Beach County that provide programs and services in the broad categories of Civic, Health & Human Services, Environment, and Education, designed to assist, encourage and promote the well-being of the residents and the communities in which they are located.

Visit our website at www.ballenislescharitiesfoundation.org for a history of your Foundation and the events that have made the last ten years so amazing. Connect with our activities and the organizations we support on Instagram and Facebook.







Raise Funds through our Donor Programs and Events



Disburse Grants to Local Charities for Specific Programs



Community Service



Because of the generosity of you, our donors, your BallenIsles Charities Foundation has awarded grants of over \$4.6 million to local non-profit and civic organizations since our inception in 2011. Our grants support specific programs, such as computers for an after-school program, college tuition assistance, food subsidies, service dog training for disabled veterans, dental care, beds and clothing for children in need.

Organizations complete a detailed application and are vetted by the Foundation before receiving a grant. Lasting relationships are built between your Foundation and the organizations throughout the year as we follow their activities, and they share their successes with us.



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"Sing like no one's listening, love like you've never been hurt, dance like nobody's watching, and live like it's heaven on earth." ~ Mark Twain

Dear Neighbors,

... And I would add to the above quote, "Give until it feels good!"

I don't need to rehash just how trying the past year was – so many suffered; so many went without spending physical time with those they love; so many went hungry; so many lost jobs; so many died. I just know that there is no shadow without light, and it is in times of need that the most inspiring acts of humanity are born. Our community is a case in point!

Each year, through careful, laborious screening and vetting of local nonprofit organizations, your Charities Foundation seeks to find programs capable of doing the greatest good with small infusions of money. We spread a wide net – last year we awarded \$800,000 of your hard-earned money to 46 local nonprofit and civic organizations. That makes over \$4.6 million since our inception 10 years ago. In addition, last year we funded a special impact grant to the Palm Beach Gardens Police and Fire Rescue Foundation's Emergency Financial Assistance Fund to assist our first responders and their families in times of need.

The pandemic transformed our fundraising approach which, to that point, had relied upon in-person events to raise money. There would be no Art in the Home Tour, Monte Carlo Night, Golf Outing, or Cards and Tiles party. We proceeded with the hope that you, our community, had grown to trust The Foundation as a worthy steward of your charitable giving.

We were humbled when our community and corporate sponsors gave as never before. You gave without anything tangible as an inducement...you gave because your heart was moved. You gave selflessly. As a result, Foundation grants were able to help ease hardships for folks nearby and provide needed civic, environmental, educational and human services that wouldn't have been possible otherwise.

We hope that in reading through this Annual Report you will feel great joy in belonging to one of the most charitable communities in Florida! Be a part of it! Please continue to support the work of BallenIsles Charities Foundation because when you give to those in need, you give even more to yourself. Help us **Make a Difference!** 

On behalf of the Board of Directors and all our dedicated volunteers,

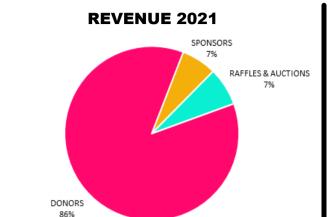
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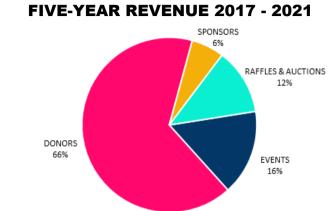
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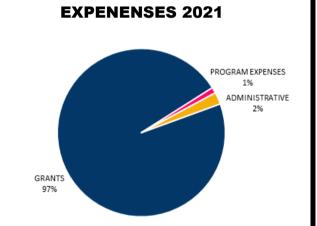
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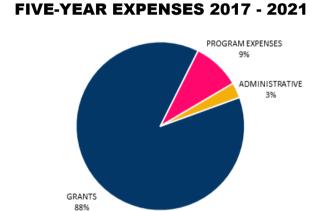
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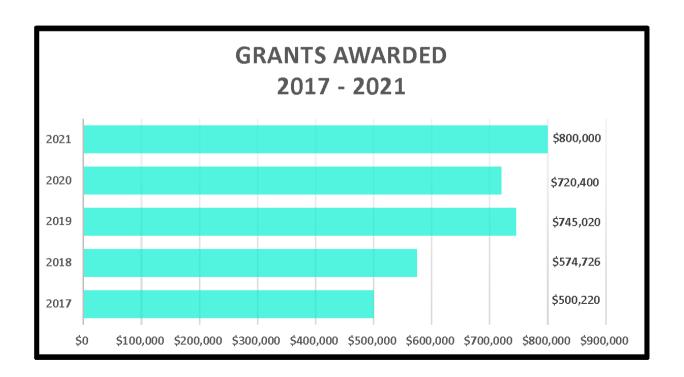
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# The Grants Committee and How it Works

