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Dear Friends of Kosair Kids®

We are proud to announce that Kosair Charities committed financial support for over 100 agencies during the 2015-2016 fiscal year. These gifts and grants include the current portion of multi-year commitments, charitable leases and program assistance, as well as matching and challenge grant initiatives. In 2015-2016, Kosair Charities has committed millions of dollars to organizations and programs that benefit children in our community.

Kosair Charities’ mission is to protect the health and well-being of children in Kentucky and Southern Indiana by providing financial support for clinical services, research, pediatric healthcare education and child advocacy. By supporting non-profit organizations in the Kentuckiana area, such as Visually Impaired Preschool Services, Heuser Hearing Institute, The Center for Women and Families, Kids Center for Pediatric Therapies, and West End School, we continue to change the lives of Kosair Kids®.

On behalf of all of our Kosair Kids®, Kosair Charities offers sincere appreciation to individuals belonging to our 1000 Club, 982 Society and W. Barnett Owen Society, as well as local businesses belonging to our new Corporate Kite Club. More information on these giving clubs, as well as a listing of their members, can be found in this report. Additionally, we are grateful to our donors who make gifts at all levels. As you review the 2015-2016 Gifts and Grants Report, remember every gift, no matter the size, makes a difference in the life of a child.

When you see the Kosair Charities logo with our kite flying high, remember all of the Kosair Kids® whose lives have been lifted up thanks to your overwhelming support.

Sincerely

Jerry W. Ward, Chairman
Kosair Charities Committee, Inc.
Gift Clubs

1000 Club

1000 Club is a premiere annual giving society for individual donors who give $100 or more to Kosair Charities each year. Members fall into one of four levels based on their annual giving:

- **Platinum Level**: $1000 or more
- **Gold Level**: $500-999
- **Silver Level**: $250-499
- **Bronze Level**: $100-249

Our 1000 club members are an exceptional group of individuals who believe strongly in the mission of Kosair Charities. Their gifts help ensure that children across Kentucky and Southern Indiana receive the resources they need to lead happy, healthy lives—even in the most dire of circumstances.

982 Society

Named for the historic location of the original Kosair Crippled Children Hospital at 982 Eastern Parkway, which continues to be Kosair Charities’ home today, the 982 Society is a prestigious donor recognition society that honors and celebrates those contributors who have achieved lifetime giving levels of $10,000 or more. All outright gifts to Kosair Charities are included in a donor’s cumulative totals, including both designated and undesignated gifts.

W. Barnett Owen Society

Dr. W. Barnett Owen was the first orthopedic specialist in Kentucky. A long-time advocate supporting children’s access to quality healthcare, Dr. Owen provided the impetus for building Kosair Crippled Children Hospital. As a member of the Kosair Shrine Temple he presented a plan to his fellow Nobles to fund a free convalescent home for children. His initial idea grew, and as a result, the Kosair Crippled Children Hospital proudly accepted its first patient on May 1, 1926. The 50-bed hospital was the first in Kentucky exclusively for children with physical disabilities.

The W. Barnett Owen Society honors this legacy and those people who, like Dr. Owen, care deeply for children and their future. The Society recognizes donors who have made gifts to Kosair Charities through their wills, trusts, or other estate planning vehicles. Dr. Owen’s care and concern for the children of Kentucky and southern Indiana lives on through the mission of Kosair Charities. Membership in the W. Barnett Owen Society gives supporters of Kosair Charities a similar opportunity to perpetuate their own compassion for children.
Since 1923, many corporations have supported Kosair Charities to help continue our mission. Therefore in 2015, Kosair Charities formed the Corporate Kite Club to recognize and thank these organizations. The Kosair Charities Corporate Kite Club is a group of businesses that are dedicated to supporting and enhancing the health and well-being of children throughout Kentucky and Southern Indiana.

**Corporate Kite Club Membership:**
- The Corporate Kite Club Membership is achieved on an annual basis in October.
- Cumulative yearly donation or sponsorship must reach or exceed $5,000.
- In addition to donations, it is encouraged to become involved with Kosair Charities through events, programs, and community involvement.

**Corporate Kite Club Recognitions:**
- A plaque in recognition of our outstanding partnership
- Listed on www.kosair.org
- Company logo on Corporate Kite Club banner present at Kosair Charities events (average of 50 events annually)
- Posts on social media outlets to thank you for your commitment to Kosair Charities
- Opportunity to have a featured story in Kite Tales, Kosair Charities’ publication, or website
- Eligible to be named “Corporate Kite Club Member of the Year,” which will be awarded at a Kosair Charities event.

