



# Building Community

2015 Annual Impact Report



Pediatric  
Brain Tumor  
Foundation®



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President and CEO



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Dear Friends,

Children with brain tumors and their families are the reason we're working passionately to build a strong community around them.

We're about care and cure - serving families coping with this devastating diagnosis as we work to accelerate life-changing treatments. We can't do this alone. We know we can make a bigger impact more quickly by working with others.

Here are the results of some of the collaborations we forged in 2015:

- We engaged new partners to co-fund our strategic approach to investing in the best available research, including basic laboratory, translational and clinical.
- We also linked arms with other organizations to educate families at our second Parents and Survivors Conference, send survivors to camp and fund family support services at leading children's hospitals across the country.
- We secured pharmaceutical support for our emergency financial assistance program, serving 340 families in nine states to ease the burden of treatment expenses.
- We engaged families, volunteers and businesses in 37 communities across the nation at our Ride for Kids and Starry Night 8.5K events as we increased public awareness and grew revenue.

We're grateful for your generous support and invite you to stay tuned by following us on [Facebook](#), signing up for our monthly [newsletter](#) and joining us at an upcoming [program or event](#). You are our most valuable resource in our mission to care for and cure the kids!

For the kids,

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# 2015 mission investment

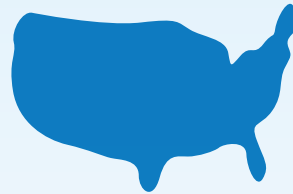


In 2015 the Pediatric Brain Tumor Foundation supported children, teens and families in new ways. We hosted our second Parents and Survivors Conference in Chicago in collaboration with A Kids' Brain Tumor Cure, and we developed partnerships with Bryan's Dream Foundation and the Vs. Cancer Foundation to support research projects.

