

2022 Annual Report



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"Ask me to show you poetry in motion and I will
show you a horse."

-Anonymous



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From the Executive Director

I was looking back at our last year's annual report today. As I read my message, I didn't think that another year could be as full of blessings as 2021. I was wrong! We have been able to work with amazing families, using amazing horses and developed meaningful, productive community and business relationships.

RISE Therapeutic Equestrian Center was able to hold our first in-person fundraiser in 2022. It was a beautiful night under the stars with friends celebrating together at Natural Bridge Caverns. Our horse Pete joined the festivities along with gem mining, an accessible maze, dancing, dinner and a silent auction. If you missed the event, join us this year when we have the 2nd Annual Cowboys and Caverns event on Saturday, November 4th!

Thank you to our presenting sponsor, the Donegan Burns Foundation, for making our event possible. We are so grateful to all of our sponsors and donors for our event. We were able to reach our goals for both attendance and funds raised! Please visit our sponsor and donor businesses and support them as they can continue helping small nonprofits like us serve our communities.

Also this year, Siegelman Stable, in collaboration with The San Antonio Spurs Sports and Entertainment, designed an exclusive sportswear line and donated a portion of the proceeds to RISE. Siegelman Stable is a business with a heart for supporting equine therapy barns. The Spurs Sports and Entertainment group also have a long history of giving back to San Antonio and it was wonderful to meet their incredible staff. It was such an unexpected adventure! Our beautiful Pete was center court at the AT&T Center as a model for the advertising campaign.

I can't wait to see what this year brings!

Renee Bauld



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Thank you Siegelman Stable
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mutual partnership this year!



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On the Grind

Stars and Stripes Drive-In

Lisa's New Dawning Massage

Gramercy Gift Gallery

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Hawaiian Restaurant



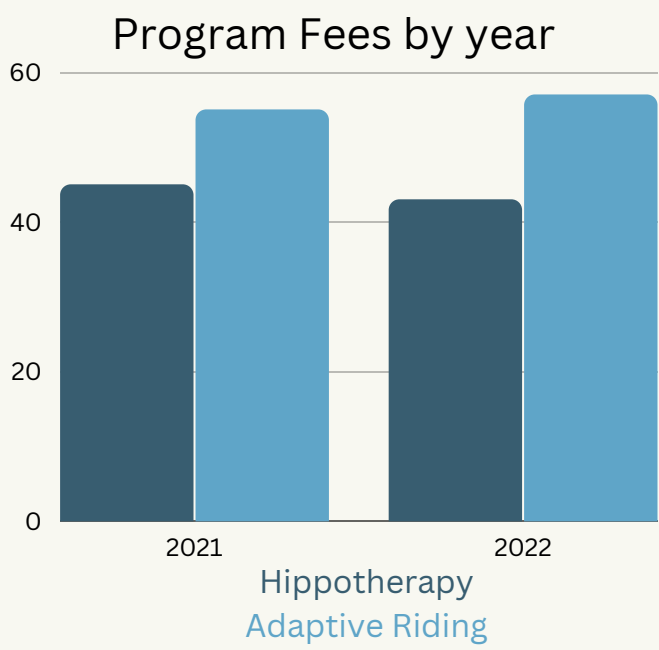
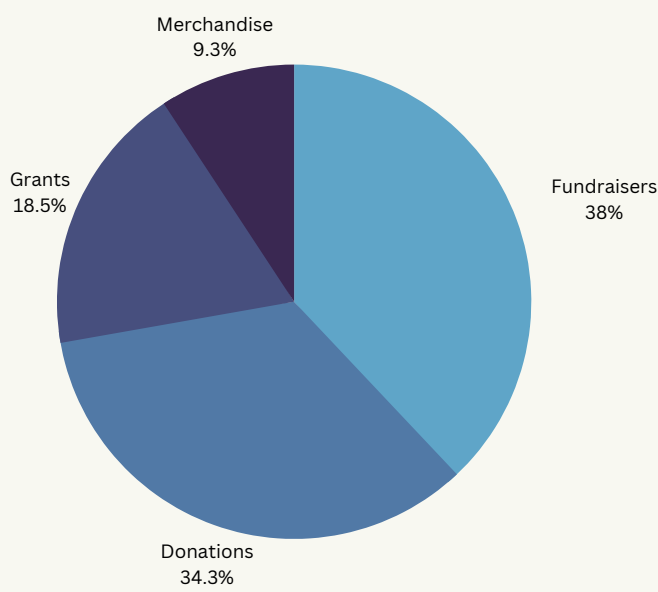
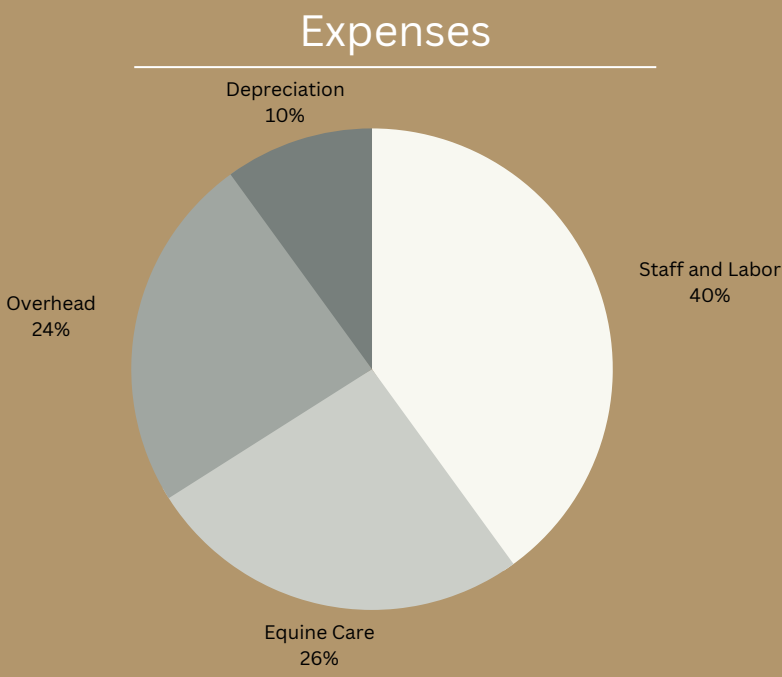


