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## KIDSAVE 2024 ANNUAL REPORT





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*“Hosting Kevin was one of the most rewarding experiences of our lives, and we are so grateful for the opportunity to be a part of the Summer Miracles program.”*  
– Chris Hanna, Summer Miracles Adoptive Dad (2024)



OUR STORY

FROM 1999

Kidsave was created after a fateful trip to a Russian orphanage. Co-founders Terry Baugh and Randi Thompson witnessed firsthand the appalling condition thousands of older orphans were facing. They knew they had to act.

Kidsave’s inaugural Summer Miracles program brought 177 children from Kazakhstan and Russia to the U.S. for 5 weeks to connect with potential adoptive families.

Of those children, 97% found their forever families here in the U.S.



TO 2024

Over the past 25 years, Kidsave has helped nearly 30,000 children through our Family Visit and mentoring programs, training governments and child welfare workers, reuniting orphans with extended family, and humanitarian and evacuation efforts in war-torn Ukraine.

By connecting older youth languishing in foster care and orphanages with forever families and support systems, we are creating brighter futures and fundamental change in child welfare.

Kidsave’s work has influenced the way child welfare functions on behalf of older kids in Russia, Kazakhstan, Ukraine, Sierra Leone, Colombia, and here in the U.S. Over 600,000 children have benefited from 25 years of Kidsave’s efforts.

Still, countless millions languish in orphanages and foster care. Kidsave’s goal is to be a catalyst for creating much-needed change—to inspire governments, communities and individuals to find and provide families and permanent connections for their children. We hope you will join us.





Dear Kidsave Supporters,

Twenty-five years ago, Kidsave dropped a stone into the waters of child welfare, and the ripples it created have been transforming lives ever since.

Since our founding, we've been driven by a simple yet profound belief: every child, including older kids and teens, deserves a family. And as we celebrated our 25th anniversary in 2024, we were filled with gratitude for the countless lives changed through the power of connection.

At our **Miracles Gala** events in Los Angeles and Washington, D.C., we reconnected with young people from our earliest programs—many now grown, thriving, and even raising families of their own. We expanded our annual **Hike With Your Heart** event to four locations across the country, bringing together families, supporters, and new generations inspired by Kidsave's mission.

Let's keep the ripples going—together.



*Joni Noel* *Shannon Scott-Paul*

Joni Noel and Shannon Scott-Paul  
Co-Chairs, Board of Trustees



# 2024 IMPACT

29,821

Since 1999, Kidsave has directly helped 29,821 youth through our Weekend Miracles and Summer Miracles programs here in the U.S., and our international programs in Colombia, Sierra Leone, and Ukraine.

4 of 5

4 out of 5 kids in our programs find the love and support of a mentor, guardian, or adoptive family.







Dear Friends,

As we celebrate 25 years of Kidsave, I am deeply grateful for the unwavering support that has helped us change the lives of so many children. This year has been a powerful reminder of connection.

Our Weekend Miracles program launched in Virginia, and our existing Weekend and Summer Miracles programs helped more older kids in foster care find loving families. Through the EMBRACE Project we continue advocating and developing practical solutions to improve outcomes for kids in care.

Internationally, our efforts in Ukraine and Sierra Leone have provided urgent assistance and hope to children in crisis. Each success story reminds us that a single act of kindness—a mentor connection, a weekend visit, an adoption—can transform not just one child’s life, but an entire community.

But there is still work to do. Thousands of children are still waiting, hoping for someone to see their potential and open their heart. At Kidsave, we believe that no child is too old, no situation too difficult, and no dream too big. With your support, we’re expanding our reach, training more mentors and families, and creating new opportunities for children to find the love and stability they deserve.

Even after all these years, we’re energized by the change we get to create.

When you help one child, you change the lives of everyone around them. Families grow, communities strengthen, and futures once uncertain become filled with possibility. Thank you for believing in these kids, for standing with us, and for continuing this journey to ensure every child finds a place to call home.

