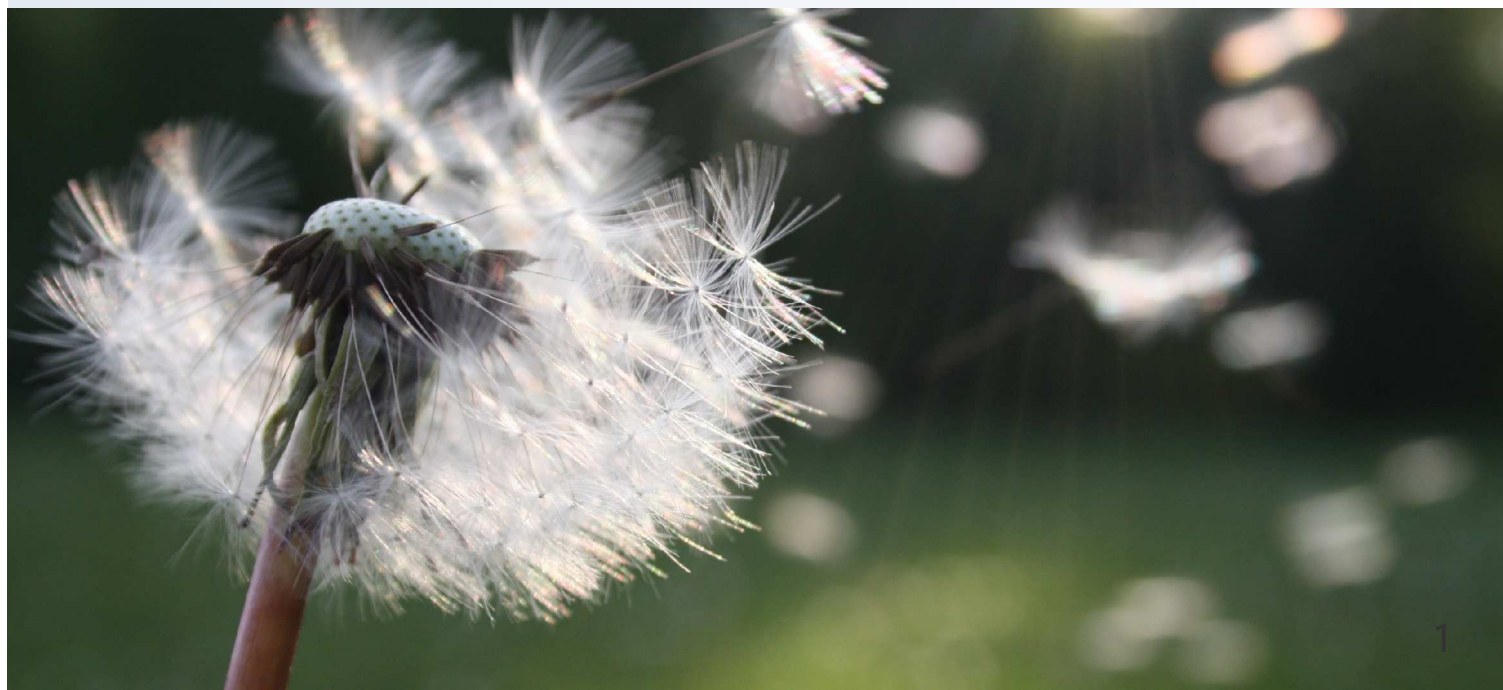
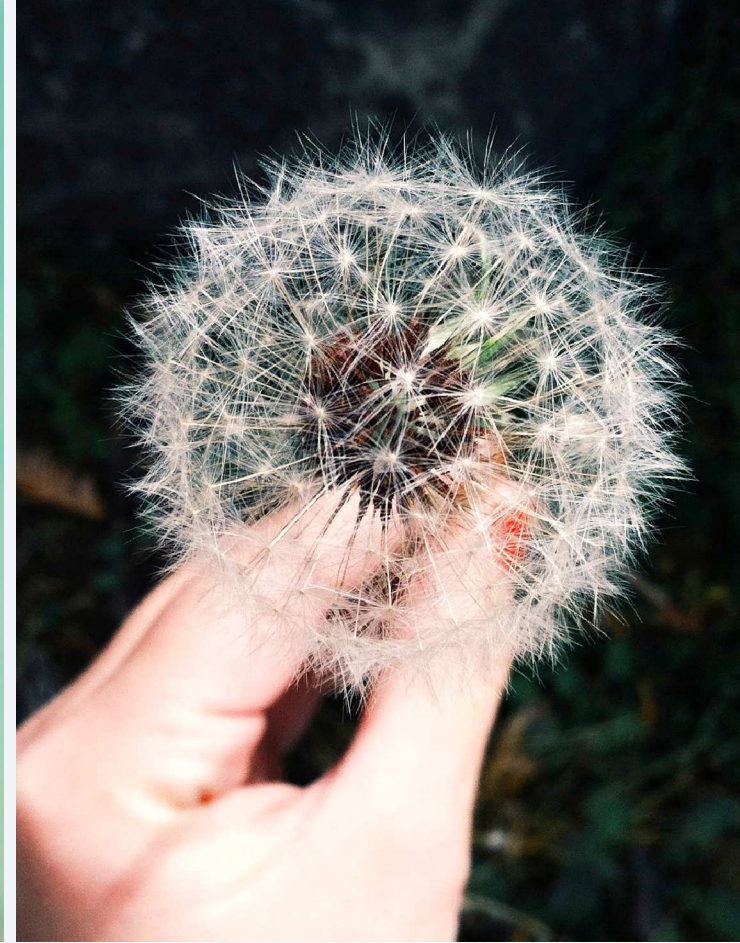
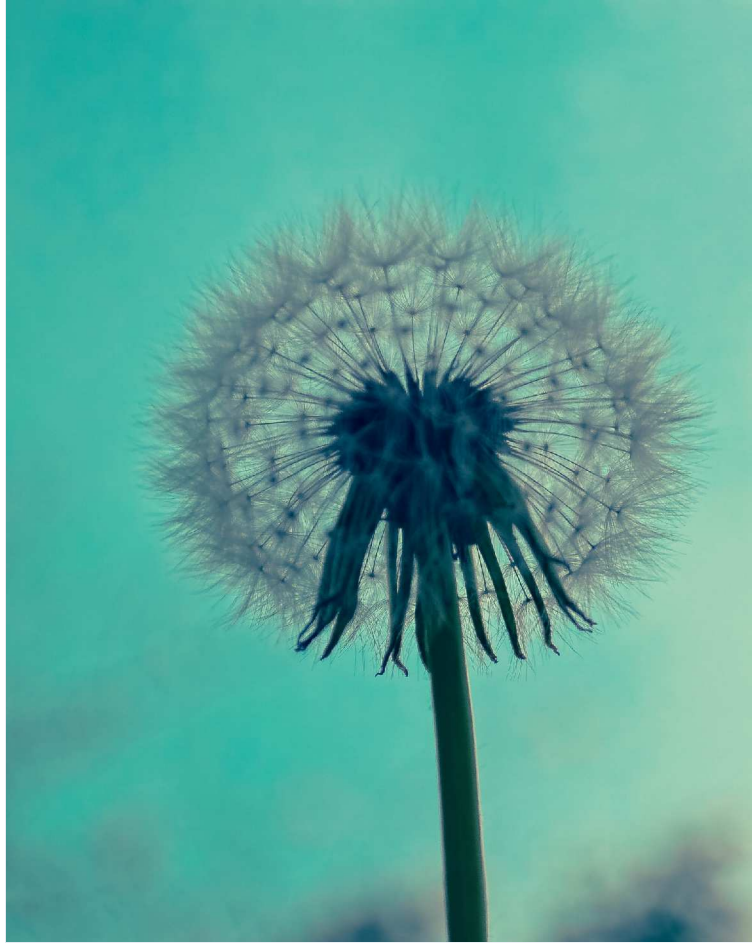