Financial Summary

Donations and Program Fees	\$194,700
Expenses	\$161,241

Staff and therapists	\$62,907
Equine Care and Feed	\$41,238
Miscellaneous	\$39,479
Depreciation	\$17,615

Total Entering 2023	\$33,458
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RISE Rehab Programs and Impact



"You, your team, your time, your services, organization and home are more than a lifeline in more ways than I can even explain! You all provide such a loving, secure, knowledgeable, compassionate, comprehensive and emotionally safe space for not only your patients but those of us who love them and support them. The price of that can not be calculated and goes far beyond what you get paid and can be summarized or limited into a simple dollar amount".

-Client Parent

Common Diagnoses

- TBI/Spinal Cord
- Cerebral Palsy
- Autism
- Seizure Disorder
- Genetic Disorder
- ADHD
- Anxiety
- CMV
- Amputee

Clients Experience

- Improved Balance
- Improved Focus
- Increased Muscle tone
- Reduced Spasticity
- Self Confidence/
Determination
- Nervous system
regulation
- Gross and Fine Motor
Control improvement



2022 Volunteer Hours

In 2022 we recorded over 3000 volunteer hours!

9 Special Events Volunteers

5 Property Maintenance Volunteers

34 Weekly Equine Volunteers

2023 Volunteer Opportunities

Sidewalkers

Maintenance

Horse Handlers

Special Events

Thank you!

We could not function without volunteers. For us, our volunteers gift the most precious resource they have- TIME. Without that precious gift, we could not meet the needs of our horses or clients!

We depend on volunteers for every part of our day and they become an important part of the client experience. We are so thankful!





RISE

The Search for Peaceful Pastures

This year we have so many exciting plans including a larger property. We are looking for 10-50 acres in Northeast San Antonio that will allow us to grow our incredible herd and to serve more families in our community. With a donation of land and a capital campaign we can focus on expanding our programming, growing our staff and volunteers, while continuing to develop partnerships with other local equine therapy barns and community organizations that serve our community. San Antonio is a dynamic city that has many wonderful opportunities and businesses that serve our vulnerable population. We hope to create a space that honors the vitality and diversity of San Antonio, embraces the strength of our client population, and extends the peace of RISE.

Exciting
plans
for
2023

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