With gratitude,



*Randi Thompson*

Randi Thompson  
CEO and CoFounder  
Kidsave





# HOW KIDSAVE WORKS

**KIDSAVE SERVES THE HARDEST-TO-PLACE YOUTH, WHO ARE OFTEN BETWEEN THE AGES OF 9-18.**

**Our Family Visit Model is built on the premise that:**

- Kids are better able to make connections with adults when they can get to know them over time in a safe environment.
- People in the community are more likely to feel compelled to help a child they have had the opportunity to meet and get to know.

**Our model is effective and unique in child welfare because it:**

- welcomes people without home studies to meet kids
- offers a way for adults to mentor kids without bureaucratic barriers
- introduces children to adults who might be open to adoption
- embraces kids who may be ambivalent about adoption, but need a permanent adult connection
- provides interactive events that give children and adults a safe space to connect
- gives kids a voice and a choice in the adults who may become their forever family

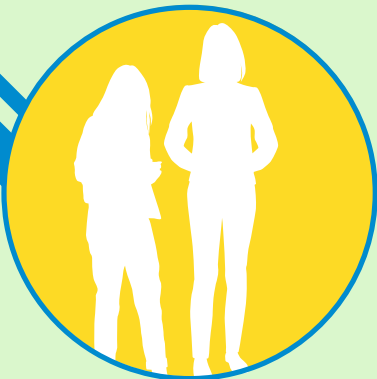


*"We were head-over-heels in love the minute we saw Easton. And the more we got to know him, the more love and kindness we saw in his personality."  
- Sharyn Sherman, Summer Miracles Adoptive Mom (2002)*



## CASE MINING

Finding any current connections to a child is the first step in helping a child who needs a family.



## REUNIFICATION

The priority in child welfare is to move children back into their biological family safely. Kidsave's programs usually come in after all reunification efforts have been made.



## CHAMPIONING CHILDREN

We advocate for each individual child to a broad, interested audience to help them find an adoptive family.



## EVENTS

Kidsave hosts Meet the Kids events to help kids safely meet prospective adopters.



## HOST / MENTOR

Hosting relationships are key to helping children find prospective adoptive parents or lifelong mentors.



# WEEKEND MIRACLES

## SINCE IT BEGAN IN 2005...

**Weekend Miracles** has helped **933 children and teens**.

In 2024, the Weekend Miracles program served **142 kids** across three locations and celebrated **three adoptions**.

Last year in Los Angeles County, we helped **79 youth**, celebrating **one completed adoption** and **16 adoptive matches**.

In Houston, we helped **61 youth**, celebrating **two completed adoptions** and **four adoptive matches**.

In 2024, we partnered with Virginia Department of Social Services (VDSS) to launch our Weekend Miracles program in **Northern and Central Virginia**. We held our first event in December 2024, serving **our very first two VA youth and families**.

## ABOUT WEEKEND MIRACLES

In Los Angeles County, Houston, and Virginia, Kidsave uses our innovative Family Visit Model to find forever families and lasting connections for older kids in foster care between the ages of 9 and 18. Through our Connection Events, kids have a say! They get to choose the adults they want to get to know, and whether to move forward to adoption or having a long-term mentor. This unique model creates more meaningful and lasting connections and has been adopted by organizations nationwide.

[kidsave.org/weekend-miracles-program](https://kidsave.org/weekend-miracles-program)



## WEEKEND MIRACLES VIRGINIA



Thanks to a partnership with Virginia Department of Social Services (VDSS), Kidsave launched Weekend Miracles in Central and Northern Virginia in December of 2024 with our first event in Spotsylvania.

As of 2023, over half of the 1,800 youth waiting to be adopted in Virginia are age 8 and older. But in that same year, over half of the children adopted from care were age 6 and younger. This is often the case, and it's why Kidsave is dedicated to championing older youth who are so often overlooked and forgotten. We are so excited to help this program grow and thrive in Virginia with your support.





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**LOS ANGELES**



WEEKEND MIRACLES  
**LOS ANGELES**  
LUNA'S STORY



Then came the magic words: "Can she move in today at 5 PM?"

Their response was again yes, but they wanted Luna to choose.

Her response? "Totally."

On January 8, 2024, just over 15 months after meeting, Luna asked Stuart and Sydney to formally adopt her. Right after her 13th birthday, her adoption was finalized and the Snyder-Gibbs family became court official.