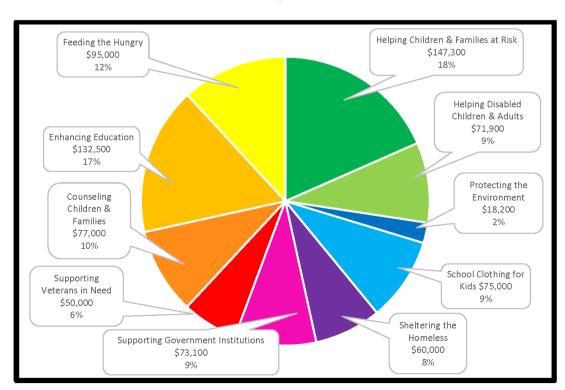
The Grants Committee is comprised of 11 to 15 Voting Members whose responsibilities include evaluating Applications, vetting the Programs, and making recommendations to the Committee and the Board regarding the requested grants. Applications include financial statements, tax returns and funding sources, which are vetted by a qualified member of the Committee. The information placed on each application is verified, and Committee member(s) vet each grant applicant. Each application is reviewed by several members of the Committee and presented for consideration. A collective decision is made regarding which applications will be funded and recommendations for funding amounts to be made, subject to the funds actually realized by the Foundation.

The Committee operates under the following basic guidelines:

- Foundation grantees must be local not-for-profit organizations that primarily serve communities in Northern Palm Beach County
- Grants must support specific programs, projects or events
- Grant recipients may not have combined administrative and solicitation costs of more than 25% of their revenue
- All grants made by the Foundation must be used for the purchase of capital equipment or for the specific services provided to the grantee's beneficiaries
- All grant recipients must submit a Grant Accountability report certifying that the Foundation's grants were utilized in the fashion specified in the grantee's application.

In making these decisions, the Grants Committee considers the importance of the efforts of each grant applicant, the number of persons who will potentially benefit from the proposal, the applicant's prior use of funds granted by the Foundation (where applicable), and the ability of the organization to execute its proposed program. In this way, the Grants committee seeks to achieve maximum benefit to the local community from the Foundation's grants.

