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GIVING FAMILIES HOPE

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This past year has been a period of significant growth and collaboration for our foundation. We are deeply grateful to our donors, whose support has allowed us to reach more children and families across the United States. We are also excited to announce that we now have a new office, which will serve as a hub for our continued development.

We are pleased to introduce "Triumph Together," a new program under the Mitchell Thorp Foundation (MTF) brand. Jack Gates has joined us as the Director of Philanthropy, responsible for overseeing this program along with our marketing and events. We encourage you to explore all our programs to see the impact we are making.

To enhance our support for families, we have partnered with Explore Counseling Group (ECG) to expand our Healing and Rehabilitation program. ECG will provide Individual, Family, and Couples Counseling, including Cognitive Behavioral Therapy, Mindfulness-Based Therapy, Trauma-Informed Care, Grief Counseling, and Emotionally Focused Therapy.

Families dealing with a life-threatening diagnosis for their child often experience increased anxiety and depression. This situation frequently leads to one parent becoming a full-time caregiver, resulting in emotional strain and financial hardship due to loss of income. The challenges and 24/7 care demands can disrupt the entire family's life.

We recognize that illness affects people regardless of age, gender, lifestyle, or background. The resilience and determination of our Mitchell Thorp Foundation families and children are truly inspiring. They continue to face significant obstacles with strength and find reasons to smile despite their struggles.

At the Mitchell Thorp Foundation, our mission is to make a difference today for children fighting for their tomorrow, while providing hope, relief, and transformation. Thanks to the support of our donors, we are realizing the full potential of our foundation. As I often say, "The Best is Yet To Come." We wish you and your loved ones good health and happiness.

With love and appreciation,

Beth & Brad Thorp
Co-Founders, Executive Director & CEO



OUR MISSION

Supporting families whose children are suffering from life-threatening illness, diseases, and disorders by providing financial, emotional, and resource support to their desperate situations.

OUR CHALLENGE

1

LOSS OF INCOME:

Typically, one parent has to quit their job to stay by their child's bedside to care for them full-time.

2

FINANCIAL BURDEN:

Parents struggle to keep up with medical bills and household expenses.

3

EMOTIONAL STRESS:

78% of families whose child is diagnosed with a critical illness experience divorce or separation. The stress will test families beyond their endurance, bankrupting them financially, emotionally, and physically.

OUR PURPOSE

Mitchell Thorp Foundation's purpose is to make a difference **today** for a child fighting for their **tomorrow** by bringing hope, relief, and essential resources and services to children and their families.



MEDICAL & HOME ASSISTANCE

- ✓ Provides financial support for required medical treatments and equipment that are not covered by insurance.
- ✓ Transportation Services: Provide funding for airfare, gas, and hotel stays.
- ✓ Home assistance, utility bills, food, etc.

HEALING & REHABILITATION

- ✓ Physical Therapy Services beyond treatment.
- ✓ Counseling Services for affected child and family.
- ✓ Sibling Support- School tutors, and camps for the affected child and sibling.

WHEELCHAIR CONVERSION VAN

- ✓ Assists families with conversions and wheelchair accessible vehicles, affording them the freedom to enjoy their time together for as long as that may be.
- ✓ A handicap accessible mobility van is a necessity, not a luxury.



YOUTH LEADERSHIP COUNCIL

The Mitchell Thorp Foundation is dedicated to nurturing and inspiring the next generation of leaders within our community through its Youth Leadership Council program. This initiative brings together high school students from North San Diego County to engage in meaningful leadership experiences.

PRIMARY FOCUS

- ✓ **Community Impact and Service:** Empowering students to make a difference in their community.
- ✓ **Leadership Development:** Cultivating essential leadership skills and strategies.
- ✓ **Individual Growth:** Supporting personal development and self-improvement.

OBJECTIVE: To help students build leadership skills and make a meaningful impact in their community.

Through these experiences, the Youth Leadership Council aims to equip students with the tools to lead effectively and contribute positively to their communities.