"Anyone considering Kidsave needs an open heart and mind," says Sydney.

"We have no regrets—our family turned out exactly as it should."

Dedicated teachers Stuart and Sydney Snyder-Gibbs thought of their students as family and never planned to have kids of their own. But after being moved to tears by the A&E documentary "The Day I Picked My Parents" about Kidsave's Weekend Miracles program, they decided to attend a Kidsave event. Initially they didn't want to get overly involved, but that all changed at the Hike With Your Heart community fundraiser in September 2022.

There, they noticed 11-year-old Luna eating alone. Sydney, ever the teacher, introduced herself. "I felt an instant cosmic connection," she recalled. "It was as if a butterfly landed on our shoulders and changed everything."

That day they went home and applied to be a resource family. As Stuart and Sydney continued to bond with Luna through Kidsave events, their connection deepened. When Luna's foster placement suddenly changed and they lost touch, Sydney and Stuart realized she was meant to be their daughter. Determined, they spent weekends tracking her down.

Their persistence paid off when Luna's social worker called and asked, "Are you serious about her?"

Their answer was a resounding yes.





# WEEKEND MIRACLES HOUSTON



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## BRIANA'S STORY



Future Johns has hosted 16-year-old Briana for two years now.

Future and Briana met at a Weekend Miracles event in Houston during the summer of 2021. Future felt a bit awkward in the unfamiliar space filled with teens. "And then two girls came to sit at my table, and it was just like, instant match, just like that," she says. One of those girls was Briana. They got to know each other gradually, spending time together at Connection Events, and soon in car rides to and from the events.

Future recalls fondly the rides to and from a Houston Astros game in 2022. "We went to the Astros game and then I was able to take her home, but we were able to spend that time together outside of the normal Kidsave event," she said. "It was just us together at a game, and we were able to really begin to get to know each other. And I was like, 'Ok, this is going to work. I can do this.'"

After nearly three years of hosting, Future has seen Briana through some tough times. Even when Briana was unexpectedly placed in a different foster home, Future kept in touch with the caseworker and arranged a visit to the new foster home. She remembers how surprised and happy Briana was to see her.

Future reassured Briana that no matter where the system placed her, she would always be there for her. For Briana, whose life is often filled with uncertainty, Future has become a constant presence and a source of stability.





# SUMMER



Since 1999, Summer Miracles has helped **2,188** children.

In 2024, **38** youth traveled to the U.S.

Of the **36** children who were open to and ready for adoption, **34** (94%) made connections with families who are moving forward with adoption.

## ABOUT SUMMER MIRACLES

Summer Miracles is Kidsave's original Family Visit Program, designed for children outside the U.S. who need forever families. A last resort for many kids, the program provides the opportunity for children growing up in foster care and orphanages in their home country to meet an adoptive family in the United States.

[kidsave.org/summer-miracles](https://kidsave.org/summer-miracles)

# MIRACLES



## MATTEO'S STORY

As their kids grew older, Kim and Michael York knew they wanted another child in their lives but weren't sure how. Kim explored volunteering and foster care but nothing felt right—until she read a newspaper article about a family who adopted a boy from Colombia through Kidsave. She saved that article for years.

Once their children left home, Kim and Michael felt they finally had the time and energy to raise another child. They began attending Kidsave's Summer Miracles events, getting to know the program, and the following summer they became a host family.

In the summer of 2022, they hosted 12-year-old Matteo. From the moment he arrived at LAX, there was an instant connection. "He ran straight to us," Kim recalled. "It felt natural and easy."

Wanting to make the summer special, they introduced Matteo to the full California experience. Since he had never been to the beach, Michael taught him to swim, and he even tried surfing lessons—which he loved! They quickly learned about Matteo's passion for space, so they made several trips to the local observatory.

The five weeks flew by, and Matteo had to return to Colombia while the adoption process moved forward. Luckily, it took only nine months before he was back in the U.S. with Kim and Michael.

Today Matteo is thriving, traveling, making friends, and soaking up time together with his adoptive family.

