

ANNUAL REPORT 2023-2024

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THE CAMILLA FOUNDATION IS A TRUSTED 501(C)(3) NONPROFIT **COMMUNITY COUNSELING ORGANIZATION THAT HAS HELPED CHILDREN** AND THEIR FAMILIES IN BULLOCH COUNTY EXPERIENCE HOPE. HEALING AND RESTORATION SINCE 2020. BY REMOVING BARRIERS, THE CAMILLA FOUNDATION IS STRIVING TO REMOVE THE STIGMA SURROUNDING MENTAL HEALTH IN OUR COMMUNITY BY PROVIDING MENTAL HEALTH EDUCATION AND COUNSELING SERVICES - AND WE CAN'T ACHIEVE THIS WITHOUT YOUR HELP!

EACH DONATION TO THE CAMILLA FOUNDATION CAN MAKE AN IMPACT IN THE LIVES OF THOSE WHO RELY ON US FOR SUPPORT, INCLUDING:

- ACCESS TO MENTAL HEALTH SERVICES FOR UNINSURED OR UNDERSERVED CHILDREN
- DEVELOPMENT OF PROGRAMS AND INITIATIVES TO BETTER SERVE OUR COMMUNITY, INCLUDING PARTNERING WITH OTHER NONPROFIT ORGANIZATIONS TO MAXIMIZE IMPACT
- PROVIDING MATERIALS AND SUPPLIES FOR SPECIALIZED AREAS OF TREATMENT, E.G. PLAY-THERAPY, SOLUTION FOCUSED THERAPY, SAND-TRAY THERAPY, ETC.
- AND SO MUCH MORE!

CONSIDER MAKING A 100% TAX DEDUCTIBLE DONATION. BY DONATING TO THE CAMILLA FOUNDATION, YOU CAN MAKE A REAL DIFFERENCE IN THE LIVES OF CHILDREN IN NEED OF CARE. HELPING THEM HEAL, GROW, AND THRIVE.



A MESSAGE FROM THE PRESIDENT

DEAR FRIENDS AND SUPPORTERS.

AS WE REFLECT ON THE PAST YEAR, WE ARE FILLED WITH GRATITUDE AND PRIDE FOR THE INCREDIBLE ACHIEVEMENTS WE HAVE ACCOMPLISHED TOGETHER. THIS HAS BEEN A YEAR OF GROWTH, IMPACT, AND RESILIENCE FOR OUR ORGANIZATION, THANKS TO THE UNWAVERING SUPPORT OF OUR DEDICATED TEAM, GENEROUS DONORS, AND PASSIONATE VOLUNTEERS.

OUR MISSION TO PROVIDE A BETTER FUTURE FOR CHILDREN BY PROVIDING ACCESS TO MENTAL HEALTH SERVICES FOR UNINSURED OR UNDERSERVED CHILDREN. TEENS AND THEIR FAMILIES IN BULLOCH COUNTY HAS GUIDED US THROUGH MANY CHALLENGES AND TRIUMPHS. THIS YEAR. WE HAVE REACHED NEW MILESTONES IN OUR EFFORTS TO EXPAND SOCIAL-EMOTIONAL LEARNING CLASSES IN AFTER-SCHOOL PROGRAMS AT TWO NEW LOCATIONS. INCREASE COUNSELING SERVICES, AND SECURE OFFICE SPACE FOR TWO TREATMENT ROOMS, TOUCHING THE LIVES OF CHILDREN IN BULLOCH COUNTY, THE STORIES OF HOPE AND TRANSFORMATION WE HAVE WITNESSED ARE A TESTAMENT TO THE POWER OF OUR COLLECTIVE EFFORTS.

AS WE LOOK TO THE FUTURE. WE ARE MORE COMMITTED THAN EVER TO OUR VISION OF TO PROVIDE A BETTER FUTURE FOR CHILDREN BY PROVIDING ACCESS TO MENTAL HEALTH SERVICES FOR UNINSURED OR UNDERSERVED CHILDREN. TEENS AND THEIR FAMILIES IN BULLOCH COUNTY. WE RECOGNIZE THAT THERE IS STILL MUCH WORK TO BE DONE. TOGETHER. WE WILL CONTINUE TO INNOVATE. ADVOCATE. AND DRIVE MEANINGFUL CHANGE.

