



Forty Carrots
Family Center

ANNUAL REPORT

2020-2021



AGENCY 2020-2021

DEAR FRIENDS,

If there is one lesson to be learned from the past year, it is that we are indeed better, wiser, and stronger together. Facing the collective challenges and seeing the severe impacts on our children and families, reinforced our resolve and commitment to meeting the increased needs of our community.

Our staff was united, finding innovative ways to connect and provide effective services despite the obstacles. Our team continues to be more adaptive and flexible than ever before as we work together to navigate the ever-changing uncertainties.

The work we are doing today with children and families will have a lasting impact for generations to come.

None of this work would be possible without the unwavering support of our donors. My heartfelt thanks to our incredibly talented staff and dedicated Board of Trustees for their generous commitment so that we could continue to be there for our community's children and families.



Warmest regards,

Michelle Kapreilian

Michelle Kapreilian
CEO, Forty Carrots Family Center

OUR MISSION

“To nurture healthy child and family development through research-based, relationship-centered education and mental health services.”

VISION + SERVICES

Since 1993, Forty Carrots remains committed to strengthening families in our community. We envision a future where all children are raised in homes where they are loved, nurtured, and protected. Through our parenting education programs, mental health services, and early childhood education, we provide families with the tools, resources, and support to create environments in which all children can learn, love, and grow.

PARENTING EDUCATION

Parenting Education Programs aims to empower families with the tools they need to ensure positive outcomes, both short-term and long-term, for children.

MENTAL HEALTH SERVICES

Mental Health Services include individual and group therapy for children, adolescents, and their families.

EARLY CHILDHOOD EDUCATION

Preschool is a nurturing learning environment, led by degree-level teachers who integrate the latest research and best teaching practices to instill a love of learning that will last a lifetime.

94% OF CLIENTS RECEIVE FREE SERVICES

NUMBER OF
CLIENTS
SERVED **3,393**

NUMBER OF
FAMILIES
SERVED **1,881**

NUMBER OF
FREE COMMUNITY-
BASED
MENTAL
HEALTH
GROUPS: **136**

CHILD + FAMILY
THERAPY
SESSIONS

TOTAL **1,979**

943 PARENTING
EDUCATION GROUPS
SUPPORTING **2,777**
UNDUPLICATED CLIENTS
AND **1,556** FAMILIES

10,416 TOTAL
CLIENT SERVICE HOURS

OUTREACH



The foundation for Forty Carrots' outreach into Sarasota and Manatee communities is its relationship with its 26 community partners. While each partner focuses on its own mission, they call on Forty Carrots to send its Parenting Educators and Mental Health Therapists to their locations - reaching out to those most at-risk in our community. Every dollar we raise supports these critical collaborations and brings our expertise to thousands of families who otherwise would go without these essential services.

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**COMMUNITY PARTNERS
RECEIVING FREE SERVICES**

COMMUNITY PARTNERS



SOAR IN 4 PROGRAM
TEENAGE PARENT
PROGRAM (TAPP)

Brentwood Elementary
CYESIS Teen Parent Program at North Port High
CYESIS Teen Parent Program at Riverview High
Fruitville Elementary
Cocio Elementary
Tuttle Elementary

PARENTING EDUCATION



PARTNERS IN PLAY® [PIP]

Strengthening relationships between parents, caregivers and young children is at the core of Forty Carrots' Parenting Education Programs. Whether offered virtually or in person, our Parenting Educators can change the course of a young child's life by providing parents and caregivers with the tools and resources to create nurturing environments that support healthy early brain development. These same tools help build strong bonds between parent and child, thereby preventing child abuse, neglect, and other adverse childhood experiences.

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PARENTING EDUCATION

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I used to be unaware of how much babies really look up to us, especially as they go through changes and feel new emotions. With the help of Forty Carrots' parenting educators, I know how important it will be for me to help him to understand his feelings as he grows. I will be there for him every step of the way.

Parenting Education Parent

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PRESCHOOL

“

Perhaps most important of all, the school has fostered within him a deep passion for learning and continued curiosity about the world, including culture, music, and science.

Preschool Parent

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PRESCHOOL



Forty Carrots' Preschool is rooted in a play-based curriculum that inspires children and creates a life-long curiosity about the world in which we live. Our young students are guided by professional degree-level teachers who nurture their social, emotional, creative, physical, and cognitive development. Our NAEYC-accredited program also helps children learn positive social interactions, such as problem-solving, communicating, cooperating, and understanding their own and others' feelings, while developing a strong sense of self-worth. High-quality early childhood education has proven time and again to have a significant return on investment – for the child, the family, and the community in which they live.