We thank these local businesses for supporting our Kosair Kids®

Abel Construction  
Bluegrass Indoor Karting  
CAL Laboratory Services  
CH Guenther  
ClearArc Capital, Inc.  
Coca-Cola  
COIT Cleaning Services  
Clariant PP Catalyst Project  
ConAgra Foods  
Dr. Pepper  
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Flexible Packaging  
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Greenstream International  
Ken’s Beverages  
KentuckyOne Health  
Landstar  
LG&E and KU Energy  
Lusk Mechanical  
Martin Brower Co.  
McDonald’s  
Mercer Transportation Co.  
Mister "P" Express, Inc  
Morgan Stanley  
Owen Funeral Homes  
Park Community Credit Union  
Paul Elmes Corporation  
PNC Bank  
Premier Packaging  
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The Benefits Firm  
Thortons  
Timco Aviation Services  
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Zeon Chemicals

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Boys and Girls Haven, Inc.
$25,000
Boys and Girls Haven exists to shelter, heal and teach struggling young people to become healthy and productive members of our community. Grant money will support the therapeutic and medical treatment for children in Kentucky’s foster care system.

Camp Quality USA, Inc. – Kentuckiana Chapter
$20,000
Camp Quality is a weeklong, volunteer-run summer camp that allows children with cancer to leave their illness behind and enjoy being a kid. Grant money will assist in covering expenses associated with the campground, the Louisville Bats baseball game event, lunch and butterfly release for pediatric cancer awareness, and the reunion dinner.

CASA of the Heartland, Inc.
$5,000
CASA serves the best interest of children in the court system due to dependency, abuse or neglect. Grant money will be used to fund a new 0.5 FTE Advocate Coordinator position, who will supervise up to 30 volunteers or a maximum of 45 court cases for children.

CASA of the River Region, Inc.
$100,000
CASA serves the best interest of children in the court system due to dependency, abuse or neglect. Grant money will support recruitment and training of volunteers to meet the vision that every abused and neglected child will have a CASA advocate to fight for their best interests to thrive in safe, permanent homes.

CASA Program for Bullitt County, Inc.
$5,000
CASA serves the best interest of children in the court system due to dependency, abuse or neglect. Grant money will support the expansion of advocacy to children awaiting a volunteer in the court system and fund a part-time employee to help recruit, train and supervise volunteers.

Center for Nonprofit Excellence, Inc.
$35,000
CNPE cultivates a vibrant nonprofit community in Greater Louisville through collaboration, shared learning and advocacy. Grant money will assist in funding BoardMatch—a program that assists nonprofit organizations in locating and effectively engaging corporate talent to lead and serve on their boards of directors.

Center for Women and Families, Inc. (The)
Current Contribution: $100,000
Total Commitment: $1,000,000
CWF helps victims of intimate partner abuse or sexual violence become survivors through supportive services, community education, and cooperative partnerships that foster hope, promote self-sufficiency and rebuild lives. Grant money will be used to develop the Kosair Charities Children & Youth Violence Prevention Center.

Charitable Leases
The Kosair Charities Center and Kosair Charities East Campus is home not only to Kosair Charities’ offices, but also to several other non-profit organizations. Many of these organizations have had a long relationship with Kosair Charities and all of them directly serve children in the community. Kosair Charities is proud to provide space on both campuses rent-free to the following organizations:

- Bluegrass Center for Autism
- CASA of the River Region
- Epilepsy Foundation
- Huntington’s Disease Society of America-Kentucky Chapter
- Kids Center for Pediatric Therapies
- Louisville Metro Police Foundation
- Louisville Pediatric Therapy Center
- Spina Bifida Association of Kentucky
- Trust for Life
- U of L Pediatric Clinic, Dental Clinic, and Autism Center

Kite watermarks represent multi-year commitments.
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Cystic Fibrosis Foundation $5,000
Cystic Fibrosis Foundation aims to cure cystic fibrosis and to provide all people with the disease the opportunity to lead full, productive lives. Grant money will support the quality, individualized and specialized care for all Cystic Fibrosis patients in the community.

Dare to Care Food Bank, Inc. $14,440
Dare to Care strives to lead our community to feed the hungry and conquer the cycle of need. Grant money will support Backpack Buddy, a program that will provide children at Churchill Park School, the majority of whom have special needs, and Alfred Binet School with nutritious meals over the weekend during the 2015-2016 school year.