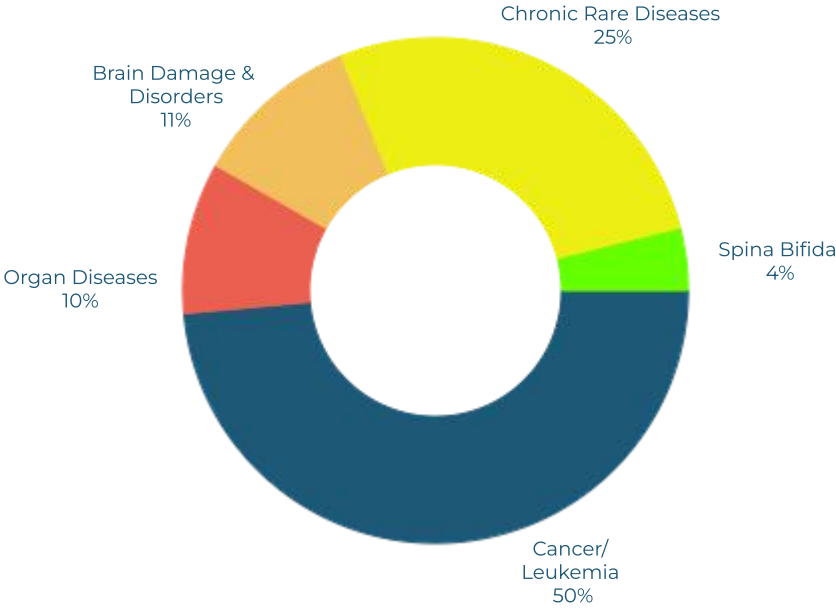


TRIUMPH TOGETHER

- ✓ Triumph Together is a NEW program with the Mitchell Thorp Foundation that connects professional and collegiate athletes with kids at nearby Children's Hospitals by getting them tickets to games, meet and greets with player, signed gear, letters of encouragement before surgeries, etc.
- ✓ The Triumph Together Program contribute sustainability to the physical, mental, and emotional health for the child and family.



WHO WE ASSIST



ILLNESSES BEING FOUGHT BY OUR WARRIORS



70% of families fall below the poverty line

59% of children have married parents

41% of families are a single-parent household



100% of two-parent households remain married



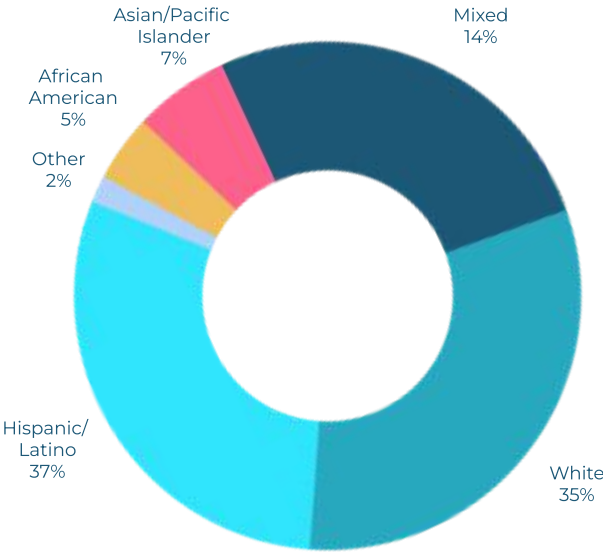
1,610 children and families helped...and counting



