



2019 ANNUAL REVIEW

Denver Active

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CHILDREN'S
FOUNDATION

Building Leaders | Benefiting Children

Denver Active 20-30 Children's Foundation leaders have a transformative vision for the future.

2019



We launched our 5-year strategic plan with vigor! With a cohesive membership, stellar donor base, and new matching partnership with The Denver Post Community Foundation, we're on the path to accomplishing our philanthropic leadership goals.

We have a 32-year track record of cultivating members who tirelessly strive to deepen our positive impact and service to underprivileged youth. Through our first-class events, capacity building projects with non-profits we serve, and \$1M+ granted in 2019, we are proud to complete another year of meaningful service.

A true note of thanks to all our sponsors, friends, families and most importantly non-profit partners, for leveraging your time and treasures to improve the lives of so many here in Colorado.

Max Gansline

Past-President, 2018-2019

2020



We start our 33rd year continuing to build on a strong foundation focused on our commitment to Colorado's disadvantaged and at-risk youth.

In 2020, we will expand how we support and engage Colorado's non-profit community. We will forge new relationships with community partners who share our mission and vision. We will find new ways to maximize the impact our donors' generous support makes in the lives of Colorado's children. And, as always, we will strive to meet our highest standard; to do more than we have done in the past.

A most sincere thank you to our members, sponsors, partners, and donors who believe in the future of Colorado's disadvantaged children.

Cam Richards

President, 2019-2020

BEYOND



My inaugural year was illuminating. Our members came together to overcome logistical challenges to host amazing events. Our sponsors and donors stepped up with incredible support. And the children of Colorado benefited.

We made grants to 64 deserving nonprofits – including our first-ever grants named for donors. Notably, 154 applicants requested three times as much funding as we had available. We must reach a new level of performance and find new fundraising strategies and partnerships to fill this significant gap. We are grateful for your support in this challenging endeavor!

As our members exercise leadership to cultivate more funding, there's one promise I know we will keep: the children in our community will receive the best we have to give, every day.

Adam Cohen

Executive Director



Our members, sponsors, donors, and partners
GENERATED \$1M to support
Colorado's children in need in 2019.



Education

High school graduates earn \$260,000 more in their lifetimes than dropouts.



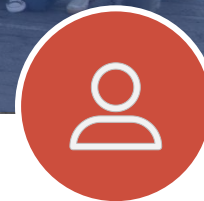
Health & Wellbeing

54,000 uninsured children in Colorado are 6 times more likely to go without care.



Child Advocacy

20,000+ children and families were involved in child welfare cases in Colorado this year.



Personal Enrichment

Children who are highly involved with the arts and enrichment outperform less-involved peers.

Amazing Results and Awesome Vision

Denver Active 20-30 Children's Foundation, through the amazing support of our donors and sponsors, makes a major impact.

\$1,020,000

2019 FUNDS GRANTED

64 vetted nonprofits received grants for programs that serve deserving children.

1,750+

2019 FUNDING GIFTS

Individual donors, sponsors, auction winners, and corporate matches provided funding.

6,500+

2019 ATTENDEES

Our world-class events hosted a record number of community leaders.

154 & 64

2019 GRANT APPLICANTS

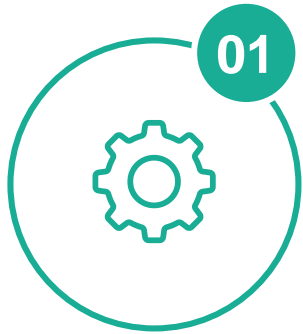
After evaluating 154 applicants, 64 nonprofits received grants in 2019.

VISION

By 2023 Denver Active 20-30 Children's Foundation will have doubled the amount of money raised and distributed over 2018.

Finding the Best of the Best

Our members perform due diligence in a rigorous evaluation process to elevate the top-performing nonprofits for grants.



APPLICATION

Non-profits spanning Education, Health & Well Being, Child Advocacy, and Personal Enrichment request grants.



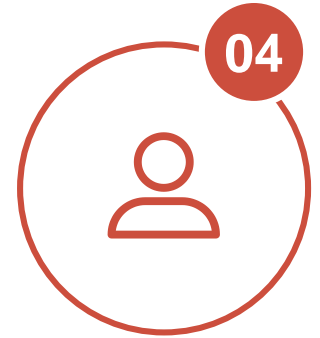
VISITS

Every Denver Active 20-30 member conducts at least one, and sometimes more, visits to evaluate applicant eligibility.



EVALUATION

The member-led Grant Review Committee evaluates the portfolio of member recommendations, proposing a grant funding slate.



APPROVAL

The entire membership reviews the proposed grants, advocates for changes, then votes to finalize the grant funding slate.

Making a Difference Where It Matters Most

Our members select high-impact nonprofits where fundraising dollars are used most meaningfully.



MINDS MATTER

Genius has no zip code. Our students are the proof.