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Dorman Preschool Center, Inc. $25,000
Dorman Preschool Center provides early intervention to children 21 months to 5 years, including those that have been diagnosed with a disability, show signs of developmental delay, or are at risk in their environment. Grant money will help to support the renovation of the Preschool and Toddler Playground.

Down Syndrome of Louisville, Inc. $95,270
DSL provides information, support and education for children and their families affected by Down syndrome. Grant money will enable them to improve outreach and member management efforts, as well as increase organizational capacity to serve more individuals with Down syndrome.

ECTION Foundation, Inc. $25,000
The ECTION Foundation raises funds and community awareness for a cure for Duchenne Muscular Dystrophy and to create fully accessible playground areas for all children. Grant money will be used to fund the “Play Together” Playground Project.

Dreams with Wings, Inc. $75,000
Dreams with Wings empowers children with intellectual and developmental disabilities including autism as they recognize their strengths, contribute to their community and pursue their dreams. Grant money will fund the expansion of the Behavior Program to allow for the acceptance of new referrals.

Eastern Area Community Ministries, Inc. $6,500
EACM partners with people in need or crisis to equip and support them in leading lives of stability and dignity. Grant money will be used for the Good Start for Kids program, which supplies diapers, formula, baby clothes, blankets, clothing and other baby supplies to families with babies at risk of hunger, abuse or neglect, and the Christmas Store, which provides items for underprivileged families in the community.

ECHO (Exploited Children’s Help Organization), Inc. $25,000
ECHO is dedicated to preventing and reducing the incidence and impact of child abuse in Metro Louisville and surrounding areas. Grant money will be used to expand ECHO’s prevention education and victim identification program.

Epilepsy Foundation of Kentuckiana, Inc. $25,000
Epilepsy Foundation serves over 153,000 children, adults and veterans living with epilepsy and seizure disorders. Grant money will fund continued efforts to bring children living with and affected by seizures together through monthly group activities and equip parents new to the world of epilepsy with tools that will empower them to overcome a myriad of challenges.

Family and Children’s Place, Inc. $75,000
Family and Children’s Place strengthens our community by providing healing services after the trauma of abuse, violence and neglect. Grant money will be used to fund the position of Forensic Interviewer/ Family Therapist and to support operating costs for the Kosair Charities Child Advocacy Center.

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The partnership between CMKI and Kosair Charities focuses on establishing outreach clinics to find and treat children with congenital defects and other hand injuries. In addition, basic research in brain plasticity and immunosuppression minimization will be initiated in hopes of safely establishing a pediatric hand transplant program.

Custom Quality Services, Inc. $15,000
CQS provides work for the mentally challenged and developmentally disabled. Grant money will support the restructure of the facility and fund a security system that will allow for greater protection of employees with special needs.

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Family Scholar House, Inc.  
$7,500
Family Scholar House strives to end the cycle of poverty and transform our community by empowering families and youth to succeed in education and achieve life-long self-sufficiency. Grant money will be used to fund the Healthy Me! program, which has a goal to improve the health of disadvantaged children, all of whom have been negatively impacted by the effects of poverty, homelessness and unstable housing, and family violence.

Food Literacy Project  
at Oxmoor Farm, Inc. (The)  
$10,000
FLP fulfills an unmet community need to provide education and training, work experience, and hands-on experience with fresh foods for youth and families. Grant money will be used to fund the Field-to-Fork program, which offers experience in the outdoor classroom at Oxmoor Farm.

Friends School, Inc.  
Current Contribution: $25,000  
Total Commitment: $100,000
Friends School provides education to a diverse population of learners. Grant money will be used to fund three new assistant teachers to support up to 20 students with moderate to severe special needs.

Fund for the Arts, Inc.  
$120,000
Fund for the Arts is committed to leveraging the power of the arts to impact economic development, education and quality of life. Grant money will be used to fund arts residencies at six partner agencies: Heuser Hearing Institute, Home of the Innocents, Americana Community Center, Louisville Central Community Center, Summit Academy and Visually Impaired Preschool Services.

Gilda’s Club Louisville, Inc.  
$156,000
Gilda’s Club ensures that all people impacted by cancer are empowered by knowledge, strengthened by action, and sustained by the community. Grant money will be used to sustain and expand the youth program to children affected by cancer.

Girl Scouts of Kentucky, Inc.  
$10,000
Girl Scouts of Kentucky builds girls of courage, confidence and character who make the world a better place. Grant money will help to expand outreach programming for special populations, including girls from low-income households, girls with special needs, and girls from inner-city or rural areas where little youth programming is available and accessible.

