

GOOD SAMARITAN BOYS RANCH

2020 Annual Report

WHO WE ARE

A safe and caring environment for traumatized, at-risk youth in Foster Care to grow and mature in positive ways

WHAT WE DO

Support traumatized, abused and/or neglected youth become responsible, productive adults

100%

have suffered some sort of trauma with an average score of 6/10 on Adverse Childhood Experience scale.

100%

are from broken or non-existent families

50%

are underperforming academically or have dropped out of school

IN 2020

RESIDENTIAL

- Some **25,000 hours** of individual, group and family **therapy sessions** provided by 12 master level professional therapists.
- **150** youth in **residential care**.
- **250** youth in **transitional** or **independent living**, including young mothers, who are aging out of the foster care system.
- **84 foster families**.
- **Equine assisted psychotherapy** with three EAGALA (Equine Assisted Growth and Learning Association) certified professionals.

TRANSITIONAL

- Footsteps (males) and Laura's Home (females) are homes providing **assistance in learning how to live independently**: Budgeting, cleaning and cooking. All are completing school or have a job.
- Leonard's Landing includes eight apartments for youth transitioning from a structured environment, but still **benefiting from staff assistance**.

FAMILY SERVICES

(STABILIZATION SERVICES IN 2021)

- Recruits and trains foster families to assist the **specific needs of our youth**.
- Aftercare, a service to continue some **basic support** as appropriate to either **youth or foster families**.

ACCOMPLISH

COA ACCREDITATION

Good Samaritan Boys Ranch received the full, four year accreditation.

CHILD ADVOCATE OF THE YEAR

The Ozarks Health Advocacy Foundation (OHAF) provides financial support to non-profit organizations that strive to meet children's health needs in southwest Missouri. OHAF also recognizes individuals who demonstrate excellence in meeting those children's needs.

Angie Sicheluff, clinical director, received the 2020 Child Health Advocate of the Year Award.



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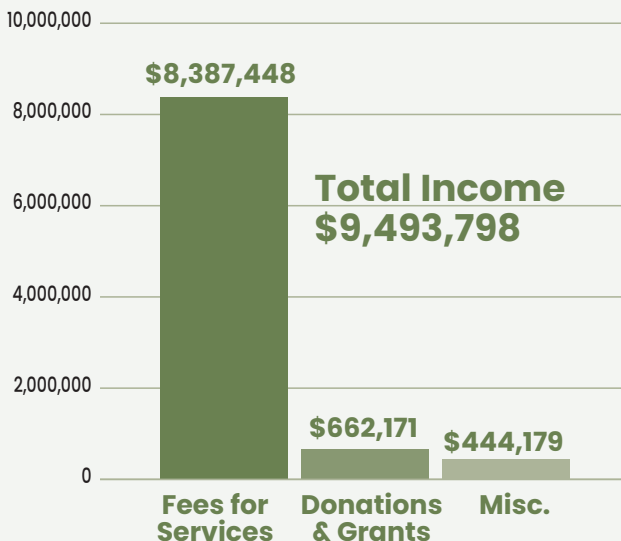
In her nomination, Casey Wray, President and CEO of Good Samaritan Boys Ranch, commended many of the ways that Angie has exuded "hope, care and acceptance to all of those around her." During the 26 years that she has been at the Ranch, she has provided encouragement and expertise to over one hundred kids and families annually. Angie has also handled cases that have involved the most challenging behavioral and psychological problems. Casey described how she helped one particular young man overcome emotional obstacles, which allowed him to gradually restore his relationship with his family and reenter his home and school environments. Along with managing her own caseloads, Angie consistently sacrifices her time to mentor young clinicians who need advice and support.



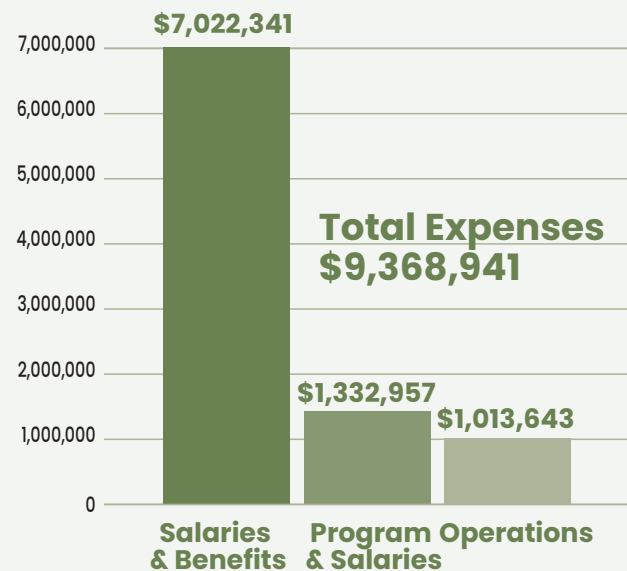
Angie Siceluff, (L) and Marla Witthar, OHAF