72

PRESCHOOL
STUDENTS

17

SUMMER VPK
FAMILIES

10

SCHOLARSHIP
STUDENTS

CHILD + FAMILY THERAPY



The need for Forty Carrots' mental health services has intensified over the last year. While dealing with the effects of the pandemic, families have had to cope with everything from isolation, to depression, anxiety, illness and loss, homelessness, financial despair, child abuse and neglect, and more. Working in person or virtually, our therapists meet the highest professional and clinical standards and are trained to work with the most vulnerable among us, ensuring that all families in our community receive the best of care.

1,979 TOTAL INDIVIDUAL
THERAPY SESSIONS

CHILD + FAMILY THERAPY



“

What an incredible difference counseling has made for this student! She comes to class with a better attitude, is more willing to face challenges, and her grades are better. She has become a totally improved version of herself.

Title I School Teacher

”

DONOR SPOTLIGHT

COMMUNITY FOUNDATION OF SARASOTA COUNTY



In 1993, the Community Foundation of Sarasota County awarded the newly opened Forty Carrots Family Center with a \$1,500 grant for furniture for the Parenting Center. Since then, in a partnership spanning 28 years, the Community Foundation has granted more than \$900,000 to Forty Carrots – \$95,000 in the last year alone.

"Forty Carrots has been a wonderful partner over the years," said Roxie Jerde, President and CEO of the Community Foundation, "especially as we help support families through economic security, educational success, sound parenting practices, mental health services, and so much more."

Jerde added that both the Community Foundation and Forty Carrots share an important commitment to a two generation (2Gen) approach of supporting families of all shapes and sizes. "Ten years ago, we adopted this philosophy, realizing that if we approached the needs of families from the perspective of both children and their adults, the entire family would be on a much better trajectory. This belief has been the heart of Forty Carrots since its inception."

"With a partner like Forty Carrots, we know we are fulfilling our donors' wishes that families are being supported and strengthened in our community,"



**COMMUNITY
FOUNDATION**

of Sarasota County

DONOR SPOTLIGHT

TERRY MCKEE + JAMES AMATO



Since 1986, NUOVO Salon Group Co-owners Terry McKee and James Amato and their team have set the bar as Sarasota's premier salon group. They have also set a high standard of giving back to the Sarasota community.

"It's often said that "family" is the foundation of a community," McKee said. "Responsible, nurturing parenting is also the foundation of a healthy family unit. That's why both James and I, and our Team NUOVO, consider Forty Carrots, through its parenting and community outreach programs, as one of the most potent and impactful places we can support in our community."

"One of the things that has always most impressed us about Forty Carrots was its goal of ensuring that every child – no matter his or her socioeconomic background – is given the potential for a rich and productive life," said Amato. "With its preschool, its parenting education programs, and mental health services, Forty Carrots opens the door so that children are educated and empowered to succeed."

Terry, James, and their team have been and remain committed to both the style and philanthropy that make Sarasota such a special community.

NUOVO
SALONS

"As a proud parent myself, and a mentor to so many young people, it only makes sense for us to support this important, core-level programming offered to our community," Amato added.

STATEMENT OF

FINANCIAL ACTIVITIES [AUDITED]

FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING ON MAY 31, 2021

SUPPORT + REVENUES

Preschool Fees	\$584,137
Parenting Program Fees	\$14,203
Mental Health Program Fees	\$105,293
Contributions	\$509,668
Grants	\$1,908,860
Special Events Revenue [NET]	\$15,758
Investment Income	\$301,803

TOTAL SUPPORT + REVENUE \$3,439,722

[RESTRICTED REVENUE \$725,194]