# Where Your Money Went 2021



# **BallenIsles Charities Foundation 2021 Grant Recipients**

211 PALM BEACH/TREASURE COAST - 211 Helpline

ADOPT A FAMILY OF THE PALM BEACHES, INC. - School Readiness Kit Program

**ALLIANCE OF WOMEN EXECUTIVES - Alliance of Women Executives (AWE) Scholarship Program** 

**ALZHEIMERS COMMUNITY CARE - Family Nurse Consultant and ID Locator Services** 

**BACK TO BASICS - School Uniform and Angel Programs** 

**BIG DOG RANCH RESCUE** - Veteran Dog Training Program

**BOYS & GIRLS CLUBS OF PALM BEACH COUNTY, INC. - STEMulated Minds** 

**BUSCH WILDLIFE SANCTUARY - Environmental Education for Everyone** 

**CANCER ALLIANCE OF HELP & HOPE - Champions of Help & Hope Baskets** 

**CARIDAD CENTER, INC. - Pediatric Dental Clinic** 

**CARSON SCHOLARS FUND - A Ben Carson Reading Room at Highland Elementary** 

CENTER FOR CHILD COUNSELING - Childhood Trauma Response Program

**CENTER FOR TRAUMA COUNSELING - Comprehensive Child and Adolescent Trauma Therapy** 

**CHASIN A DREAM FOUNDATION - Hospital Backpack/Homebound Program** 

CHILDREN'S HOME SOCIETY OF FLORIDA - Safe Harbor Shelter and Counseling Services

CITY OF PALM BEACH GARDENS - BallenIsles Cultural Arts Performance

**CONNECTIONS EDUCATION CENTER OF THE PALM BEACHES - Health and Wellness Program:** 

#### **Health from Within**

**DePORRES PLACE ADULT LITERACY CENTER - DePorres Place Adult Literacy** 

**FEED THE HUNGRY** - Feed the Hungry Pantry of Palm Beach County

FIRST TEE OF THE PALM BEACHES - Outreach First Tee and Special Needs Programs

**FRIENDS OF FOSTER CHILDREN - Family Navigation Nights** 

**GENESIS ASSISTANCE DOGS - Mobility Independence through Assistance Dog Service** 

**GRANDMA'S PLACE** - Emergency Shelter Program

**GRANDMA'S PLACE** - Ability, Behavior, Learning, and Education (ABLE)

HABITAT FOR HUMANITY OF PALM BEACH COUNTY, INC. - Glades Area Homes

**HACER MINISTRY CORP.** - La Casita Food Pantry

# **BallenIsles Charities Foundation 2021 Grant Recipients**

HEALTHY MOTHERS, HEALTHY BABIES COALITION OF PBC, INC. - Basics4Babies - Emergency

**Pantry for Infants** 

**JACK THE BIKE MAN, INC. - Character Counts** 

NATIONAL COUNCIL OF JEWISH WOMEN PALM BEACH SECTION - Kids Community Closet

PALM BEACH COUNTY FOOD BANK - Lois's Food4Kids

PALM BEACH GARDENS FIRE RESCUE - Side by Side Fire and Sprinkler Burn Demonstration

**Trailer** 

PALM BEACH GARDENS POLICE DEPT. - FALCON RapidID Edge Device (RID)

PALM BEACH GARDENS POLICE AND FIRE RESCUE FOUNDATION INC. - Police & Fire Rescue

Foundation First Responder Emergency Relief Fund

PALM BEACH STATE COLLEGE FOUNDATION - First Generation in College Scholarship Program

**PAWS 4 LIBERTY - Train Your Own Dog (TYOD)** 

PEDIATRIC ONCOLOGY SUPPORT TEAM, INC. (POST) - The Butterfly Program: Giving Help and

Hope to Local Children with Cancer at the End of Life

**SWEET DREAM MAKERS - A Bed of My Own** 

**SYMPHONIC BAND OF THE PALM BEACHES - Instrument Donation Program** 

THE ARC OF PALM BEACH COUNTY - The Arc of Palm Beach County Music and Art Therapy

**Programs** 

THE COMMUNITY HEALTH CENTER OF WEST PALM BEACH - Medical Clinic

THE JACOB S. ZWEIG FOUNDATION - Sole Necessities

THE LEARNING ACADEMY AT THE ELS CENTER OF EXCELLENCE CENTER - Job Coach for

**Vocational Training Program** 

**THE LORD'S PLACE - The Family Campus** 

VITA NOVA, INC. - Vita Nova Village - Homeless Youth Transitional Housing Program

WATSON B. DUNCAN MIDDLE SCHOOL - Technology and Educational Software Enhancement

**WEST JUPITER COMMUNITY GROUP - Classroom Equipment** 

**WEST PALM BEACH POLICE FOUNDATION - Shop with a Cop** 

**WOUNDED VETERANS RELIEF FUND** - Emergency Financial Relief for Veterans and their Families

in Palm Beach County



















# Palm Beach Gardens Police & Fire Rescue Foundation

In 2021, your BallenIsles Charities Foundation awarded it's second Impact Grant to fund the Palm Beach Police & Fire Rescue Foundation's Emergency Fund. This fund was established with \$30,000 seed money, and will be replenished for a maximum of another \$30,000 for each of the next two years. The fund supports our local police, firefighters and emergency rescue team personnel in times of need.