# Breast Wishes Foundation

Annual Report 2024







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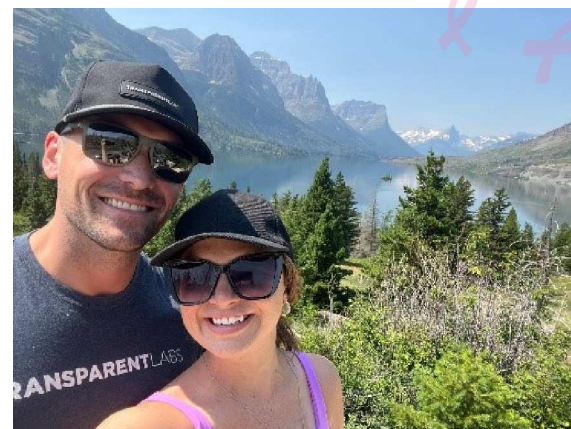
# Message from our Board Chair

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What a glorious year 2024 has been! Thanks to our donors, sponsors, volunteers, wish recipients and board members we have granted more wishes and raised more funds than ever before. We are eternally grateful for all of your support. As we close out 2024 and look toward 2025 and beyond, Breast Wishes Foundation is in great shape to face the future.

We have our first three employees – team members who are talented and motivated to meet the Mission and achieve the Vision. Our incoming chair, Dr. Diane Anderson, brings a wealth of healthcare and foundation experience and her gravitas is second to none. Our new, as well as experienced and diverse board members are forming a strong and high performing team. We have more stakeholders including friends, partners, donors, grantors, volunteers and sponsors than ever before.