FINANCIALS

INCOME

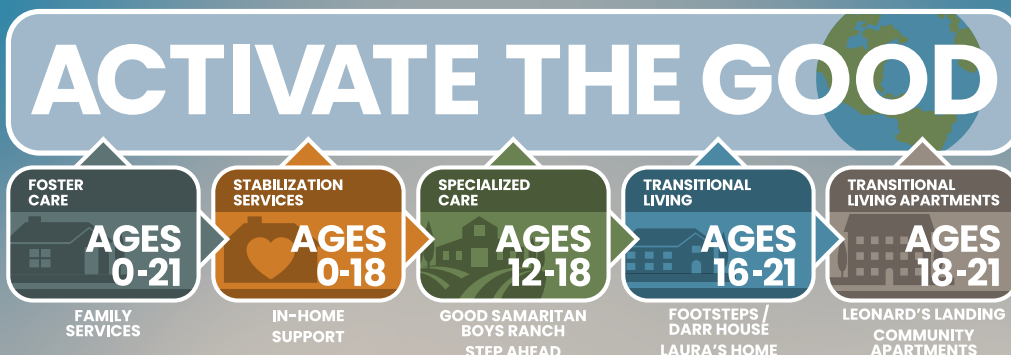


EXPENSES



Donations, grants and special events raise dollars to support the programs and therapies for at risk youth.

2020 was a record year with \$662,171 raised.





COMMENTS

2020 will be a year that we will remember for the rest of our lives. It was a year that attempted to divide us. A year that attempted to cripple us. A year in which many were relegated to their homes. At the Good Samaritan Boys Ranch, the mission never changed. Take care of the kids and families in our care, and take care of each other. Our staff showed up day in and day out. They tolerated masks, risked sickness, and came together for our common mission, rather than focusing on our differences.

Fiscally, 2020 will go down as one of the most successful years the Good Samaritan Boys Ranch has ever seen. Our supporters showed that we were not forgotten as we battled on the front lines. Since 2015 our operating budget has gone from 5 million dollars to nearly 10 million. We have seen exponential growth during uncertain times.

As a result of this, we have been able to systematically begin making upgrades to some of our aging facilities. Physical environment is such an important component to promote hope and healing. It is our hope to continue to provide the best possible facilities for our kids and staff as we continue to look towards the future.

For 2021 and beyond, I am filled with hope and excitement. For so many years the Good Samaritan Boys Ranch has set the standard for helping kids who could not help themselves. Thousands of foster kids have entered and exited our programs. We have helped them heal and helped them prepare for what is ahead.

The time has come for us to do more than just help kids put the pieces of their lives back together. Beginning this year, the Good Samaritan Boys Ranch will begin to focus on prevention and stabilization for children and families. Imagine a

world in which abuse and neglect are a thing of the past. Our goal is to be able to provide support for kids and families before the walls start to crumble. We are excited to be adding three new programs to our service array over the next 12 months. The first is School Based Counseling for the Pleasant Hope School District. Pleasant Hope has been a wonderful partner providing educational support for all the boys in our Specialized Treatment program in Brighton. We are honored to return the favor by providing the opportunity for emotional support to all students in the Pleasant Hope School District beginning in the Fall of 2021.

Additionally, we are starting a parenting program for parents of young children. It is our goal to strengthen and educate over 80 parents/families over the next year. In doing so, we hope to reduce the number of kids that come into the Foster Care System, and equip parents with the skills to provide a loving, safe, nurturing environment for their family.

Lastly, we will be entering into a partnership with Greene County. Providing support services to help strengthen and preserve adoptive families. Foster and Adoptive parents are providing such a valuable service to our community, they need all the support they can get, and we are honored to provide that support.

As 2020 becomes a distant memory, we realize that this last year has left an indelible mark on all of us for years to come. Thank you to all of our Good Samaritans who have come alongside us this year, those who have stayed with us for so many years. You are helping us have an incredible impact on the lives of kids and families throughout the great state of Missouri.

— Casey Wray, President/CEO



You may notice that we have a new logo, but rest assured that while the look may be new, the mission remains the same. A mission that could not be accomplished without our incredible staff, and the countless Good Samaritans who take the time to support and equip us to fulfill our mission.

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