

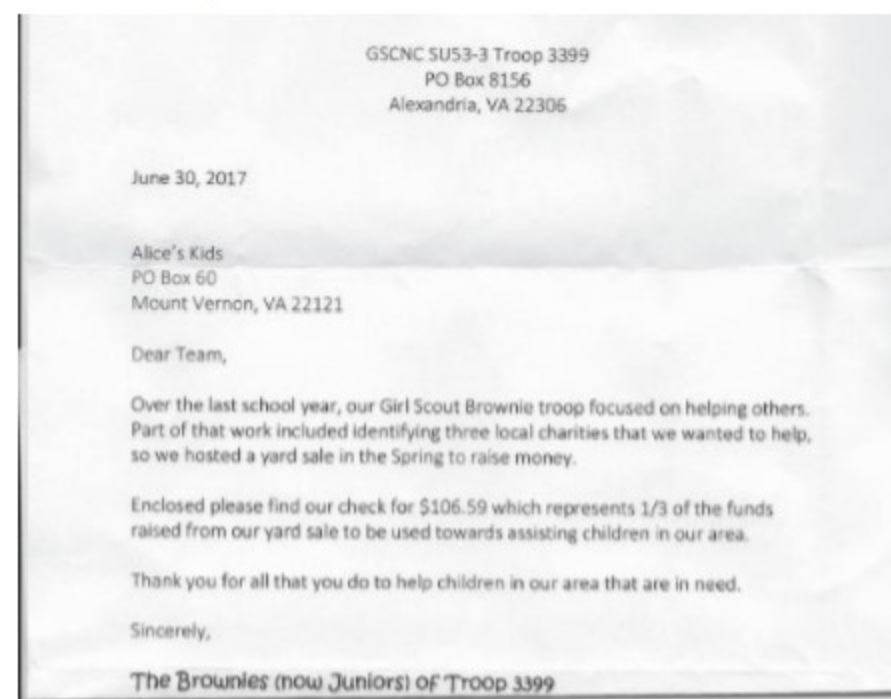
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ORGANIZATION NEWS

In July, we assisted 93 children which brings us to 572 kids helped for 2017! We are on our way to passing last year's number of 683 children helped!

Our Executive Director is very busy meeting with members of the community to let them know about our organization. Most recently, he met with staff from the Kate Hanley Family Center and United Community Ministries who will help us provide assistance to even more children.

We are always excited to see kids helping kids. Girl Scout Brownies (now Juniors) Troop 3399 in Alexandria, Virginia did just that. The Troop chose Alice's Kids to receive one third of the proceeds from their yard sale - Thanks Troop 3399!



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Our Communities in Schools partnership helped us provide a yearbook for a high school freshman!

Dear Ron,
 Thank you so much for the funds to be able to purchase a yearbook for my mentee. She was thrilled to be able to have something that captured her first year of her high school journey!



The Children We've Helped

"This family consist of a single mother and 14-year-old with history of severe agoraphobia who would not leave the house for anything including school and mental health appointments for approximately two years. For about three months now the child has been working with a home-based therapist to address his issues and he is no longer experiencing hyperventilation, uncontrolled shaking, rapid heart rate or severe fight or flight syndrome. He is no longer hiding and has been able to go to his appointments, the store with his mother, and play soccer. He recently indicated he would love to have a bike to go riding which would be a great help to him."

Alice's Kids issued the gift card to buy the bike!

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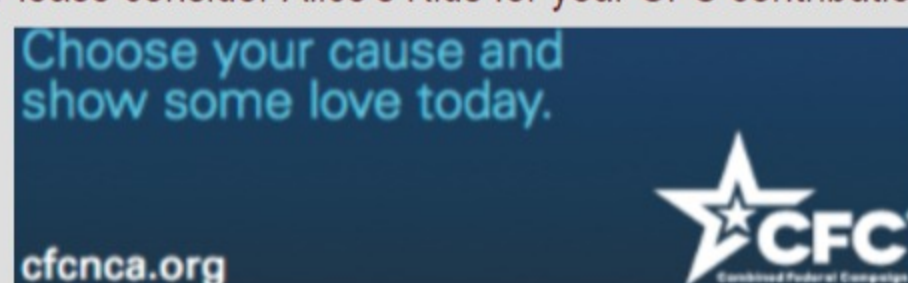
DONOR SPOTLIGHT - Barbara Phillips Cotter

Barbara has been a steadfast supporter since the inception of Alice's Kids, which she first heard about when she worked with our Executive Director on the Mt. Vernon H.S. PTSA. She states "I was fascinated that Ron thought he could pull this off but pull it off he did and it has now expanded beyond Virginia, across the Country. I am happy to have been in on the ground floor of this wonderful, philanthropic cause and I smile every time I get a Newsletter and hear of the fulfillment of needs that have brought joy to a student".

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Alice's Kids is a non-profit organization that seeks to enhance the self-esteem of children in need by providing them with targeted financial assistance. The ultimate hope is that these "small acts of kindness" will help these children feel better about themselves by facilitating their participation in scholastic, recreational and social activities.

Please consider Alice's Kids for your CFC contribution!



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