EXPENSES

PROGRAM SERVICES

Preschool	\$846,537
Parenting Program	\$734,362
Mental Health	\$526,296

SUPPORTING SERVICES

General + Administrative	\$119,388
Fundraising	\$239,895

TOTAL EXPENSES \$2,466,478

CHANGE IN NET ASSETS \$973,244

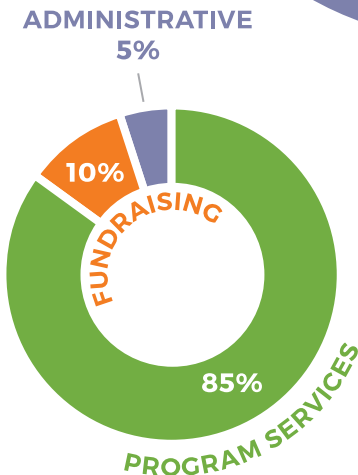
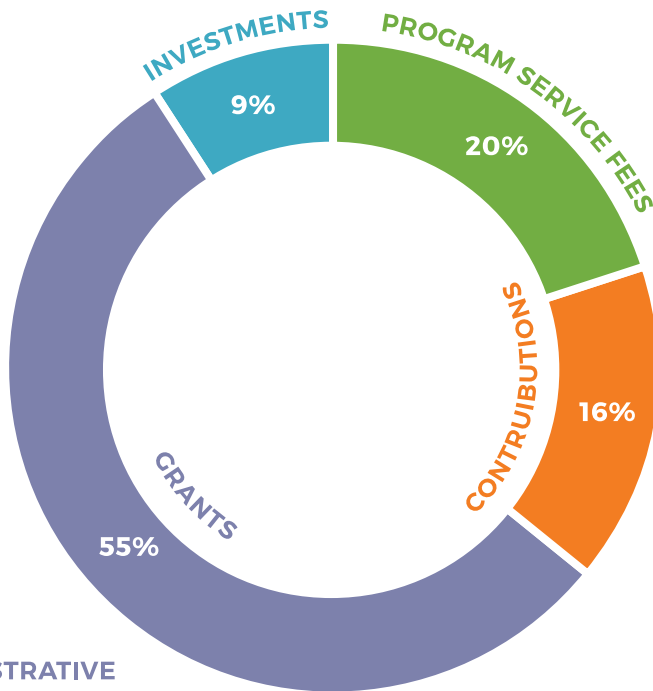
NET ASSETS [BEGINNING OF YEAR] \$4,041,151

NET ASSETS [END OF YEAR] \$5,014,395

FISCAL YEAR 2021

REVENUE SOURCES

Special Event Revenue	0%	■
Program Service Fees	20%	■
Contributions	16%	■
Grants	55%	■
Investments	9%	■



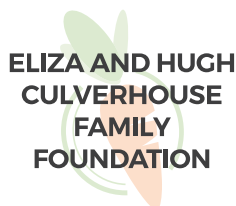
ORGANIZATIONAL EFFICIENCY

Program Services	85%	■
Fundraising	10%	■
Administrative	5%	■

THANK YOU TO OUR 2020-2021



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& MARGERY BARANCIK
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DENNIS AND DAWN DOUGHTY
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GOOD BEGINNINGS THAT LAST A LIFETIME

IN HONOR OF

IN HONOR OF GERALD AND SONDRALILLER

Living On The Go Foundation

IN HONOR OF DRAKE BUCKMAN'S BIRTHDAY

Allie Castellano

IN HONOR OF MINTA GETZEN

Josephine Eisenberg

IN HONOR OF EMMA GRANTHON

The Granthon Family

IN HONOR OF ELIZABETH FINCH HAUTAMAKI

Gloria and Louis Flanzer Philanthropic Fund of the Jewish Communal Fund

IN HONOR OF BEN AND ERIN JONES

Barbara A. Jones

IN HONOR OF MICHELLE KAPREILIAN

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IN HONOR OF BRIAN LEAVER

Geri Jo Manson

SPEEDY RECOVERY TO DAVID MACRAE

Geri Jo Manson

IN HONOR OF MELISSA MORSLI'S 50TH SOLID GOLD BIRTHDAY

Dawnyelle Singleton

IN HONOR OF ALAN ROSS

Bloomerang

IN HONOR OF JOLEEN SEARLES' BIRTHDAY

Aly Searles	Theresa Getzen
Tony Stabenow	Susan Travers
Ernie Garcia	Michelle Kapreilian
Pete Martin	Randall Borkus
Brooklyn Henson Shannon	Edd Hill

SPEEDY RECOVERY TO DAWNYELLE SINGLETON

Diane O'Driscoll

IN HONOR OF SUSAN TRAVERS' BIRTHDAY

Donna Koffman	Anonymous	Joanne Forch
Coleman Pigott	Cathy Quigley	Joleen Searles
Nancy Penrod	Michelle Kapreilian	Walter L. Sebring III
Betsy Winder	Cathy Johnston	and Donna Marie Sebring
Cheryl Mendelson	Dawn Dougherty	

IN HONOR OF HEATHER WILLIAMS

Marcia Jean Taub and Peter Swain

IN HONOR OF THE ZARGHAMI FAMILY

Mariash Lowther Wealth Management

IN MEMORY OF

IN MEMORY OF CUMIE WOLFE DEMAREE

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Robbie and Topper Swanson

IN MEMORY OF PHYLLIS WILCOX

Audrey Oxenhorn

ANNUAL GIVING

JUNE 1, 2020
- MAY 31, 2021

DIAMOND \$100,000 AND UP

Charles & Margery Barancik Foundation
The Brunckhorst Family
Eliza and Hugh Culverhouse
Family Foundation
Nancy DeLong and David Jemison
The Gardener Foundation
Sarasota County Government
Steinwachs Family Foundation