"We are so proud of him," said Kim. "People can't believe how well-matched we are. We like the same foods, have the same sense of humor, and love exploring new places. We're a pretty tight unit."





# EMBRACE PROJECT

## THE EMBRACE PROJECT: THE THIRD YEAR

- 2022** In 2022 Kidsave launched The EMBRACE project to understand and address the reasons behind the overrepresentation of Black children in the foster care population in America.
- 2023** In 2023 we published the results of our survey, conducted with Gallup, which uncovered the top perceived barriers to mentoring, fostering, and adopting children, reported by 5,000 American adults with an oversampling of 1,500 Black adults.
- 2024** In 2024 we continued:
- advocating for policy reform at the federal level
  - building awareness of the issue and educating the public about how they can help
- We added:**
- development of practical solutions designed to improve outcomes for kids in care

## EMBRACE BY THE NUMBERS

- 21** presentations with child welfare agencies, non-profits, and potential partners
- 18** media placements
- 8** meetings with legislative staff
- 3** secondary analysis reports
- 1** pilot program launch



## PEER MENTORING PILOT PROGRAM

Launching in 2025

The Kidsave-Gallup study found that people are more likely to get involved with kids in foster care if they have an experienced peer who can provide support throughout the process.

In 2024, we laid the groundwork to launch a pilot Peer Mentoring program for the adults in our Los Angeles and Houston Weekend Miracles programs.

The pilot will pair adults who are former foster youth, adoptive parents, or mentors with host families and prospective adoptive parents to offer cultural and identity-affirming guidance and support.

## CULTURAL RESPONSIVENESS TRAINING

Launched in December 2024

For children in foster care, having caring adults in their corner who are educated about their unique cultural backgrounds can change the trajectory of their lives.

Our Cultural Responsiveness Training for host and adoptive families provides the knowledge and tools to help adults understand and nurture the cultural connections of children in their care.

By exploring the historic challenges of the child welfare system and its impact on children from communities that are overrepresented in care, this training empowers families to be more culturally aware and responsive.



[embrace.kidsave.org](https://embrace.kidsave.org)



# KIDSAVE

# UKRAINE

IN 2024, WE SERVED 388 YOUTH IN UKRAINE THROUGH OUR VARIOUS PROGRAMS.

**Pathway to Success:** Since 2018, we have served **1,347 youth** in our Corporate Mentoring program, Pathway to Success.

In 2024 we served **279 teens** in **14 regions** in Ukraine.

**Family Mentoring:** Since our Family Mentoring Program began in **2016**, our team has moved a total of **428 children** from orphanages and emergency shelters into family homes in Ukraine, **114** of them in 2024.

**Kidsave Miracles Center:** Our Kidsave Miracles Center opened its doors for the first time in July **2024**. Over the summer session, and a special visit requested by the government of Mykolaiv to help keep the children safe from military action during the winter holidays, the Center hosted a total of **43 children**.

**Humanitarian Aid:** As the war continued through 2024 our **Angels of Hope** stayed busy bringing humanitarian aid to people in need. Through the delivery of **603 tons of food, medicine, and supplies**, and trauma therapy at our Children's Center in Mykolaiv, our team served **8,000 children** affected by the ongoing war.

## KIDSAVE MIRACLES CENTER OPENS ITS DOORS



After months of construction, rain or shine, the Kidsave Miracles Center welcomed its inaugural group of 32 children to stay for eight weeks in the summer of 2024. Kidsave CEO and Co-Founder Randi Thompson traveled to Ukraine in mid-July to be there.

"I saw firsthand the transformative power of the Miracles Center," said Randi. "When the kids arrived, they were closed off and scared. Every time there was a loud noise or a car engine backfired, they jumped and ducked. After two weeks, they were playing, hugging, giggling with abandon. They felt safe and free to be children there. What our team has created is a place of hope for a better future for these kids who have been through so much."



Our team worked diligently on the children's behalf, ensuring they were leaving the Center in better circumstances than when they arrived. Of the 32 youth who spent the summer at the Center, social workers reunited 11 with their biological families, placed 4 with foster families, and arranged pending guardianships or adoptive placements for 4 children. Another seven children who visited the center in the winter found permanent families.





