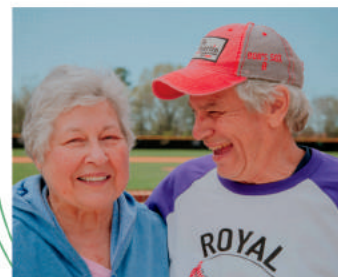


2022 IMPACT REPORT

EVEN WITH ALS, THE POSSIBILITIES ARE ENDLESS



2022 has been a year of connection with our ALS community, growth into new regions, and expansion of our programs. In this 15th year of operations, our in-person services are reaching over 100 families in communities across the Carolinas, and even more families are being supported remotely and through Joe's Camp. Check out how we are achieving our mission to equip people with ALS to live with purpose, with joy, and with hope, thanks to you!

Joe's Camp

*"[Joe's Camp] is a wonderful experience for the children to spend time with others like themselves and **to know they are not alone**. Joe Martin ALS provides coping skills and support skills and that is very important for children who have not developed yet how to deal with ALS" - Parent of a Camper*

Total Number of Participants: 53
(includes 28 overnight campers, 1 nurse, and 5 counselors, and 20 family day participant parents)

In-Home Caregiving

We are growing steadily across the Carolinas! After hiring a caregiver in the Piedmont Triad in January, we have been able to provide services that support patients of the Wake Forest ALS Clinic. We currently help **14** families who are navigating ALS in that region. Below is a quote from the spouse of one of those PALS:

*"Just wanted to follow-up with you to give praise to your caregiver. She was here today at her appointed time and immediately began helping me to prepare my wife to take her bath. This was especially important because **we had been trying to give her a bath since yesterday** evening. My wife, for some reason, was reluctant to comply. [Your caregiver] very calmly and sweetly began trying to assist her. **With this kind effort my wife was willing to bathe. This was a small (but important) victory.** THANK YOU!"*

Education & Outreach

This year we have sought every opportunity to share our mission and experience with audiences across the Carolinas, and nationally. We are always seeking opportunities to spread the word about how people with ALS can live actively despite this challenging diagnosis.

- Four in-person community events: Our own ALS Rivalry Softball Challenge, Charlotte Knights' "Community Corner", and ALS Association NC Chapter (ALSANC) Walk to Defeat ALS, and Volunteer Day at Snowflake Village Tree Lot on December 3rd.
- Two in-depth news features about PALS benefitting from our services, and one spot about our ALS Rivalry Softball Challenge
- Our caregiving team attended the ALS Association's Caregiving Conference in November



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Camper at Joe's Camp had a blast during a weekend designed for adventure, friendships, fun, and support. Kids from across six states whose families have been affected by ALS had a chance to "just be kids" according to one parent. Thank you for making this life-changing weekend possible!

Financial Summary

Interim Report for finances from
January - November 2022

Expenses

Program Services & Growth \$323,925.14
(In-home caregiving, wheelchair-accessible transportation, education and caregiver workshops, respite services, Joe's Camp, education and advocacy activities)

Administration Costs \$57,465.95
(Management, fundraising, and administrative costs)

Total Expenses \$381,391.09

Income \$342,015.70
Total Income including individual giving, grants and foundations, and in-kind goods and services

Services We've Provided This Year

- 1,560** client visits for in-person home caregiving and support
- 100** PALS and Families helped with ALS-specialized support, in-home care and transportation
- 45** Home Accessibility Assessments
- 33** Equipment Loans
- 28** Kids and teens who attended Joe's Camp and ongoing monthly camper check-ins
- 24** Caregivers and PALS who attended in-person and online caregiver workshops
- 38** Individual and family consultations and support sessions



Our staff, supporters, and PALS had a wonderful summer evening together at the ballpark, watching the Charlotte Knights take on the LeHigh Valley Iron Pigs! Pictured from left are Carmen, her daughter Asia, and JMALS Foundation President Neil Cottrell. As Asia's primary family caregiver, Carmen does an amazing job making sure Asia can participate in activities throughout the year!



Visit us at www.joemartinalsfoundation.org to learn more about how we are helping people with ALS live every day with purpose, with joy, and with hope!