The mission of the **Palm Beach Gardens Police & Fire Rescue Foundation** is to secure public funding to enhance the safety of our community and the effectiveness of our Police and Fire Rescue Departments. About 90% of the Police and Fire Rescue Departments' budgets are spent on personnel and operational costs, with a scant 10% left over to improve on current technologies and develop new programs, initiatives, innovations, training and community outreach.

Founded in 2007 to make up as much of the financial deficit as possible in order to keep up with evolving modern law enforcement techniques and strategies, the Palm Beach Gardens Police Foundation expanded in 2018 to include the City's Fire Rescue Services.

The work these brave people do is very public. You see them on the streets, in the local restaurants and stores, and on the news. But their struggles are private, and you will not often know how much they need our support. But be assured they appreciate your acknowledgement and the financial support that your Foundation's Impact Grant provides.



# **Feed the Hungry**

In 2018, your BallenIsles Charities Foundation awarded it's first Impact Grant to fund the purchase of a refrigerated truck so that Feed the Hungry Pantry could pick up perishable foods from stores and safely store it until delivery to people in need.

Feed the Hungry Pantry is a volunteer-run charity that has grown to 4 full-time employees, and a mostly part-time staff, where every penny donated goes to buy, store, transport and give away nutritious food to about 100,000 hungry neighbors a year at the pantry. Their wonderful donors provide the meat, vegetables, fruit, eggs, milk, bread and canned and dry goods for more than 24 million meals a year for an average cost of about 3 cents. The food truck has made possible getting more food to those who need it most.

Here are just a few examples of who gets some of this healthy food:

- Three veterans who collected and recycled cans to get enough money to come register.
- Linda who came home from a rehab center after having both legs amputated to find her sister had stolen all the food in her home. They made a food delivery the day they found out.
- Families of children who are coping with cancer treatments.
- Patients at a free medical clinic who have no food at home.

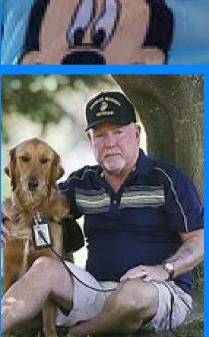




















## **Tribute Cards**

Request a Tribute Card in any financial increment to recognize any special person or life event. A charitable donation in the name of your designee is often a most thoughtful and appreciated recognition when a monetary gift is not desired for the occasion.

These cards are beautiful, professional, and can be easily customized to your needs.









#### Orders can be placed online through our website.

Please contact TributeCards@BallenIslesCharitiesFoundation.org if you have any questions.

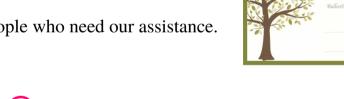
BallenIsles Charities Foundation will provide a personalized recognition card for the occasion you wish to designate. This card will be mailed to your designee as you direct to acknowledge the occasion. This unique gift

will be appreciated because it will



### Make a Difference

in the lives of real people who need our assistance.





## COVID-19

The year 2020 brought much of the world to a stand-still. Covid-19 sickened and killed so many. It sent us to our homes to hide, and to clinics in search of vaccines. We learned how to order our food and supplies (including necessities like TP) for delivery to our doors, so we would not have to venture out. And we kept masks in our pockets and bags, always at the ready to protect us from the unseen and unknown.

