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MESSAGE FROM THE FOUNDER

Thank you for reviewing the Cool Kids Campaign 2018 Annual Report. Our mission from day one has been to provide kids with cancer and their families a higher quality of life. We think kids are cool – sick or healthy!



When Cool Kids Campaign was established in 2006, some wondered where the idea of assisting kids with cancer would lead us and how we would stand apart from similar organizations. Looking back over the past nine years has allowed us to know one thing for sure – Cool Kids Campaign has significantly and directly impacted hundreds of children and their families across the country as they have utilized our free programs.

We have been asked, is it difficult to be around children with cancer? No. There is nothing hard about possessing an endless passion to serve kids with cancer and to help add a bit of happiness to their lives. We feel truly blessed to have this opportunity – one we do not take for granted. Since we have strived to design programs that directly impact the kids, we take great pride in our Cool Kids Clubhouse, established fall 2011. Keep in mind that we believe this is just the beginning of a vital need to serve more kids with cancer in Maryland.

With the continued support of sponsors and donors – people like you – we envision extending our reach. There is unlimited potential! To learn more about our foundation, visit us online at coolkidscampaign.org.



My gratitude on behalf of the Cool Kids, Chris Federico, President and Founder







SMILE CELEBRATIONS – A new program for 2018 was designed for our Cool Kids to celebrate their birthday or other important milestones such as the end of cancer treatment.

MOVIE NIGHT – Our Cool Kids and their siblings are able to play, make crafts, and watch a movie while their parents enjoy an evening out.

MOMMY DROP OFF – This is a weekly program designed to take place during summer where parents drop off their Cool Kids at the clubhouse for a few hours to do arts and crafts.

CARE PACKAGES – Our customized care packages are sent to pediatric oncology patients across the U.S. The items in these care packages are carefully chosen by our Care Package Coordinator, Patty Douglas.

CAMP – This camp is the only local camp that invites both the patients and their siblings to share in a special weekend. An added bonus is that so many of our Cool Kids were able to be together for a long weekend where they could strengthen their bond with all of their Cool Kid friends.

TUTORING – Students are paired with volunteer tutors (typically retired or active teachers) who assist with schoolwork and subjects where the child requires extra assistance.

CONNECTION NEWSPAPER – This is an interactive and positive newspaper that is written by the kids with cancer for the kids with cancer. Mailed to many pediatric oncology hospitals across the country.

SUPPORT SERVICES

CARE CONDO

Located in Charlotte, NC our care condo provides a place for families being treated at Charlotte area hospitals to stay during bone marrow transplants or any other long-term cancer treatment.

MYRTLE BEACH CONDO

Our Myrtle Beach condo is available at no cost to all of our eligible families. Our Cool Kids' families can choose one week throughout the entire year where they can reconnect and have fun together on vacation.



Our book is a compilation of advice for newly diagnosed patients by current and surviving families and Cool Kids. This book takes a new family from the initial diagnosis through each stage of their cancer treatments to survivorship. The book touches on the good and bad they may find along the way, including a lot of helpful hints they will find useful.

CANCER FEARS ME!

Our Cancer Fears Me merchandise provides a strong and powerful statement to all of those diagnosed and living with cancer. Our Cool Kids families have adopted this slogan as their rally cry throughout their entire cancer journey. In addition we include a Cancer Fears Me item with every care package we send to our Cool Kids.



BOURBON & BLUEGRASS – Our Bourbon and Bluegrass event took place at The Manor Tavern. It was an enjoyable evening filled with shopping with local vendors, bourbon tastings from various distilleries, and a great menu provided by Chef George Batlas.

KEN SINGLETON CELEBRITY CLASSIC – Ken Singleton, NY Yankees' broadcaster and retired baseball pro, is the host for our annual Ken Singleton Celebrity Classic held in Baltimore, Maryland. 2018 was the 10th anniversary where we had an impressive array of sports and entertainment celebrities for a three day memorable experience.

DAN JANSEN CELEBRITY CLASSIC – Dan Jansen, 1994 Olympic Gold Medalist Speed Skater, is the host for our Dan Jansen Celebrity Classic held in Charlotte, North Carolina. This three day event is highlighted by an unforgettable concert performed by Rascal Flatts, Joe Don Rooney, Jay DeMarcus, along with Chicago's Jason Scheff. Proceeds from this great event help to support Cool Kids Campaign and the Dan Jansen Foundation, which also helps families battling cancer.

MIKE ERUZIONE CELEBRITY CLASSIC – Mike Eruzione is the U.S. Olympic Gold Medalist Hockey player who scored the winning goal against the Soviet Union in the 1980 Olympics. Mike is the host of our Mike Eruzione Celebrity Classic held in Boston, Massachusetts. Proceeds from Mike's event benefit Winthrop Charities and Cool Kids Campaign.