2,000 toys delivered to local hospitals



ETHNICITY DEMOGRAPHIC



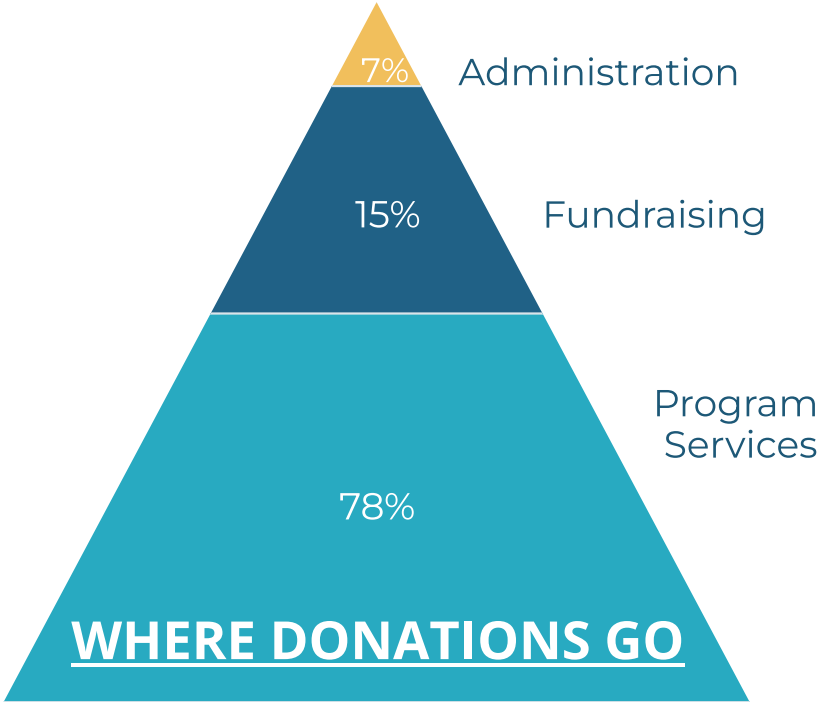
OUR IMPACT

Fiscal Year July 1, 2023- June 30, 2024



20% increase
in children
and families
assisted

\$1,389,275 Raised In 2023 Fiscal Year



Program Assistance



Medical & Home Assistance

58%



Healing & Rehabilitation

17%



Conversion Van

3%



Triumph Together

19%



Youth Leadership Council

3%



TESTIMONIALS

"Thank you so much for your generosity. We appreciate your kindness more than you know. Also, your foundation is amazing, and we thank the Lord for you all and what you're doing in so many people's lives."

Moore Family



"We are so grateful for the assistance while we are in the hospital. It has helped us not lose our home." Coronado Family

"The foundation was such a blessing to my family while my youngest daughter was hospitalized. We were about to be evicted from our home and the foundation saved us from being on the streets."

Domingo Family



"Word can not express how grateful we are to receive this wheelchair van for our son. We can travel safely with him and take him to explore his world." DeLeon Family

"Your foundation is amazing, I had to take a leave of absence from my work to stay by my daughter's side while she is in the hospital for all her cancer treatments. Our family was struggling to survive. Thank You!"

Theaker Family



"Our experience with the Triumph Together program and the women's Boston College hockey team was honestly life changing. The woman at Boston College have impacted her life greatly, she still talks about it today." Leandro Family

"Triumph Together program has played a pivotal role in lifting Cooper's spirits since then. Coopers' favorite memory with Jack is attending the Colorado Avalanche versus Anaheim Ducks game at the Honda Center which included riding the Zamboni before the game." Tippet Family



"From the bottom of our hearts we thank you for your generous assistance towards aiding the needs of our daughter, Mia." Irvine Family

"My son had a miracle recovery! I hope to donate back to the foundation to help other families when we are able to. I can't thank the foundation enough for the support that you were able to give while I was in the hospital with him"

Ezra's Family



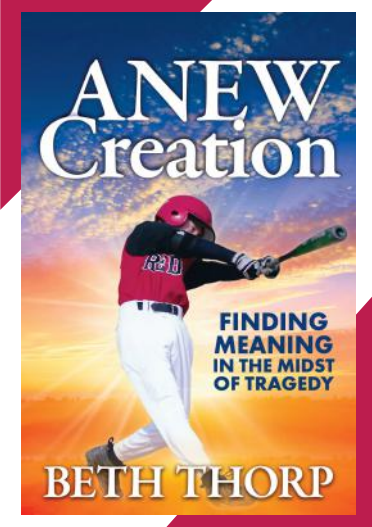
"We are so blessed and grateful for your continues support in honor of Mitchell. Your contribution has given us relief to be able to focus on quality family time. We greatly appreciate your willingness to be a helping hand." Willis Family

"Thank you for helping us cover Hector's medical expenses and home assistance. The support is a blessing to our family to keep a roof over our head, food on our table, and lights on. We are forever grateful."