Why has Breast Wishes Foundation motivated me? Our wish recipients say it best. Brooke O'Neal, is 30 years old, married to Bryan and has a son and daughter who are four and six. Brooke was diagnosed with metastatic breast cancer in March 2024 and wished for a trip to Montana for a 10-year wedding vow renewal with her husband, Bryan. She waited for their trip until she had completed her chemotherapy treatment which gave her hope and motivation to complete her infusions. Their smiles say it all.



With gratitude,

*Jan Hillman*

Jan Hillman

Outgoing Board Chair

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# Wish Highlights

The Breast Wishes Foundation was created to grant wishes that bring **JOY** to those in the Miami Valley with breast cancer. Since our inception, we have granted almost 400 wishes! We never know what someone might wish for but we know that getting a wish granted creates a spark of JOY and a glimmer of HOPE for our recipients.



We granted wishes that brought JOY to 98 women and their families. Those wishes included trips to visit family, new appliances, new furniture, shopping sprees, house repairs, spa days, and even a cruise!



We partnered with breast cancer patient serving non-profits including Gala of Hope, Karen Wellington Foundation, Pink Ribbon Good and the Norma J. Ross Foundation to further the impact of each wish.



We began offering free workshops to our wish recipients in our new office space. These workshops have been so much fun and have created space for new friendships to form. The support our recipients show one another is remarkable!

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# Fundraising Highlights

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It was a great year for Breast Wishes and we had our most successful 5k for Kelli to date as well as our first Birdies & Bogeys golf tournament and Black Jack for Breast Wishes casino night.

The 12th annual 5k for Kelli was a celebration at the beautiful Wegerzyn Gardens area of the Stillwater River Trail. We had almost 500 people sign up and run or walk with us in their best fairy attire. We had 32 teams compete in our golf outing at Homestead Golf Course and we SOLD OUT the Black Jack event at The Brightside. We had a few smaller fundraisers as well: Sip, Spa and Ahhhh Day, Latin Dance for a Wish and a Speed Puzzle Competition.

Third party fundraisers included the Pink Lunch, Tennis and Pickleball Clinic at Five Seasons Sports Club, Chrome Divas Ride, Pink Bingo at Traditions of Beavercreek, The Bomb Mom Prom, Flag Football Fanatics, the Greek Ladies Philoptochos Society and many more.

We had our annual Pink Ribbon Cookie Fundraiser thanks to the generosity of Laura's Cookies. We sold over 2,500 cookies in the month of October and continued our great partnership with Laura and her team. We can't wait to sell (and eat!) more this year.

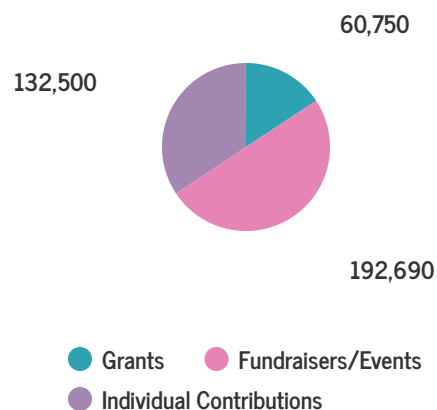
*Thank you so much to all of our donors-large and small-  
your gift makes wishes come true!*



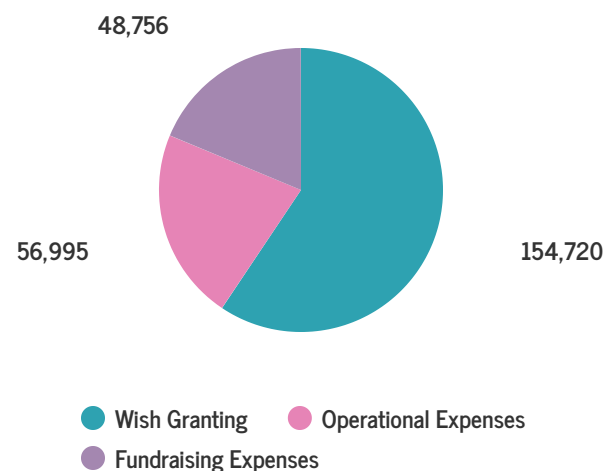
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## Income and expenditure for the year ended 31st December 2024

### Income



### Expenses



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## Further Information

More information about the Breast Wishes Foundation including past wish recipients, wish applications and upcoming fundraisers and events is available at [BreastWishes.org](https://BreastWishes.org)

## Contact Us

If you have any questions or require further information please feel free to reach out. Please follow us on social media to stay up to date on current events and wishes granted.



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