Green Hill Therapy, Inc.  
$30,000
GHT provides traditional physical and occupational therapy, hippotherapy, aquatherapy and technology-based intervention to children with special needs, regardless of their ability to pay. Grant money will continue to fund the Saddle Up program for kids who depend on certified therapists, horse heroes and dedicated volunteers.

Healing Place (The)  
Current Contribution: $100,000  
Total Commitment: $1,100,000
The Healing Place serves the homeless, hungry and addicted. Grant money will be used to better expand the Women and Children’s Center, which offers specialty services in a safe and nurturing environment.

Home of the Innocents, Inc.  
Current Contribution: $263,000  
Total Commitments: $1,266,000
HOI is the region’s open arms to kids in crisis since 1880. Grant money will be used for the purchase of replacement furniture for the children’s living quarters in the Childkind Center’s emergency shelter and residential treatment programs.

Hope Southern Indiana, Inc.  
$5,000
HSI exists to best utilize the diverse resources of the whole community to provide a vast array of excellent services and opportunities that promote individual and family stability. Grant money will support the Pack the Bus and Clothe-A-Teen programs.

Hosparus, Inc.  
$25,000
Hosparus provides compassionate end-of-life care and enhances the quality of life for patients of all ages with life-limiting illnesses. Grant money will support the care of children with life-threatening illnesses and their families through the Kourageous Kids Palliative Care Program.

House of Ruth, Inc.  
$5,000
House of Ruth strengthens lives for those with or affected by HIV/AIDS. Grant money will fund the Children’s School Success program, which provides basic school supplies and necessitites for children in the Metro Louisville area who are infected or affected by HIV/AIDS.

Huntington’s Disease Society of America, Inc. – Kentucky Chapter  
$5,000
Huntington’s Disease Society of America assists families living with Huntington’s Disease, educates the public and health officials about the disease and aid in research for a cure. Grant money will help to expand the society’s education and training program and to support the search for a cure.

Jewish Family and Career Services of Louisville, Inc.  
$10,000
JFCS serves the entire community with programs focusing on family, education, older adults, immigrants and refugees. Grant money will help to increase the number of at-risk children who will receive intensive play therapy in order to deal with violence, family trauma and dysfunction and illness.
Kentucky Center for the Arts Foundation, Inc.  
$10,000  
Kentucky Center for the Arts Foundation raises money for the Kentucky Center for the Performing Arts, which believes in delivering diverse and high-quality performances. Grant money will be used to support the Kentucky Center’s Art in Healing Program, which creates environments that are inspirational to children suffering from physical, mental or emotional difficulties.

Kentucky Hemophilia Foundation, Inc.  
$25,000  
KHF improves the overall health and quality of life for children and adults with hemophilia and similar lifelong bleeding disorders. Grant money will support children’s services for a 12-month period.

KentuckyOne Health, Kosair Charities Peace Center at Our Lady of Peace  
Current Contribution: $100,000  
Total Commitment: $1,000,000  
Grant money will provide additional scholarships for at-risk children to offer intensive play therapy in order to deal with violence, family trauma and dysfunction, and illness.

Kids Center for Pediatric Therapies, Inc.  
$275,000  
KCPT focuses on improving the lives of children with special needs. The center helps families with care and therapy for their special-needs children. Grant money will be used to fund operating expenses not covered by reimbursements and to help fund an Executive Director position.

Lake Cumberland Children’s Advocacy Center  
$2,500  
LCCAC provides joint agency support services which prevents further victimization of sexually abused children and minimizes the emotional trauma to the child victim and their non-offending caregivers. Grant money will be used to continue its services.

Leukemia and Lymphoma Society, Inc. (The)  
$5,000  
LLS strives to cure leukemia, lymphoma, Hodgkin’s disease and myeloma, and improves the quality of life for patients and their families. Grant money will be used to fund the travel assistance program, which provides travel assistance dollars to the neediest patients in the chapter area.

Lindsey Wilson College, Inc.  
Current Contribution: $80,000  
Total Commitment: $240,000  
LWC serves the educational needs of students by providing a living-learning environment within an atmosphere of active caring and Christian concern. Grant money will be used to fund the Transform the Future project, which will improve the care of infants with Neonatal Abstinence Syndrome, enhance prevention efforts and increase public awareness.

Louisville Central Community Centers  
$40,000  
LCC advances self-reliance by increasing competence and confidence among individuals and families in Russell and the larger community. Grant money will be used to support young, fragile children by preventing abuse and neglect.