THANK YOU FOR STANDING WITH US AND BELIEVING IN OUR MISSION. YOUR SUPPORT IS THE FOUNDATION OF OUR PROGRESS. WE'RE READY FOR ANOTHER YEAR OF

SHARED SUCCESS AND WORK!

WITH HEARTFELT THANKS.

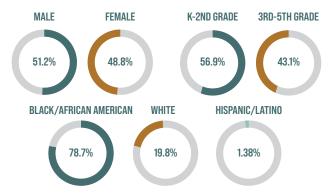
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PRESIDENT

3-24 IMPACT

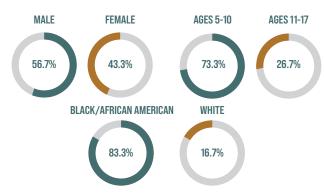
SOCIAL EMOTIONAL LEARNING (SEL) GROUPS

TOTAL SEL GROUP HOURS: 306



INDIVIDUAL COUNSELING

TOTAL THERAPY HOURS: 329



REASON FOR REFERRAL



PROGRAM HIGHLIGHTS

INDIVIDUAL COUNSELING

THE CAMILLA FOUNDATION PROVIDES CLINICAL INDIVIDUAL COUNSELING. CLIENTS INTERESTED IN ONGOING COUNSELING SERVICES MAY MEET WITH A LICENSED. PRE-LICENSED. OR GRADUATE LEVEL/IN-TRAINING COUNSELOR. UNI ICENSED COUNSELORS WORK WITH CLIENTS UNDER THE SUPERVISION OF A LICENSED. CERTIFIED SUPERVISOR ON A WEEKLY BASIS.

THIS SUPERVISION IS DISCLOSED TO CLIENTS AND GUARDIANS VERBALLY. AND BY OBTAINING A SIGNED INFORMED CONSENT OF SUCH. PRIOR TO THE INITIATION OF SERVICES. COUNSELORS WORK WITH PARENTS, GUARDIANS. FAMILIES TO ESTABLISH GOALS FOR COUNSELING AND WORK WITH THE CLIENT TO MEET THE GOALS.





SEL GROUP COUNSELING

SOCIAL AND EMOTIONAL LEARNING (SEL) IS AN EDUCATIONAL METHOD THAT HELPS CHILDREN AND YOUTH DEVELOP SKILLS TO MANAGE THEIR EMOTIONS, BUILD RELATIONSHIPS, AND MAKE RESPONSIBLE DECISIONS. SEL CAN HELP YOUNG PEOPLE GROW INTO HEALTHY ADULTS AND SUCCEED IN SCHOOL. RESEARCH HAS SHOWN THAT SEL CAN HAVE A SIGNIFICANT IMPACT ON CHILDREN'S BEHAVIOR AND ATTITUDES TOWARDS SCHOOL. FOR EXAMPLE. ONE STUDY (BAPTISTE ET AL., 2022) FOUND THAT CHILDREN WHO ATTENDED AN AFTERSCHOOL PROGRAM WITH AN SEL CURRICULUM SHOWED SIGNIFICANT INCREASES IN EMPATHY AND SELF-MANAGEMENT.

THE BOYS AND GIRLS CLUB AND BULLOCH COUNTY RECREATION AND PARKS ARE TWO LOCAL NONPROFIT ORGANIZATIONS THAT INCORPORATE SEL CURRICULUM PROVIDED BY THE CAMILLA FOUNDATION, INC. COMPETENCIES INCLUDE: SETTING AND ACHIEVING GOALS. UNDERSTANDING AND MANAGING EMOTIONS, POSITIVE RELATIONSHIPS, EFFECTIVE COMMUNICATION, AND RESPONSIBLE DECISION-MAKING.





SUCCESS STORIES

SAM

SAM (WHOSE NAME AND PHOTO HAVE BEEN CHANGED TO PROTECT HIS IDENTITY) STRUGGLED WITH EXPRESSING HIS EMOTIONS, ENDURED SIGNIFICANT BULLYING, AND HAD VERY LITTLE CONFIDENCE AND LOW SELF-ESTEEM. SAM HAD DIFFICULTY

