



— CAROLINA —
HURRICANES
FOUNDATION

2018-19

SEASON IN REVIEW

The Foundation strives to meet the health and educational needs of children, with a focus on underserved populations, and to strengthen youth hockey in our community. Together, the Hurricanes players, coaches and entire organization take pride in being actively involved in our community and are committed to make a positive impact where we live, work and play. Since 1997, the Foundation has been dedicated to supporting youth-serving organizations in our community. This season, the Foundation awarded 25 cash grants totaling:

\$450K

\$150K* GOAL GRANT RECIPIENTS

*\$50K PER YEAR FOR 3 YEARS

FAMILIES MOVING FORWARD

Supported the growth of the children's program for families in crisis of homelessness. This program focuses on education, socio-emotional support and recreation to enhance the lives of participants.

READ AND FEED

Allowed for weekly visits to 20 neighborhood sites with their mobile unit to provide their participants with a literacy lesson and hot meal.

STEPUP MINISTRY

Funded the arts and etiquette curriculum as part of the children's program which includes a 10-week summer camp.

THE GREEN CHAIR PROJECT

Supported the expansion of the Sweeter Dreams program by providing 200 children annually with a new bed set whom otherwise would not have a bed to sleep in.

\$15K GAME CHANGER GRANT RECIPIENTS

DIAPER BANK OF NORTH CAROLINA

Provided diapers to 2,500 children whose families are part of various public safety net programs in North Carolina.

KESEM

Allowed 30 children whose parents are battling cancer to attend camp, free of charge, in a safe environment to process their feelings.

MARBLES KIDS MUSEUM

Supported healthy, active play experiences for children through funding visits and memberships, subsidized field trips, and camp scholarships.

NOTE IN THE POCKET

Provided clothing to students in Wake County in an effort to break the cycle of poverty and redirect students towards a better life through education.

\$30K GAME CHANGER GRANT RECIPIENT

THE MIRACLE LEAGUE OF THE TRIANGLE

Supported the development of their new field in Durham and will provide specialized equipment, jerseys and hats for the players.

\$10K GAME CHANGER GRANT RECIPIENTS

BOYS & GIRLS HOMES OF NORTH CAROLINA

Supported the foster care program in Wake County through providing foster parent training and certification.

INTER-FAITH FOOD SHUTTLE

Stocked one school pantry for a calendar year and delivered 3,000 meals directly into the hands of at-risk, elementary school children via the Backpack Buddies program.

CHATHAM EDUCATION FOUNDATION

Funded the Books on Break program, giving 1,350 children access to books in the Chatham County Schools.

FRANKIE LEMMON SCHOOL & DEVELOPMENTAL CENTER

Refurbished two playground areas to increase play with accessible and sensory-friendly equipment.

\$5K GAME CHANGER GRANT RECIPIENTS

DURHAM ARTS COUNCIL

Supported *Stories Come to Life*, a story writing and self-esteem building program for sixth graders that empowers students to tell their stories.

FLASHES OF HOPE

Provided photo session parties for over 200 pediatric cancer patients at UNC Children's Hospital and Duke Children's Hospital, allowing patients a chance to embrace their new appearance.

MUSEUM OF LIFE AND SCIENCE

Funded the Sensory Friendly Science program, offering four unique learning experiences throughout the year for members of the community with autism spectrum disorder (ASD) and their families.

YOUTH THRIVE

Supported 150 Wake County middle schoolers by providing college visits as part of a college readiness program to encourage a college-going culture amongst the students.

FUTURE CANES GRANT RECIPIENTS

CAPE FEAR YOUTH HOCKEY ASSOCIATION

\$10K granted to establish a scholarship fund for children of active duty or retired military members.

COASTAL CAROLINA HOCKEY ASSOCIATION

\$8K granted to assist in financial aid to at least 15 families to participate in youth hockey.

GREENSBORO YOUTH HOCKEY ASSOCIATION

\$8K granted to provide equipment for Learn to Play programs and purchase new goalie equipment.

RALEIGH YOUTH HOCKEY ASSOCIATION

\$35K granted to support development and growth of youth hockey through scholarships, girls hockey program, sled hockey program and Capital City Crew.

TRIAD HOCKEY ALLIANCE

\$6K granted to support recreational hockey and equipment for kids ages 10 and up.

TRIANGLE SPECIAL HOCKEY ASSOCIATION

\$12.5K granted to provide children with special needs the opportunity to participate in youth hockey, including adaptive hockey equipment.

TRIANGLE YOUTH HOCKEY OF NC

\$12.5K granted to assist with scholarships and sibling tuition relief.

WINSTON-SALEM YOUTH HOCKEY ASSOCIATION

\$8K granted to expand girls hockey, special hockey, sled hockey and Learn to Play programs.

THANK YOU

to our supportive players, coaches, Canes staff, corporate sponsors and generous fan base who participated in fundraisers throughout the year.