Louisville Metro Police Foundation, Inc.  
$35,000  
LMPF enhances the effectiveness of the LMPD to make Louisville a safer place to live, work, play and visit. Grant money will be used to support LMPD Shop with a Cop, Explorer Camp, Officer in Distress Fund, Crisis Intervention Team Conference and the LMPF Scholarship Program.

Louisville Pediatric Therapy Center, Inc.  
Current Contribution: $132,500  
Total Commitment: $265,000  
LPTC provides exceptional therapy services, education, and advocacy so that children living with disabilities can live, learn, work and play in the community. Grant money will help fund an Executive Director position.

Maryhurst, Inc.  
Current Contribution: $115,007  
Total Commitment: $500,000  
Maryhurst is dedicated to providing care and commitment, strength and support, and healing and hope to children and families in great need. Grant money will be used to purchase supplies and equipment.

Meredith-Dunn School  
Current Contribution: $50,000  
Total Commitment: $100,000  
MDS provides special instruction in an environment that empowers students who learn differently. Grant money will be used to add 11,800 square feet to their facility for the Therapeutic Diagnostic Center.

Morton Center, Inc. (The)  
$2,500  
The Morton Center restores the health of individuals and families struggling with alcoholism and other addictions by providing specialized counseling and educational services. Grant money will help to fund scholarships to children and families who are economically disadvantaged and cannot afford to pay for specialized treatment.

National Multiple Sclerosis Society, Inc. – Kentucky/Southeast Indiana Chapter  
$15,000  
NMSS addresses the challenges of each person affected by MS by funding cutting edge research, driving change through advocacy, and facilitating professional programs and services designed to help people with MS. Grant money will support the MS “Kosair Kids®” at the “Moving Mountains for MS: Family Weekend Retreat.”

Parklands of Floyds Fork (The)  
Current Contribution: $50,000  
Total Commitment: $250,000  
Parklands is a systematic, world-class addition to Louisville’s parks system that, once completed, will include four major parks linked by a first-rate urban trail system and a remarkable water trail, all tracing Floyds Fork, a classic Kentucky stream. Grant money will be used to fund the fully accessible Cliffside Playground and Sprayground in The Parklands of Floyds Fork.
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Pitt Academy, Inc.
Current Contribution: $71,500
Total Commitment: $250,000
PA serves students with learning differences through individualized instruction and a low teacher-to-student ratio. Grant money will support the purchase of items to incorporate with daily instruction to increase the wellness of the student body.

Plymouth Community Renewal Center, Inc.
$5,000
PCRC enhances the quality of life of individuals, families, and youth metro-wide through a variety of social, educational, recreational and cultural programs and services. Grant money will support the year-round Academic Enrichment Program.

Project One, Inc.
$10,000
Project One helps to prevent the academic failure of economically disadvantaged children and youth and the unemployment of youth and young adults in the Louisville Metro area.

Salvation Army, Inc. (The)
$10,000
The Salvation Army meets the needs of the hungry and homeless or those affected by disaster and helps those individuals and families move forward from their deprived circumstances. Grant money will be used to continue funding the Pathway of Hope project.

Scottish Rite Club of Bullitt County
$6,000
The Scottish Rite Club of Bullitt County promotes fraternal fellowship among members to support public school education in Bullitt County. Grant money will be used to support their scholarship program.

Shively Area Ministries, Inc.
Current Contribution: $50,000
Total Commitment: $100,000
Shively Area Ministries responds to persons in poverty and/or crisis by uniting the community for service. Grant money will be used to fund the food assistance program, emergency assistance program and back to school supplies.

Shriners Hospital for Children, Inc.
– Lexington
Current Contribution: $500,283
Total Commitment: $1,250,000
Shriners Hospital for Children cares and treats children with neuromusculoskeletal conditions. Grant money will be used to fund a new Director of Research Development and sustain the Electronic Clinical Health Outcomes (ECHO) tool. Additionally, Kosair Charities has committed $1.25 million to the capital campaign for a new pediatric facility in Lexington.

Silver Heights Camp & Retreat Center, Inc.
$25,000
Silver Heights nurtures the spiritual, social and emotional needs of youth of all ages and abilities. Grant money will be used to rehabilitate a currently unused building on the property.

South Louisville Community Ministries, Inc.
$7,000
SLCM provides emergency assistance to families in crisis, food to those in need, medication assistance and job coaching. Grant money will support the purchase of basic necessities for children.

