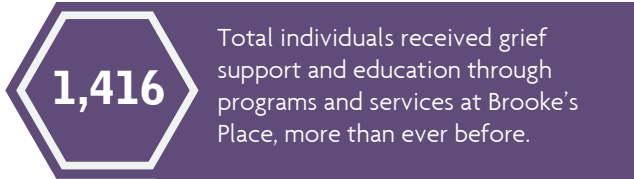


Brooke's Place believes that no person living with childhood grief should feel alone. Volunteers and staff at Brooke's Place work tirelessly toward our mission to support children and their families through bereavement programs, advocacy, community education, and outreach.

### Numbers Served



**753** Individuals served through the ongoing and peer-based grief support group program

**180** Individuals served through the therapy services program



18 individuals were served through BP8, an 8-week outreach grief support group program

**465** Individuals received grief education through professional development workshops, trainings and community wide presentations.

**158** Volunteers working directly with kids & families

### Impact

**"I am not alone."**

Percent of children and teens that report knowing others who have had a loved one die and feeling understood by those around them:

Before attending Brooke's Place

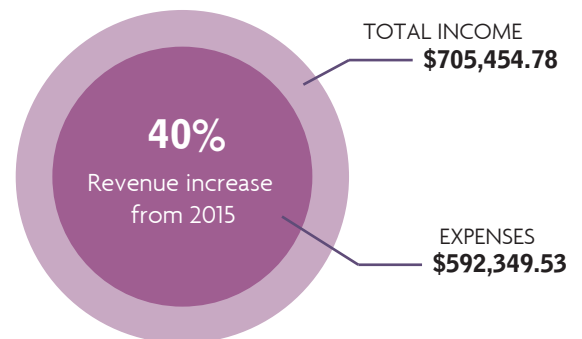
**40%**

**78%**

After attending Brooke's Place

Brooke's Place helps to decrease isolation

### Operations



Unaudited numbers indicate that Brooke's Place generated \$705,454.78 in income and \$592,349.53 in expenses in 2016.

*Note: These numbers do not include in-kind donations.*

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### Community Partners

Bailey & Wood Financial Group  
 Brooke's Place Auxiliary  
 Brooke's Place Facilitators, Buddies, & Librarians  
 Aaron Ruben Nelson Mortuary  
 Assistance League of Indianapolis  
 Agape Therapeutic Riding Center  
 Boys & Girls Club of Indianapolis  
 Butler University College of Education  
 Camp Healing Tree  
 Central Indiana Woodworkers  
 Edna Martin Christian Center  
 Greenfield Bassmasters  
 Lauren Christopher Photography  
 MLK Center  
 Paws & Think  
 Pizza Hut  
 St. Luke's United Methodist Church  
 Washington Park Flanner Buchanan Cemetery  
 WDM Creative

### Corporate & Foundation Funders (Gifts of \$1,000 & Above)

Anonymous  
 ALO Property Group  
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 BlueSky Technology Partners  
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 Hoover Family Foundation  
 Hosana Foundation  
 Ice Miller, LLP  
 Illinois Tool Works Foundation  
 Indiana Criminal Justice Institute  
 Indiana Department of Child Services  
 Indiana First Lady's Charitable Foundation, Inc.  
 Indiana University Health  
 Indianapolis Foundation Community Endowment Fund  
 Indy Titans, Inc.  
 Kroger  
 Lilly Endowment  
 Medtronic  
 MET Foundation, Inc.  
 Moorehead Family Foundation  
 National Bank of Indianapolis  
 Network for Good  
 New York Life Foundation  
 Northminster Presbyterian Church  
 Opus Foundation  
 Pacers Foundation, Inc.  
 Pulte Homes  
 Rexnord Foundation, Inc.  
 Reynolds American Foundation  
 Reynolds American, Inc.  
 St. Elizabeth Ann Seton Parish  
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 Steel Family Charitable Foundation  
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 The Benevity Community Impact Fund  
 The Brauer Family Foundation  
 The Brave Heart Foundation  
 The Dow Chemical Company Foundation  
 The Glick Family Foundation  
 The Indianapolis Foundation  
 The Kala Sisters Fund, a fund of the Central Indiana Community Foundation  
 The Netherleigh Fund  
 The Willard & Anne Levin Foundation  
 Theis Foundation  
 Verkler, Inc.  
 Watermark Group  
 William V. and Jane C. Drew Family Fund  
 Wood-Mizer Holdings, Inc.

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### Family Highlights

**Celebration of Healing**—Brooke's Place families and volunteers enjoyed a special "Day at the Farm" roasting hot dogs, making s'mores, painting pumpkins, and going on hayrides!

**Agape Equine Facilitated Support Group**—11 families participated in "equine facilitated learning" groups to share memorable experiences with the horses and increase familial support along the journey of grief.

**Brooke's Place Fishing Trip**—Around the pond, nearly 50 kids and adults shared memories of fishing with their loved ones who died and parents were grateful for this opportunity for the kids to enjoy amidst the pain of grief.

**Watermark Holiday Store**—177 children, teens and young adults enjoyed this opportunity to select holiday gifts for their loved ones at no cost to them.

### Special Events

**Walking For Dreams**—177 Brooke's Place walkers attended this event downtown Indianapolis and raised almost \$15,000.

**Hope Fore Tomorrow**—This annual golf outing raised \$33,000 to support programs and services at Brooke's Place.

**Legacy of Hope Breakfast**—580 individuals attended and raised over \$160,000, a 50% increase over the prior year.