Despite the inconvenience and sadness, we are the lucky ones. Many in our surrounding communities don't have the resources to deal with the health risks, lost jobs and income, home-schooling and general loneliness that came with COVID-19. The grants made by your BallenIsles Charities Foundation were needed and appreciated even more than ever. The direct donations so many of you made to food banks and local charities made many lives better. You MADE A DIFFERENCE! Thank you!

## **Volunteers**

# Put Your Skills and Knowledge to Work While Having Fun, Making New Friends and Making a Difference

The BallenIsles Charities Foundation depends on its volunteers. The Grants Review process gives members a chance to see the organizations first-hand. They all come away with a deep feeling for the organizations and those in need. The Communications team is a great outlet for the beautiful mind. Be creative, share your skills and learn new ones. The Marketing Team plans and executes our efforts to bring funding to the Foundation so we can support the community. Bring your business experience and life-time of contacts to the table. help organize an event, from the **December Community Reception** to the **Donor Campaign** including **Raffles** and an **On-Line Auction** to the **Grants Awards Ceremony**.

There is always a way for you to use your skills to help, while having fun.

Please consider offering a helping hand.

If you have an idea, a little free time, or just an interest in learning more, then speak up.

E-mail the foundation at <a href="mailto:info@ballenislescharitiesfoundation.org">info@ballenislescharitiesfoundation.org</a>.

# The Foundation's Principal Donors

The Foundation wishes to acknowledge and thank its donors for their support. Listed below are the aggregate gifts over the past five years of our Corporate Sponsors and Individual Donors.

# Corporate Sponsors 2017 to 2021

#### \$20,000 and above

Allied Universal Protection Services Hedrick Brothers Construction \*\*\* Honda Classic \*\*\* Troon Golf \*\*\* Willow Springs Foundation \*\*\*

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# Individual Donors 2017 - 2021

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Thank you and the committee again for the generous grant. On March 10th we offered scholarships to 20 young women. One recipient expressed her thanks as follows: "I'm incredibly grateful to receive the AWE scholarship and cannot wait to see what the future holds."

#### ~ Alliance of Women Executives ~

Genesis Assistance Dogs send their thanks to BallenIsles Charities Foundation. It is with your continued support that we are able to fulfill our mission.

#### ~ Genesis Assistance Dogs ~

On behalf of Healthy Mothers, Healthy Babies, thank you to the entire BallenIsles Charities Foundation team for the opportunity to provide you with materials to share with your community related to Basics4Babies – our emergency pantry.

#### ~ Healthy Mothers, Healthy Babies ~

An 11-year-old boy came to our dental clinic in pain. His mother explained he had a severe pain that was preventing him from getting sleep and paying attention in school. She explained that she thought the best thing to do was to have to tooth extracted so that the boy could go about his normal routine. Upon examination, our volunteer dentist determined that the tooth was salvageable and the best option would be for the young man to have a root canal. A Caridad Center Care Coordinator was able to refer this boy to an endodontist who agreed to perform the procedure free of charge. Both this boy and his mother were very happy that the boy wasn't going to lose his tooth and be able to keep his smile! Since his procedure, his mother has reported to us that he is doing well and no longer in pain. Thank you again for your organization's continued support of ...

#### ~ Caridad Center ~

We thank BallenIsles Charities Foundation for continued support. It is because of partners like you that allow the Center to flourish, providing low cost/free mental health counseling to children, adolescents and their families.

#### ~ Center for Trauma Counseling

We are truly grateful and so are the children who have received the backpacks thanks to your gracious donation. As you know, we put an iPad in each backpack to assist with the long hours, days, weeks and sometimes months of hospitalization. The response from families has been overwhelming and now, with Covid, we are adding on to the program by supplying computers to children in the Hospital Homebound Program which receives no funding. I can't thank you enough for having faith in our program and helping us to sustain it. But, more important, thank you for creating so many smiles in kids that are having a tough time smiling.

#### ~ Chasin A Dream Foundation ~

Thank you for the ongoing support that we have received from BallenIsles Charities Foundation to assist Alzheimer's patients and family caregivers living in our community.

~ Alzheimer's Community Care ~