COMMUNICATING HIS THOUGHTS AND FEELINGS EFFECTIVELY, CREATING BARRIERS IN HIS ABILITY TO CONNECT AND FORM MEANINGFUL RELATIONSHIPS WITH HIS PEERS. THROUGH WEEKLY COUNSELING SESSIONS, TAILORED TO HIS UNIQUE NEEDS, SAM LEARNED VALUABLE COPING SKILLS TO HELP HIM PROCESS AND EXPRESS HIS EMOTIONS SO THAT HE COULD NAVIGATE WITH BULLYING SITUATIONS EFFECTIVELY. ADDITIONALLY, HE LEARNED VARIOUS SOCIAL AND EMOTIONAL TOOLS TO ENHANCE HIS SOCIAL INTERACTIONS AND FOSTER STRONGER RELATIONSHIPS. OVER THE SCHOOL YEAR, SAM BLOSSOMED INTO A CONFIDENT, RESILIENT, AND EMPOWERED INDIVIDUAL WHO DEVELOPED A SENSE OF BELONGING AND DISCOVERED HIS UNIQUE STRENGTHS AND TALENTS. THANKS TO A REFERRAL FROM A CARING STAFF MEMBER, SAM BEGAN TO OPEN UP AND DEVELOP A TRUSTING RELATIONSHIP WITH HIS THERAPIST WHO ENGAGED HIM IN CHILD-CENTERED PLAY THERAPY (CCPT) TO ADDRESS THE NEGATIVE CONSEQUENCES OF BULLYING THAT HE HAD EXPERIENCED.

WITH THE COMMUNITY'S GENEROSITY AND OUR COUNSELORS' PRACTICALITY THAT ALL CHILDREN ARE UNIQUE AND WORTHY OF RESPECT, THE CAMILLA FOUNDATION, INC OFFERS LIFE-CHANGING CLINICAL SERVICES LIKE CCPT TO BRING ABOUT HEALING AND GROWTH.

ALEX

BEFORE COUNSELING, ALEX (WHOSE NAME AND PHOTO
HAVE BEEN CHANGED TO PROTECT HER IDENTITY) WAS
OFTEN INVOLVED WITH DISCIPLINARY REFERRALS. ALEX WAS
EXPERIENCING SEVERAL SITUATIONS IN HER FAMILY THAT CREATED

OVERWHELMING FEELINGS OF ANXIETY, AND FEAR. AT TIMES, ALEX'S EMOTIONS WOULD BE TRIGGERED IN THE SCHOOL SETTING, AND SHE WOULD ACT OUT WITH BEHAVIORS THAT DISRUPTED CLASS AND SOMETIMES CREATED CONFLICT OR HARM WITH OTHER STUDENTS OR TEACHERS. SINCE ALEX STARTED COUNSELING, SHE HAS LEARNED TO IDENTIFY HER FEELINGS, CONTROL HER FEELINGS AND USE HER WORDS TO ASK FOR HELP AND EXPRESS WHAT SHE NEEDS. THIS HAS RESULTED IN A DECREASE IN REFERRALS TO THE PRINCIPAL'S OFFICE AND MORE TIME FOR ALEX TO STAY ENGAGED WITH HER PEERS IN ACTIVITIES BOTH INSIDE AND OUTSIDE OF THE CLASSROOM.

THROUGH THE **BUILDING OF OPPORTUNITIES IN OUT-OF-SCHOOL TIME (BOOST) GRANT AND LOCAL DONATIONS**, FUNDS WERE AVAILABLE FOR ALEX TO RECEIVE COUNSELING SERVICES FREE OF CHARGE DURING AFTER-SCHOOL HOURS, ENSURING THE THERAPEUTIC PROCESS CONTINUED SEAMLESSLY.



THE CAMILLA FOUNDATION IS NORMALIZING THE CONVERSATION SURROUNDING MENTAL HEALTH THROUGH ENGAGING COMMUNITY LEADERS AND FAMILIES IN AN ON-GOING DIALOGUE TO PROMOTE MENTAL HEALTH AWARENESS IN SCHOOLS, BUSINESSES, GARDEN CLUBS, CIVIC ORGANIZATIONS AND THE COMMUNITY AT LARGE. THROUGH EXPERT PANEL DISCUSSIONS, WELLNESS FAIRS AND SHARED EXPERIENCES, OUR CONVERSATIONS SERVE AS AN IMPETUS FOR FOSTERING A SUPPORTIVE NETWORK THAT ACTIVELY CONTRIBUTES TO THE BETTERMENT OF MENTAL WELLNESS IN BULLOCH COUNTY.