**TWO SUPERMENTORS CONTINUE THEIR PATHWAY TO SUCCESS**

Our corporate mentoring program Pathway to Success celebrated an important achievement in 2024: the hiring of two alumni onto its staff!

Vova Dorodka and Olena Luhantseva have joined the Ukrainian Mentoring Association as the SuperMentors Project Leader and the Assistant to the Coordinator of the Corporate Mentoring program. As program alumni, these two inspiring young people know all too well what the children need. “It is vitally important [for children in orphanages] to have adults who they can trust” says Dorodka. “For many, they just want to talk. They want someone to listen to them.”

In 2024, the program engaged 133 corporate volunteers to serve as mentors, trainers, and lecturers. Mentors established stable connections with 40 teens, and team leaders trained 13 youth leaders (known as SuperMentors) in communication, team-building, and coaching skills.



**HUMANITARIAN AID TO THE FORGOTTEN**

As the war continues to devastate communities across Ukraine, our team remains committed to reaching those most in need—particularly families living in remote villages near the front lines. These areas, often overlooked by larger organizations due to their proximity to danger, continue to suffer from ongoing destruction and isolation. *Despite the risks, our mission is clear: no one should be left behind.*

Many of the villages we serve have seen little to no outside help. They are home to families with children, elderly people, and others who, for various reasons, cannot leave. With roads often damaged and communications disrupted, life in these communities is incredibly difficult.

But through determination, care, and the support of our donors, we have been able to bring 3,646 tons of vital supplies and aid to these forgotten places.



**KIDSAVE HOSTS DELEGATION FROM UKRAINE FOCUSING ON CHILDREN AFFECTED BY WAR**

In November 2024, Kidsave’s U.S. offices were proud to host an Open World delegation from Ukraine, focused on advancing child welfare for children impacted by war. In a tour funded by a grant from the Congressional Office for International Leadership, the all-women delegation—comprised of four Kidsave Ukraine staff members and two Ukrainian government leaders—visited Washington, D.C. and Los Angeles to exchange knowledge with U.S. child welfare experts and learn more about our Weekend Miracles program.

The visit included high-level meetings with Ukraine Ambassador Oksana Markarova, cultural exchanges, and participation in Kidsave’s Hike With Your Heart event in Los Angeles.

Inspired by their experience, the women in the delegation will launch **Weekend Miracles in Ukraine** to help older children in foster care find permanent, loving families—a powerful step toward improving outcomes for the country’s most vulnerable youth. “We are trying to learn all the knowledge and best practices from other countries in the world that have faced military conflict,” said delegate Tetiana Skrypka, a member of the Verkhovna Rada, Ukraine’s parliament. “We hope no other country will encounter the same circumstances we are facing right now.”



[kidsave.org/ukraine](https://kidsave.org/ukraine)





# SIERRA LEONE

IN SIERRA LEONE, KIDSAVE WORKS TO REUNITE CHILDREN LIVING IN ORPHANAGES WITH EXTENDED RELATIVES AND KIN, OR FIND THEM ADOPTIVE FAMILIES IN THEIR HOME VILLAGES.

**2010** In partnership with Integrated Development Initiatives Sierra Leone (IDI-SL), Kidsave has helped **1,580 children** since **2010**.

**2024** In 2024, **210 children** were reunited with relatives or placed in an adoptive family.

Our small business micro-loan program benefited **84** heads of these families, helping set them up for financial independence.

In addition the team trained **700 community members** on children's rights and care.

[kidsave.org/reunification](https://kidsave.org/reunification)

## FINDING FAMILY: ABU AND MASSAH'S STORY



Siblings Abu and Massah were orphaned at 5 and 6 years old in the Kalia chiefdom of Sierra Leone and spent the next ten years in an orphanage. Big sister Massah recalls, "Years spent in the orphanage without someone to even visit, was like being sentenced to life imprisonment."

In 2024, Kidsave and our partner, Integrated Development Initiatives-Sierra Leone (IDI-SL), set out to find any living relatives of the children.

Social workers traveled thousands of kilometers across 21 chiefdoms in Sierra Leone and neighboring Liberia, looking for relatives for Abu and Massah as well as other children in the orphanage.

