RK Foundation: Building Our Community

For over 50 years, RK has had the privilege of supporting numerous nonprofits and charities that improve the quality of life in our community. RK has been dedicated to providing financial support for organizations that help people in need.

FALL 2017 FUNDING AND GRANT RECIPIENTS

The RK Foundation (RKF) is funded by RK’s recycling efforts. All of the money earned from recycling the scrap metal generated in our fabrication facilities and our projects across RK’s seven business units goes to the foundation. Our funding supports local nonprofits and charities that align with our focus areas, which include: community development, education, health and human services. The foundation granted $312,100 in 2017!

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**RK FOUNDATION**
**Funding as of December 2017**

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Since 2011, the RKF has granted over a million dollars to local nonprofits and charitable causes. $1,049,794

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**GRANT RECIPIENTS - AUGUST 2017 THROUGH DECEMBER 2017**

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VETERANS DAY DONATION MARKS RKF'S MILLION DOLLAR MILESTONE

This year, during RK's annual all-company meeting, in celebration of Veterans Day, the RKF selected an employee who served in one of the US Military branches to pick a veterans charity to receive a grant from RKF. Veteran employee, Sgt. Christopher Hammons, was randomly selected as the winner. He won a $500 gift card and named the VFW, Veterans of Foreign Wars, as the organization to receive the $5,011 donation from the RKF. This donation hit the $1,000,000 donation milestone for RKF.
The RKF is pleased to support the Emily Griffith Technical College (EGTC) as they implement their new Virtual Reality Constructions Safety Training and Plumbing Quick Start Program. RK has partnered with EGTC for several years to provide hands-on technical training for RK's trade employees at their campus. In 2017, RKF donated $25,011 to the Emily Griffith Foundation.

RK GETS AMPED UP FOR SPEED GOLF AND A GOOD CAUSE
RK sponsored a Caddyshack themed fundraiser hosted by AMP the Cause; an organization that improves the lives of families through entertainment, annual events and community service projects. Participants were encouraged to wear creative outfits to distract their competition while attempting to finish nine holes of golf as quickly and accurately as possible. RK donated $5,011 and had two teams participate in the event.

Team: HUMAN RAIN DELAY - Gopher, who was a noise distraction for players, Ryan Zordani, Fred Hinderschied, Franklin Chiu and Danny Jamerson

Team: WEAPONS OF GRASS DESTRUCTION - Kramer Peter, Jake Sorensen, Jack Heher and Reed Matthews

HURRICANE HARVEY DONATIONS DOUBLE WITH RK'S EMPLOYEE MATCH
After the devastating hurricane that hit Texas in September, RK employees stepped up to help by donating money to the organizations and causes supporting the relief efforts including, the American Red Cross - Hurricane Harvey Relief Fund, Houston Humane Society, Greater Houston Community Foundation and Convoy of Hope. The RKF matched employee contributions, donating a total of $5,011.

RK EMPLOYEE RAISES AWARENESS FOR CROSSPURPOSE WITH HELP FROM THE RKF
On behalf of RK employee, Dan Bunce, the RKF gave a donation to CrossPurpose; an organization that equips unemployed or underemployed adults to become self-sufficient through job training and personal development. Dan participates in the Triple Bypass Bicycle Ride to raise funds and awareness for CrossPurpose. The bike course travels over three mountain passes, starting in Evergreen and traveling 120 miles to Avon, over Juniper Pass (11,140 ft.), Loveland Pass (11,990 ft.), and Vail Pass (10,560 ft.). The 2017 ride was cancelled due to forest fires, but Dan was able to raise $1,061 in 2017, including $1,011 from the RKF.
Check out this Thank You, RK Foundation video from CrossPurpose.

Watch for our next RKF newsletter highlighting 2018 accomplishments, donation recipients and program highlights!

The RK Foundation Board