Narvaez Family



ANEW CREATION BY BETH THORP



ANEW Creation is a true story about the Thorp family, their love for each other, and how the power of one life can cause a ripple effect that goes on and on to touch and transform the lives of so many.

When their oldest son, Mitchell, came down with an undiagnosed illness, Beth and Brad Thorp took him across the nation looking for answers. After five years and no answers, Mitchell passed away. The Thorp's were faced with persevering through trials that tested their faith, but they ultimately found hope, joy, and purpose through founding the Mitchell Thorp Foundation- to bring the light of hope for other children and families fighting for their tomorrows.

Beth Thorp's passion and goal is to turn ANEW Creation into an inspirational movie for those across the world to experience. All proceeds from the book sales and movie sales will go directly to Mitchell Thorp Foundation.

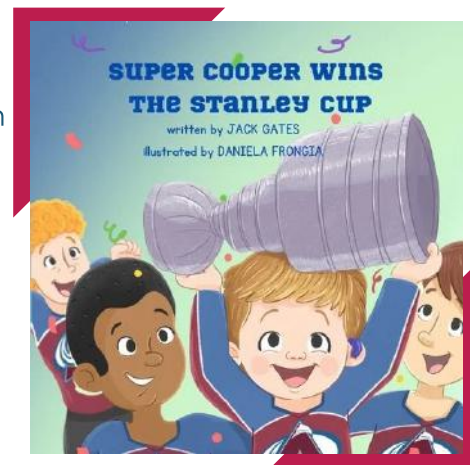
“What a page turner! Beth and Brad knew that after Mitchell died, whatever they did in life would have eternal purposes and that has been established through the Mitchell Thorp Foundation. Through all the people you have helped and the families you have touched, the community has witnessed the true heroism you both exemplify- in overcoming a tragedy and still giving from your heart and hands, everything you have, so that they know they are loved. I was touched by every part of the book.
-Terri H.

Visit anewcreation.org to learn more, shop, listen to podcasts & radio interviews, & much more.

SUPER COOPER WINS THE STANLEY CUP BY JACK GATES

Super Cooper Wins the Stanley Cup is based on a true story about Cooper, an 11 year old with a rare condition. Due to Cooper's condition, he can't participate like everyone else. He's got a dream as big as the Stanley Cup itself, and nothing- not even a condition that makes him different from his teammates- is going to keep him from chasing it.

Author Jack Gates is the founder of Triumph Together, a program dedicated to connecting collegiate and professional athletes with children at nearby hospitals. Cooper, the first child Jack helped, has been a significant source of inspiration for him. Cooper's impact motivated Jack to expand his efforts, striving to bring joy and support to even more children in need. Through Triumph Together, Jack continues to make a positive difference in countless young lives, fostering connections between athletes and children facing difficult times.



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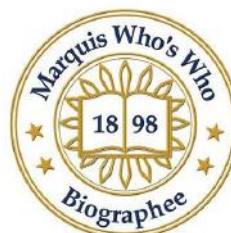
AWARDS & ACCOMPLISHMENTS

- Merger of Non-Profit Triumph Together Program
- 2023 Carlsbad City Citizen of the Year Award.
- 2022 Community Impact Award & 2020 Non-Profit of the Year by Carlsbad Chamber of Commerce.
- 2020 Proclamation declaring February 1, 2020 as “Mitchell Thorp Day” by the County of San Diego.
- 2018-2024 Platinum Status through Candid/Guide Star.
- 2,000 toys delivered to hospitals & families.
- 80% Increase in revenue with a 20% increase in Children & families served.
- 100% of two-parent households remain married today.



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