2023-24 **FUNDRAISING HIGHLIGHTS**

PROM PREVIEW —

- FRILLS BY SCOTT HOSTED THE EVENT WHICH CREATED A RIPPLE EFFECT OF HOPE AND HEALING FOR THOSE WHO NEED IT MOST.
- TCF BOARD MEMBERS SERVED AS HOSTS FOR THE EVENT AND SOLD TICKETS/TABLES

OVER \$10,000 RAISED

SPORTING CLAYS ———

- OVER 55 SPONSORS AND 75 SHOOTERS HAD A "BLAST" AT BAYGALL SPORTING CLAYS
- TCF BOARD MEMBERS SOLD SPONSORSHIPS & SHOOTING SPOTS/TEAMS.
- **REGISTER NOW FOR YOUR 2025 SPOT ON THE** SHOOTING RANGE: SATURDAY, MARCH 1, 2025



OVER \$20,000 RAISED

PATHWAYS TO HEALING

- A DAY TO SUPPORT MENTAL HEALTH
- OVER 100 ATTENDEES AT THE INAUGURAL EVENT SECURE YOUR 2025 SEATS: AFTERNOON OF
- TUESDAY. MAY 13TH AT THE BOTANIC GARDEN OF GEORGIA SOUTHERN UNIVERSITY





NEARLY \$8,000 RAISED

OUR SUPPORTERS

THE CAMILLA FOUNDATION VALUES OUR RELATIONSHIPS WITH THESE BUSINESSES. CIVIC/NON-PROFIT ORGANIZATIONS. FAITH COMMUNITIES. INDIVIDUALS AND FAMILIES THAT RELATE TO US AS AN EXTENSION OF THEIR OWN MISSION AND VALUES.

DR. DON & MRS. LISA AARON KRISTEN & WAYNE AKINS ALTRUSA INTERNATIONAL STATESBORO ANDERSON'S GENERAL STORE URKOVIA ANDREWS **ASSURED PARTNERS BACKWOODS ARMORY** DORSEY BALDWIN **ROXELLA & WARREN BALL**

BETTY & LEONARD BLOUNT BOHLER FAMILY PRACTICE **BETH & DAVID BOYKIN ELLEN & DAVE BOYKIN**

BRINSON, WILLIAMS & GROOMES INSURANCE

MARILYN & MARC BRUCE HOKE BRUNSON

BULLOCH FAMILY PRACTICE DEBORAH & TOM CARICO BRAD CARR **DAWN & JAMEY CARTEE**

THOMAS CASE CFG WEALTH MANAGEMENT CHICK-FIL-A EAGLES CORNER

CHICK-FIL-A STATESBORO DEADRA & RANDY CHILDS CITIZENS BANK OF THE SOUTH

CLAXTON POULTRY FARMS **COASTAL ELITE ROOFING**

COLDWELL BANKER CONNER REALTY COMPLETE CAR CARE SERVICE. INC **BARBARA & DWAYNE CONNER** DR. ATYS & MRS. MICHELLE COPE COUNTY LINE PACKAGE

ELLEN AND JOEY COWART CREEK AND COAST CRIDER FOODS

KRISTIE & ALLEN CROOMS DABBS, HICKMAN, HILL & CANNON **DAIRY QUEEN**

SALLY & SEAN DAVIS DAVIS MARKETING COMPANY DR. KRISTEN DICKENS & DR. BRANDON HARRIS

LORI & TIM DURDEN EAGLE CREEK REPRODUCTION SERVICES. LLC

EAST GEORGIA REGIONAL MEDICAL CENTER'S DOCTORS DAY **EAST GEORGIA WOMEN'S CENTER**

ELLIS WOOD CONTRACTING EMC ENGINEERING SERVICES, INC FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH FIT STATESBORO