BALTIMORE RUNNING FESTIVAL – Team Cool Kids participated in this annual event where our runners had the option to take part in a 5k fun, a relay, and a half or full marathon.





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"Being a former third grade teacher, it was important to me that our real estate team partnered up with a local charity that helped children. When I discovered Cool Kids Campaign I was blown away by the level of support they give to children with cancer and their families. I knew right then it was something I wanted to be a part of!" – Jen Peters

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"Giving...making a difference in someone's life" has been the mission of Jersey Mike's from the beginning. Since 2010, Jersey Mike's locations throughout the country have raised more than \$28 million for worthy local charities. It has been a pleasure to support the fine work of the Cool Kids Campaign Foundation. We believe in their mission to improve the quality of life for children living with cancer." – Harold Wood, Director of Operations

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RICK DAVISON

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A huge thank you to all of the companies below who participated in our Trees of Hope program. 2018 was a tremendous year for the program. Our Cool Kids and their siblings will benefit from your amazing generosity.



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MEET THE STAFF



CHRIS FEDERICO - PRESIDENT & FOUNDER

Chris was born and raised in Baltimore and graduated from Loyola-Blakefield High School and Villa Julie College. His passion to create this foundation derived from the loss of his mother, Susannah Federico, to Leukemia in 1995. Chris understands how blessed he is to be surrounded with an outstanding board, wonderful staff, and the best "cool kids" and their families. He feels privileged to be in a position to help families, knowing that Cool Kids Campaign is making a positive difference in their lives.





JANET ROBINSON - OPERATIONS MANAGER

Janet was born and raised in Baltimore. She worked as a manager in operations for Alex Brown & Sons and Deutsche Bank. Janet has known Chris Federico, a former colleague from Alex Brown since 1993. She began volunteering with the Cool Kids Campaign in the fall of 2017. Janet enjoyed the time spent at Cool Kids Campaign and realized she was qualified for the operations position when it became available. She is excited to work with this incredible organization and is impressed with the passion, dedication, and support of the team. Janet lives in Towson with her husband JR.



RENEE WOODING - DIRECTOR OF PHILANTHROPHY

Renee is a Baltimore native who spent the majority of her career in corporate banking, most recently as a Treasury Management Senior Vice President at PNC. During her banking career, she indulged her passion for working with nonprofits by serving on the PNC Charitable Contributions Committee and holding officer positions on the boards of Alzheimer's Association of Greater Maryland, Arts Education in Maryland Schools, and American Visionary Arts Museum. She holds a Business and Marketing BA degree from the University of Baltimore and a Masters in Business from Notre Dame of Maryland University. She is the recipient of a Pollard Prize for Leadership and a Gallup Great Workplace Award for Management Excellence. Renee is excited to use her experience to help Cool Kids reach even more families.



JULIE SEECHUK - COMMUNITY RELATIONS COORDINATOR

Julie was born and raised in Baltimore, Maryland. She has years of experience working with children of all ages. Julie graduated from Salisbury University in 2015 with a degree in Interdisciplinary Studies with concentrations in Psychology and Social Work. During her time at Salisbury she interned at Wicomico County Local Management Board where she helped the director with an anti-bullying project and raised money with her sorority for Children's Miracle Network Hospitals. When Julie is not working or studying, she is a soundtrack vocalist for composers nationally and internationally. She is very excited to start a new opportunity working with the Cool Kids Campaign while also continuing to pursue her Masters in Social Work.



PATTY DOUGLAS - CARE PACKAGE COORDINATOR

Patty was born and raised in Maryland. She spent the early part of her adult life raising her four children on her horse farm located in Northern Baltimore County. Patty has always had a desire to help others, first she worked at a PT office for eight years, then she started cooking for people who were fighting a battle with cancer. In 2011, Patty started as a volunteer making care packages at our Cool Kids Clubhouse. Since then, Patty has not only put our care packages together, but has added a personalized touch to every package she sends to our Cool Kids and their siblings around the country. In addition to the care packages, Patty also assists our staff with many of our events and fundraisers.

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BALANCE SHEET

Total Assets – \$375,614 **Total Liabilities** – \$76,033 Net Assets - \$299,581

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Gross Profit – \$750,007 **Total Expense** – \$715,456 Net Income - \$34,551



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We recognize that everyone has something special to give. What is your specialty?

TIME – If you are interested in volunteering in either our Clubhouse or at one of our events, please call our office at 410-560-1770. You may also visit our website and submit the application: coolkidscampaign.org/how-to-help/volunteer/

TALENT – If you have a talent you would like to share with our foundation, please email janet@coolkidscampaign.org and let us know what it is!

TREASURE – If you would like to make a donation, go to coolkidscampaign.org/donate-now or mail a check payable to: *Cool Kids Campaign*



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