# Mission-focused Events



**61**  
events



**35**  
states



Ride for Kids®

Starry Night 8.5K

+ Community Fundraising

**362**  
families

**11,733**  
donors

**3,540**  
volunteers

**12,246**  
participants

**480,558**  
estimated miles

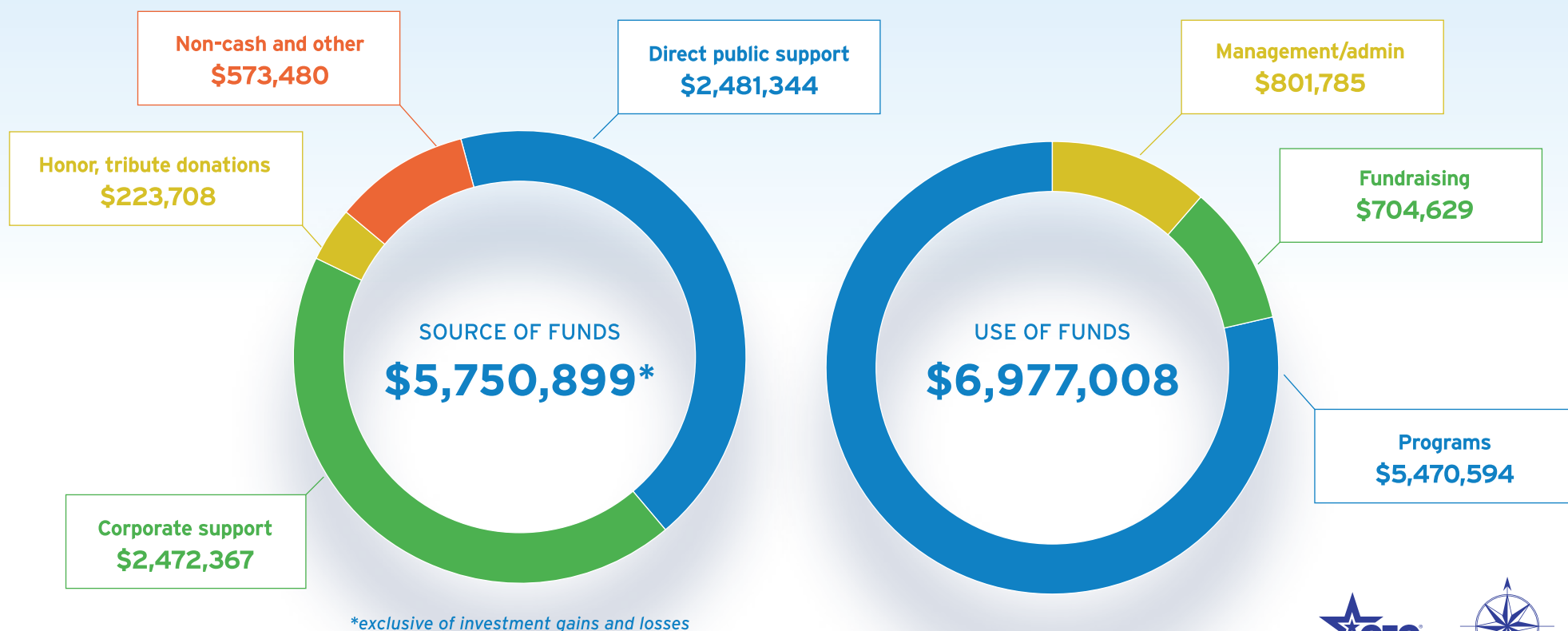
**\$3,927,623**

raised by event participants to fight childhood brain tumors

# 2015 Financials

Source: Independently audited financial statement for the year ending Dec. 31, 2015

78.4 percent of funds used were invested in our mission.



## 2015 Top Individual Fundraisers

Special thanks to our Top 10 individual fundraisers who went to extraordinary lengths to support our mission through our Ride for Kids program.

NAME	CONTRIBUTION
Julie & John Runzel .....	\$53,800
Bob Henig.....	\$33,661
Jill & Enzo Scognamiglio.....	\$32,250
Phil Phillips .....	\$22,646
Jennifer & Brian Duke.....	\$18,607

NAME	CONTRIBUTION
Judy & Steve Ferguson.....	\$18,600
Georgia & E.J. Ford.....	\$15,665
Kathleen Carter .....	\$15,485
Makenzie Matthews.....	\$15,193
Charlie Portes .....	\$15,032

PBTF's investment program is guided by its Research Advisory Network, a panel of leading experts providing insights and perspective into the most promising areas for discovery.

- Suzanne Baker, PhD ..... St. Jude Children's Research Hospital
- Jill Barnholtz-Sloan, PhD ..... Case Western Reserve University
- Oren J. Becher, MD ..... Duke University School of Medicine
- Tom Curran, PhD, FRS..... The Children's Hospital of Philadelphia
- G. Yancey Gillespie, PhD ..... University of Alabama at Birmingham
- Gerald Grant, MD, FACS ..... Stanford School of Medicine
- Nalin Gupta, MD, PhD ..... UCSF Benioff Children's Hospital
- Mark Kieran, MD, PhD ..... Dana-Farber Cancer Institute and Boston Children's Hospital
- Duane Mitchell, MD, PhD ..... University of Florida
- Michelle Monje-Deisseroth, MD, PhD.... Stanford School of Medicine
- Sabine Mueller, MD, PhD..... UCSF Benioff Children's Hospital
- Roger Packer, MD..... Children's National Health System
- Will Parsons, MD, PhD ..... Texas Children's Hospital
- Raphael Rousseau, MD, PhD..... Genentech
- James Rutka, MD, PhD, FRCSC ..... Hospital for Sick Children
- Max Wallace..... Accelerate Brain Cancer Cure
- Robert Wechsler-Reya, PhD ..... Sanford-Burnham Medical Research Institute



# 2015 PBTf Major Donors

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Alabama  
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A Kids' Brain Tumor Cure  
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Tournament

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**With the support and partnership of our donors and fundraisers we have accelerated our work to eliminate the challenges of childhood brain tumors. Together we are building a stronger community of support.**

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