FOREST HEIGHTS PHARMACY FRILLS BY SCOTT

GATEWAY ANIMAL HOSPITAL
REV. SCOTT AND MRS. JULIE HAGAN MIRIAM & DAN HAGAN

MARTHA & MICHAEL HALL CATHERINE & TROY HENDRIX

EDWIN & ANITA HILL DR. JOHN AND MRS. SHANNON HODGES HOSPITAL AUTHORITY OF BULLOCH COUNTY

ANDREA AND BILL HOWARD HOWARD LUMBER HARDWARE DR. BRANDON HUNT

KIM & BUBBA HUNT **JAB CONSTRUCTION BOB JENNINGS**

JET FOOD STORES OF GA, INC. **BONNIE & DAVID JOHNSON COURTNEY & MICHAEL JOINER** JUVE INTEGRATIVE MEDICINE AND WELLNESS

LACY KAMPPI CARL KENNEDY

CHARLENE & JOHN LAMAR LAMAR CONSTRUCTION, INC KITTY & BOB I ANE

LEE HILL & JOHNSTON INSURERS DR. LINE AND MRS. ELIZABETH LIPPINCOTT
MARY ANN LISENBEE

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DRS. KYLE AND JANE MARRERO JEANNE ANNE MARSH APRIL MILLER

ABBY & KEN MILLER **NESMITH CONSTRUCTION** LAURA & DEWEY NEWTON

BETTY & PATRICK NEWTON SUSAN & BRUCE OLLIFF MR. AND MRS. BILL OLLIFF **OPTIM ORTHOPEDICS**

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POPE CONSTRUCTION PAM POWELL

PREFERRED TILE
PROFESSIONAL WOMEN OF STATESBORO

PURE WELLNESS & SPA RANCO RESPONSE

SUSAN & HAL ROACH **DEE ANN & PAUL ROESEL**

JOLENE & RUSSELL ROSENGART LAUREN ROSS LINDA G. RUSHING

RYAN FAMILY CHIROPRACTIC **TARA & SCOTT SANDERS**

CINDY & BILL SHEPPARD SHEPPARD LUMBER HARLEY & KALEB SMITH

SPECIAL KICKS ANNA & STACY SPENCE

KELLY SPENCE SPENCE FARMS DEBRA SPILLMAN

SPRIG N' DIG GARDEN CLUB

SYNOVUS **AMY & WES TAULBEE**

TAULBEE, RUSHING, SNIPES, MARSH, HODGIN, LLC

JAMIE & RICHARD TOMS CATHERINE TOOTLE

VIRGINIA LUXE

DR. JARRETT & MRS. ERIN WALDEN DEBORAH WALKER DEBBIE & LEE WALKER

DRS. MIKE AND MARIE WALL

VIRGINIA ANNE WATERS MARTHA & NORMAN WELLS

PAM & ROBBIE WHITAKER ANNA & JAKE WHITAKER TY WHITE ALLISON WILLIAMS

ANNE & HUGHES WILLIAMSON

LOBA & CHARLES WILSON KATHY & ELLIS WOOD

MATT WOOD MEGHAN & JEFF YAWN

CHRISTINA & JOHNATHAN YOUNG

2023-24 **BOARD MEMBERS**



LISA AARON

DORSEY BALDWIN

JOEY COWART

SCOTT HAGAN

SHANNON HODGES

LISA LEE

LAURA MARSH

RENEE PERRY

HARLEY SMITH

JAKE WHITAKER

URKOVIA ANDREWS

BETH BOYKIN

KRISTIE CROOMS

CATHERINE HENDRIX

I ACY KAMPPI

SCOTT MARCHBANKS

APRIL MILLER

LAUREN ROSS

CATHERINE TOOTLE

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THE CAMILLA FOUNDATION IS A TRUSTED 501(C)(3) RECOGNIZED AS A CHARITY BY THE NATIONAL CHRISTIAN FOUNDATION.

BY MAILING A CHECK:

THE CAMILLA FOUNDATON. INC C/O CHARLENE LAMAR, EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR 515 DENMARK STREET, SUITE 1700 STATESBORO, GA 30458

DONATING ONLINE:

SCAN BELOW TO ACCESS OUR PAYPAL

SEND A ONE-TIME DONATION OR

SET UP RECCURING DONATIONS



DONOR ADVISED FUNDS:

CONSIDER NON-CASH GIFTS TO THE CAMILLA FOUNDATION, SUCH AS APPRECIATED SECURITIES, REAL ESTATE, BUSINESS INTERESTS. OR QUALIFIED CHARITABLE CONTRIBUTIONS OF A REQUIRED MANDATORY DISTRIBUTION FROM AN IRA.

PARTNERING WITH THE NATIONAL CHRISTIAN FOUNDATION. WE MAKE NON-CASH ASSET GIVING EASIER AND MORE TAX-EFFICIENT.

> **PLEASE CALL CHARLENE LAMAR AT 912.549.3569** FOR MORE INFORMATION