100% of program graduates completed high school on time, attended a college summer program, and were accepted to a four-year college or university with scholarships in hand.



CHILDREN'S LITERACY CENTER

Building a life of success through a foundation of literacy...ONE child at a time.

95% of program participants develop a solid reading foundation essential to educational success and economic security and social stability.



COLORADO UPLIFT

Building long-term, life-changing relationships with urban youth.

Uplift programs address 38 of the 40 developmental assets needed for healthy growth according to the Search Institute.

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KIDS IN NEED OF DENTISTRY

Providing high-quality, affordable dental care to children in need throughout Colorado..

102 Low-income schools were served by mobile hygiene program and \$1,314,088 in free or reduced-cost dental care was provided last year.



THE ADOPTION EXCHANGE

Connecting children who wait in foster care and families who adopt.

343 Children now have families since January 1, 2019, and 9,733 children have joined their families since 1983.



WE DON'T WASTE

Reclaiming and redistributing quality food to those in need.

For every \$1 donated, \$20 of food is provided. More than 30 million food servings are recovered and distributed annually.

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A Precious Child
Adam's Camp
Adoption Options
Advocates for Children – CASA
Anchor Center for Blind Children
Art from Ashes
Attention Homes
Big Brothers Big Sisters of Colorado
Big City Mountaineers
Book Trust
Breakthrough Kent Denver
Breckenridge Outdoor Education Center
CASA of Adams and Broomfield Counties
CASA of Jefferson and Gilpin Counties
CASA of the Pikes Peak Region, Inc.
Child Advocates – Denver CASA
Children's Literacy Center
Clinica Tepeyac
Colorado "I Have A Dream" Foundation
Colorado Center for the Blind
Colorado Children's Chorale
Colorado FriendShip

Colorado UpLift
Colorado Youth for a Change
Denver Children's Advocacy Center
Denver Kids, Inc.
Environmental Learning for Kids
Extended Hands of Hope
Family HomeStead
Florence Crittenton Services
Food for Hope
Food For Thought Denver
FRIENDS FIRST, Inc.
Griffith Centers for Children
Heart and Hand Center
HOPE Center, Inc.
Illuminate Colorado
Invest in Kids
Jeffco Eats
Judi's House
Kids In Need of Dentistry
KidsTek
Listen Foundation, Inc.

MetroDenver Partners
Mile High 360
Minds Matter of Denver
National Sports Center for the Disabled
Platte Forum
Ralston House
Rocky Mountain Children's Law Center
SafeHouse Denver
Save Our Youth
Second Wind Fund
Shiloh House
Special Olympics Colorado
Spring Institute for Intercultural Learning
Scholars Unlimited
Sun Valley Youth Center
Tennyson Center for Children
The Adoption Exchange
The Buddy Program
We Don't Waste
YESS Institute
Young Americans Center for Financial Education

Creating Value with High-Experience Events

Our members put their mark on our fundraising events – planning, executing, and manning every event for our sponsors and their guests.

THE DENVER POLO CLASSIC

The 3-day Polo Classic hosted more than 3,500 people with a first-class Black Tie dinner and live auction, Family Day, and Championship polo.



LEADERS FORE KIDS GOLF CLASSIC

Our annual golf event enjoyed the beauty and player challenge of The Sanctuary, one of Colorado's most exclusive and unforgettable golfing venues.



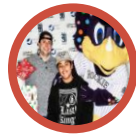
THE DENVER BARN PARTY

With another major country headliner on stage this year, great food and fun, the Barn Party showed again why it is Denver's hottest country music event.



CHRISTMAS FOR KIDS

A record-setting event this year afforded 150 underserved girls and boys the opportunity to shop for gifts for their family members at the holidays.



NAIOP FIGHT NIGHT

Thanks to the members and leaders of NAIOP, the raffle generated a record net gain again, and treated guests to a night of great food, fun, and prize fights.



MILE HIGH FACEOFF

On the Pepsi Center ice, amateur hockey players faced off in an exhibition matchup then enjoyed dinner, networking, and the Colorado Avalanche.



Honoring Your Contributions

We are humbled by the donors, sponsors, and partners who give so generously to improve the lives of disadvantaged children.



\$100K+

SCHOMP

\$25K - \$99,999

*Alliant Insurance
Anheuser Busch
Kohler Signature Stores
Noble Energy
RE/MAX*

\$10K - \$24,999

*Anthony Albanese Family/CBRE
AXA Advisors
Baceline Investments
Chris and Joy Dinsdale Family
CIGNA Healthcare
Dealers Auto Auction*

\$10K - \$24,999

*Denver Active Legacy
Exclusive Resorts
Globus Family of Brands
Greenberg Traurig
Hudson Hill + Lady Jane
i2 Construction*

\$10K - \$24,999

*J-5 Equestrian
JetLinx
Kirkland Bank
Land Title Guarantee Company
LaVaca Meat Company
Zach and Roxanne May Family*