After speaking with the children and members of their home community, social workers tracked down Abu and Massah's great aunt, Salatu, in Liberia. After her home was evaluated, Salatu formally adopted them and welcomed them into her home.

"Reuniting with our Aunt is a dream come true," said Massah. "We feel relieved and comfortable to join her after spending several years in the orphanage without feeling the warmth of a relative."





### POWERED BY VOLUNTEERS

At Kidsave we rely on the strength and commitment of our volunteer base. Our small but mighty full-time staff is only able to execute our programs because of the help and hard work of our incredible volunteers. Our volunteers host children, recruit families, lead events, serve on committees, find auction items, invite friends, attend events, get the word out, support fundraising, support programs, and help with logistics. From community volunteer teams, event volunteers, to hosts, we appreciate every person who helps make our programs possible each day!

[kidsave.org/volunteer](https://kidsave.org/volunteer)

### KIDSAVE GUARDIANS

Financial transparency, authenticity and responsibility are at the forefront of Kidsave operations. To make sure 100 percent of our public donations directly support our life-changing programs, Kidsave has enlisted a vital group of contributors. These Guardian givers support Kidsave's general operating costs and are the backbone of our operations. Their yearly contributions are pivotal in keeping Kidsave sustainable.



### PARTNERS FOR CHANGE

In 2024, Kidsave enjoyed mutually beneficial partnerships with some wonderful, committed, socially responsible brands. These companies commit to raising funds throughout the year through matching grants, employee fundraisers, point-of-purchase sales, or donating a portion of their proceeds. Their employees are proud of their affiliation with Kidsave.

To learn about Kidsave's Guardians or Partner for Change programs, please contact Randi Thompson at [randi@kidsave.org](mailto:randi@kidsave.org).

- Vicente & Partners LLC
- Boeing
- BlueCheck Ukraine
- CVC Philanthropy Limited
- Van Scoyoc Associates
- Vaco by Highspring
- WonderTents
- Banc of California
- RGP
- Venable Foundation
- Mission Circle International Inc.
- PlebeianHelpers
- Make2Give LLC
- Alphagraphics
- CBIZ, LLC
- Crane
- Cresa Cares
- Dominion Energy Charitable Foundation
- Employees Community Fund of Boeing California
- In-N-Out Burger Foundation



# 25 of LOVE & FAMILY YEARS



## IN 2024, KIDSAVE MARKED OUR 25TH ANNIVERSARY WITH FORMAL CELEBRATIONS AT OUR MIRACLES GALAS IN LOS ANGELES AND WASHINGTON, D.C.



The Skirball Cultural Center was filled with emotion and gratitude as 25 years of families formed through Kidsave reunited at our **Los Angeles Miracles Gala**. From heartfelt speeches by former Kidsave youth to the generosity shown during the live auction, the evening was a vibrant reminder of our mission in action. We honored longtime partner Sari Grant for her years of unwavering advocacy and celebrated the progress of our EMBRACE initiative, which is working to better support marginalized youth and families navigating the child welfare system.



In **Washington, D.C.**, we gathered at the National Press Club for another unforgettable evening. NPR's Scott Simon, our Inspirational Voices Honoree, moved our guests with a powerful tribute to adoption and the universal need for every child to feel loved and cherished. Kidsave alumna Natasha Galyean shared her personal journey—from a childhood in a Russian orphanage to finding a family through our Summer Miracles program and ultimately, through struggle and resilience, finding her place in the world. Her story encapsulated the courage and hope that define the Kidsave experience.

Together, these two events raised critical funds and celebrated the lives forever changed by our work. They were a reminder that behind every success story is a community of people—supporters, families, staff, and volunteers—committed to ensuring that every child grows up with love, belonging, and the chance to thrive.





# MIRACLEMAKERS GOLF CLASSIC

Kidsave’s 21st Annual MiracleMakers Golf Classic brought together supporters for a day of golf, giving, and inspiration. Held at the scenic Pacific Palms Resort in Southern California on a gorgeous fall day, the event welcomed business and community leaders committed to helping older kids in foster care find lasting connections.