SAPPHIRE \$50,000 - \$99,999

Anonymous
The Epstein Family Charitable Fund
Louis & Gloria Flanzer Philanthropic Trust
Living On The Go Foundation
Linda L. Monda
The Montei Foundation

EMERALD \$10,000 - \$49,999

Anonymous
Harold C. & Jacqueline F. Bladel
Foundation, Inc.
Community Foundation of Sarasota County
George J. & Alice Pugh Donor
Advised Fund
James Franklin Warnell &
Dorothy J. Warnell Fund
Edward K. Roberts Emerging Needs Fund
COVID-19 Response Initiative of Gulf Coast
Community Foundation and the Charles
& Margery Barancik Foundation
Dawn and Dennis Doughty
Dennis and Dawn Doughty Donor
Advised Fund at the University of
Notre Dame
Education Foundation of Sarasota County
Gloria and Louis Flanzer Philanthropic
Fund of the Jewish Communal Fund
Gulf Coast Community Foundation
Ashley D. Kozel Charitable Fund
Getzen Family Charities
Betsy and John Kane-Hartnett
Arthur S. Karp Family Foundation

Bob and Terry Lewandowski
The Libertore Fund for Children, Inc.
Manatee County COVID-19 Community
Response Fund of Manatee
Community Foundation
Mariner Wealth Advisors
Partners for Green Places
The Patterson Foundation
PNC Foundation
Susan and Jim Travers
Travers Family Fund, a Fidelity
Charitable Donor-Advised FundSM
Truist Charitable Fund
Wilson - Wood Foundation, Inc.

PLATINUM \$5,000 - \$9,999

Anonymous
Appleby Foundation
The Hays Family
Priscilla Kane Hellweg and John Hellweg
Janet and Stanley Kane Foundation
Manatee Community Foundation
Manatee Foster Care Initiative Fund
Jim and Jean Parm
Marni & Morris Propp II Family Foundation
Publix Super Markets Charities
Kelly Romano Family Fund, a Fidelity
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Sarasota County Foundation
Williams Parker Attorneys at Law

GOLD \$2,500 - \$4,999

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Gloria and Ali Bahaj Foundation
Huisking Family Fund
Ariane Dart
Jackie and Stephen Griesse
Richard Lawrence
The Plantation Community Foundation
of Venice, Florida
Nora Roberts Foundation

Tandem Construction
J. Michael and Barbara A. White

SILVER \$1,000 - \$2,499

John and Lisa Budslick
Caterpillar Foundation
Ann and Tom Charters
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Fund of Fidelity CharitableSM
Community Foundation of Sarasota County
Ben and Erin Jones Charitable Fund
Tugendhat Family Fund
Anna DeFelice
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William Brown
First Horizon Foundation
Kathy and Joe Garner
Kristin and Michael Goldberg
The Granthon Family
Gulf Coast Community Foundation
Brown Family Giving Fund
Westwood Fund
Chris Jarmul
Barbara A. Jones
Ben and Erin Jones
Christie and Bill Krugler
Langsen Family Giving Fund, a Fidelity
Charitable Donor-Advised FundSM
McCarver & Moser
MSC Foundation
Diane O'Driscoll and Gerry Spit
Quinto Family Sovereign Silver
Lori and Alan Ross
Tobi Leanna Schneider
Walter L. Sebring III and
Donna Marie Sebring
Dorothy Simmons
Robbie and Topper Swanson
Marcia Jean Taub & Peter Swain

BRONZE \$500 - \$999

Elizabeth Aliotta
Anonymous
Atlas Insurance Agency
Susan Bethke

Community Foundation of Sarasota County
Charlotte and Charles Perret
& Family Fund
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Melissa Gindling
Elizabeth Harmon
Houston Jewish Community Foundation
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IBERIABANK
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The Wawa Foundation

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Aly Searles
Joleen Searles
Joan and Don Shepherd
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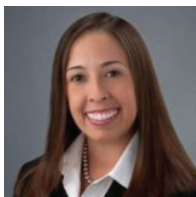


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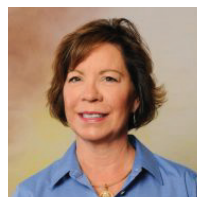
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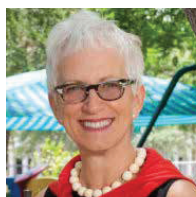
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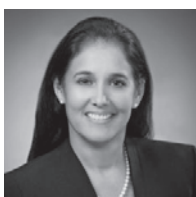
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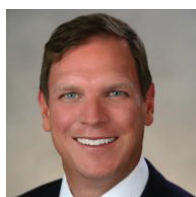
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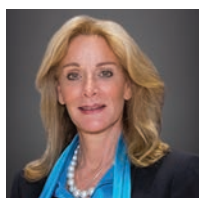
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