Spalding University, Inc.
$100,000
Spalding University is a diverse community of learners dedicated to meeting the needs of the times through quality undergraduate and graduate liberal and professional studies, grounded in spiritual values, with emphasis on service and the promotion of peace and justice. Grant money will support a new initiative that will promote playfulness, motivation, and joy in children with severe developmental movement and neurocognitive impairments.

SPAVA, Inc. (Society for the Prevention of Aggressiveness & Violence among Adolescents)
$10,000
SPAVA produces a nonviolent society by being mentors and role models for youth in the community. Grant money will be used to fund training and expand education in nonviolent practices further into the Louisville community.

Special Olympics Kentucky, Inc.
$5,000
Special Olympics Kentucky provides sports, health and educational programs to children with intellectual disabilities across Kentucky. Grant money will be used to fund sports programming for children.

Speed Art Museum, Inc.
$5,000
The Speed Art Museum discovers, together with its communities, the joy and power of great art. Grant money will be used to fund one of three “Wall Together” projects, which includes in-depth arts instruction for 50 participants, a corresponding exhibition and short documentary.

Spina Bifida Association of Kentucky, Inc.
$50,000
SBAK promotes the prevention of Spina Bifida and enhances the lives of all those affected. Grant money will be used to continue the vital programs offered to children affected by Spina Bifida.
University of Louisville
Current Contribution: $1,000,000
Grant money will help to fund research in pediatric infectious diseases, birth defects, forensic medicine and child neurology. Grant money will also continue funding the U of L Autism Center at Kosair Charities.

University of Louisville’s Kosair Charities Center for Pediatric Neurorecovery
Current Contribution: $1,000,000
Total Commitment: $7,300,000
Grant money will help to support the recruitment of pediatric rehabilitation personnel, purchase specialized pediatric rehabilitation equipment and support research that is exploring how to help children regain the use of limbs paralyzed as the result of spinal cord injuries and other causes.

Upside Therapeutic Riding, Inc.
$5,000
Upside Therapeutic Riding improves the lives of individuals with disabilities with equine assisted therapies and activities. Grant money will be used to support a scholarship program involving physical, occupational or speech therapy using Hippotherapy for 10 patients.

Visually Impaired Preschool Services, Inc.
$150,000
VIPS empowers families by providing educational excellence to young children with visual impairments in order to build a strong foundation for reaching their highest potential. Grant money will be used to support the Kosair Charities Kids Town Preschool program.

Grant Recipients
($1,500 and below)

Central Louisville Community Ministries, Inc.
The Council on Developmental Disabilities
ETA Teen Center, Inc.
Families for Effective Autism Treatment, Inc.
Fern Creek Highview United Ministries, Inc.
Kentucky Diabetes Camp for Children, Inc. (Camp Hendon)
Learning Center of Louisville, Inc. (The)
Lighthouse Promise, Inc.
South East Associated Ministries, Inc.
St. George’s Scholar Institute, Inc.
Village Learning Center of Louisville

YouthBuild Louisville is an education, job training, and leadership program for young adults. Youth ages 16-24 are supported to earn their high school credential; construction, Certified Nursing Assistant, environmental, and/or culinary certifications; and an AmeriCorps scholarship. Grant money will be used to complete YouthBuild Louisville’s Green Campus.
Kosair Charities’ annual gala got a new look and new name for 2015. The first annual Crystal Ball took place on Saturday, Sept. 19, at the Kosair Shrine Center. The evening included dinner, a live auction and entertainment featuring a speed painter, glass blower and the Tap Snap photo booth. More than 340 guests from Kosair Charities Supported Agencies attended where millions of dollars in grant support were announced to help improve the lives of children across Kentucky and southern Indiana.

**Roger Fox Award**

Dr. Melissa Currie, Associate Professor and Director of the Kosair Charities Division of Pediatric Forensic Medicine in the Department of Pediatrics at the University of Louisville School of Medicine, received the prestigious Roger Fox Award for her work in child abuse medicine and the Face It® child abuse campaign.

**Sam Swope Community Leadership Award**

Ulysses Lee “Junior” Bridgeman received the Sam Swope Community Leadership Award for his work with West End School, Junior Achievement, and Volunteers of America. Bridgeman is the owner and president of Manna Inc. which oversees the administration and operation of more than 400 restaurants in 15 states. He played basketball for the University of Louisville in the 1970s and had a 12-year career in the NBA, spent mostly with the Milwaukee Bucks.