After a fun day on the course, complete with on-course games and challenges, guests gathered for a reception and dinner program. Kidsave’s Board of Trustees Co-Chair Shannon Scott-Paul and Golf Committee Chair and Kidsave Mom Cathy McHale welcomed guests to an evening of refreshments and silent and live auctions. CEO Randi Thompson delivered an update about Kidsave’s programs, reminding the audience that their contributions have a direct impact on the lives of children, creating pathways to family connections that may otherwise be out of reach.

The evening’s highlight was a heartfelt speech from Clay, a former Kidsave kid, who shared how Kidsave helped her find the mentor she now calls family.

**Congratulations to our Golf Classic winner, the team from Renkow Mechanical! And special thanks to our top tier sponsors VVA, HITT, and Jerry Porter of Cresa.**

# HIKE WITH YOUR HEART – ACROSS THE USA!

On November 9, over 600 supporters in Los Angeles, the Bay Area, Houston, and Washington, D.C. came together for Hike With Your Heart—taking more than 10 million collective steps and raising over \$80,000 to support our programs.

In Los Angeles, more than 300 hikers—including Kidsave kids, adoptive families, and special guests like Amanda Kloots and a delegation from Ukraine—gathered at Kenneth Hahn Park for a 2.5-mile trek followed by a picnic lunch. The event highlighted the joy and connections made possible through Kidsave’s programs - and raised more than \$30,000!

The Bay Area hike raised over \$16,000, bringing together Summer Miracles and Ukraine supporters on the Los Gatos Creek Trail.

Houston hosted its first hike, raising \$29,000 and welcoming 20 youth from the Weekend Miracles Houston program for a day of connection at Rob Fleming Park.

In Washington, D.C., participants hiked scenic Theodore Roosevelt Island, raising \$6,000. Summer Miracles alumnus Alex Shapiro, now a Doctor of Physical Therapy, joined the group, embodying the impact of Kidsave’s mission.





# STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL POSITION

## Year Ending December 31, 2024

### ASSETS

#### Current Assets

Cash and Cash Equivalents .....	1,850,365
Investments.....	1,035,895
Accounts Receivable .....	201,770
Other Current Assets.....	314,483
<b>Total Current Assets .....</b>	<b>3,402,513</b>
<b>Total Non-Current Assets .....</b>	<b>120,412</b>

**TOTAL ASSETS ..... 3,522,925**

### LIABILITIES & NET ASSETS

#### Liabilities

##### Current Liabilities

Accounts Payable.....	243,330
Other Current Liabilities .....	69,829
<b>Total Current Liabilities.....</b>	<b>313,159</b>

**TOTAL LIABILITIES..... 313,159**

Net Assets .....3,209,766

**TOTAL EQUITY .....3,209,766**

**TOTAL LIABILITIES & NET ASSETS..... 3,522,925**

“Hearing them call me mom just gets me. Having children makes you a better you. And when you teach, you learn, so by teaching them things and teaching them values, it really strengthens us.”

– Kelly Slattery, Weekend Miracles Adoptive Mom (2020)



# STATEMENT OF ACTIVITIES

## Year Ending December 31, 2024

SUPPORT AND REVENUES	IN THOUSANDS	% OF CONTRIBUTIONS
Contributions and Grants	\$4,216.1	83.1%
Government Contracts	\$625.9	12.3%
In-Kind Contributions	\$137.6	2.7%
Investment & Other	\$97.0	1.9%
<b>TOTAL CONTRIBUTIONS</b>	<b>\$5,076.6</b>	<b>100.0%</b>

OPERATING EXPENSES	IN THOUSANDS	% OF EXPENSES
Program Services		
Weekend Miracles	\$1,433.6	24.8%
International In-Country	\$1,146.8	19.9%
Public Education and Outreach	\$1,035.6	17.9%
Permanency	\$659.9	11.4%
Summer Miracles	\$470.9	8.2%
EMBRACE	\$443.2	7.7%
Management and General	\$325.1	5.6%
Fundraising	\$257.1	4.5%
<b>TOTAL OPERATING EXPENSES</b>	<b>\$5,772.4</b>	<b>100.0%</b>