\$5K - \$9,999

*African Eyes Travel
1715 Fleet Queen Jewels
303 Development
Align1 Solutions
Alpine Bank
Bank of Colorado
Benefit Mall & Humana
Blue Mountain Investments
BluSky Restoration
BOK Financial
Brightview Landscape
Cardinal Group Management
CLFS Equities
Collegiate Peaks Bank
Craft Companies
Crest Insurance Group*

*David Goldstein
DaVita
Ed Bozarth Chevrolet
Eggemeyer Family
El Pomar Foundation
Envestnet
Ernst & Young
Etkin Johnson Marketing
Everwest Real Estate Investments
EZE Foundation
Farver Family
FirstBank
GUMF Investments / Big Star Transport
Halliburton
Iconic Investments
Independent Bank*

*Jim and Tom Feist
Jones Lang LaSalle
K.P. Kauffman Company
Kaye Monfort
Land Title Guarantee Company
Lewis Roca Rothgerber Christie LLP
Listings.com Holland Team
Live4ward Ventures
Mallard Exploration
Metropolitan Homes
MidFirst Bank
Mollner Dentistry
Monarch Investments
Monfort Companies
Nelson Mullins Riley & Scarborough
NW Mutual-Alisiani-Sparks Financial*

*OMNI Trax
PCL Construction
Pepe Bruton
PetroStar Services
PNC Bank
RBC Capital Markets
Rocky Mountain Harley Davidson
Siemens
Sun Life Financial
SVR Real Estate
The Staenberg Group
Tomblin Family Foundation
Tributary Real Estate
UMB
University of Denver
Ward Electric Company
Washington Family*



A man never **stands so tall** as when kneeling to **help a child**.

BUILDING LEADERS



Our members cultivate philanthropic skills, have life-changing experiences that shape their world views, and solidify their community leadership roles.

BENEFITING CHILDREN



The community need compels us to reach higher and work harder to create value for the nonprofits and children our Foundation supports.

Building our Community's Leaders

Denver Active 20-30 members represent a select group of our community's business, philanthropic, and social leaders.



adam massaro | adam riddle | adam wogan | alex aubrey | alex watts | andre harris | andrew cronin | andy vargas
anthony albanese | art griffin | austin cohen | beau jenkins | ben farrow | ben finn | ben geiger | ben gentile
ben henry | brad smith | brandon canfield | brett cunningham | bryan lewis | bryant mazzetti | bryce ballew
caleb hester | cam altman | cam richards | casey dallas | chad huggins | chase rimer | chris crawford | chris keith
chris lueth | chris waters | christian dinsdale | cody phifer | cole newcomer | colin gallagher | conor reagan
dan johnson | david hite | david shirazi | dax gitcho | derek greer | devin shrum | devon bolton | drew schneider
erik carlson | erik taylor | ethan gilbert | evan anundsen | evan gart | gabe albanese | garrett kurtt | grant oliver
harrison stadnik | hugo weinberger | j.j. simon | jack hoyt | james samuelsen | jeff schmidt | jim francescon
james magarelli | justin miller | kane kunz | kenneth monfort | kyle ballew | kyle henry | lex atencio | matt conway
matt runyon | max gansline | merrill stillwell | michael fancher | mike sangaline | mike wood | mike de la rosa
myles mcginnis | nate mollner | nathan vandiggelen | nick hansen | nick michniok | nick tabacchi | nick troxel
nick eggemeyer | nick pirnack | owen brumback | patrick moya | peter sengelmann | peter wall | p.j. o'neil
ray paolini | rob falick | rob simpson | ross blahnik | ross watzman | russ williams | ryan cirasiello | ryan scheeler
sam evasick | sam winn | scott jacobs | sean farrell | spencer kontnik | sutton cavalier | taylor kennedy | tomas cruzat
tyler gayheart | tyler snover | vince malara | vince luparell | ward cater | wyatt cox | zach may | zach smith

Committing to Transform our Community

Our 5-year strategy drives our membership to find innovative ways to do more for underserved children in Colorado.



Board of Directors

Cameron Richards, 2019-2020 President
David Shirazi, 2020-2021 President-Elect
Max Gansline, 2018-2019 Past President

Gabe Albanese, Treasurer
Kenneth Monfort, Treasurer
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Brandon Canfield, Director
Christian Dinsdale, Director
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Art Griffin, General Counsel
Adam Cohen, Executive Director

Mission

Develop philanthropic leaders who mobilize the community to impact the lives of disadvantaged children

Vision


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Funding Pillars

Education
Health & Wellbeing
Child Advocacy
Personal Enrichment

Connecting with Our Team

The gentlemen of Denver Active 20-30 invite you to reach out to us.

 **social**



A blue-bordered box containing four circular social media icons: Facebook (f), Instagram (camera), Twitter (bird), and LinkedIn (in).

 **da2030.org**



The logo for Denver Active 20-30 Children's Foundation, featuring the text "Denver Active" above the large numbers "20" and "30", and "CHILDREN'S FOUNDATION" below.

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