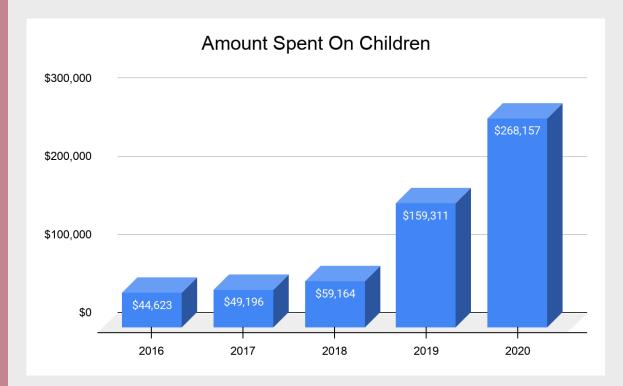
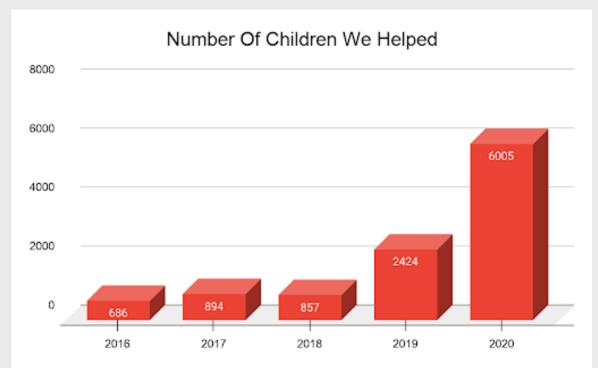
ALICE'S KIDS

JANUARY 2021

2020: A Record-Breaking Year

In an otherwise chaotic year, Alice's Kids not only remained steady but also grew at a dizzying pace. As the two graphs below indicate, we experienced tremendous growth in the number of children served and the amount spent on children. And in 2021, we expect to grow even more.





Washington Post Strikes Again

On December 24, Washington Post columnist Theresa Vargas wrote her FOURTH column in two years featuring our work. But this <u>latest column</u> generated more reactions and donations than the previous three combined.

One thing was clear from our reader's comments - the country was/is ready for a "feel good" story.

New Board Member

We'd like to welcome Mr. Richard "Gus" Gustafson to our Board of Directors! Gus hails from Colorado and, because of his financial background, has been named our Treasurer.

Here is the link to our Board of Director's page where you can read his impressive resume!



In December, Among Our "Normal" Requests, We Also...

Purchased wheels and bearings for skateboard for a 15-year-old young lady whose board was stolen. This young lady has recently shown increased motivation to complete schoolwork after losing her uncle in a tragic motorcycle accident.

Paid fee for babysitting course for 12year-old young lady who lives with two siblings and single mother. Father lives nearby, but pays no child support. This is a bright, engaged, hard-working young lady who volunteers and helps her younger siblings with school work.

Contributed toward therapeutic board games for 16-year-old young man who lives with his single mother and struggles with significant multiple social-emotional and educational difficulties. The family has recently been placed in housing after period of homelessness and mom is disabled and unable to work.

Purchased dollhouse for 7-year-old girl who is in need of some holiday cheer. She and her four siblings live with single mom and grandmother in hotel room as they are homeless. Mom has cancer and is unable to work and the family has been deeply impacted by the COVID-19 pandemic.

Paid for welding course supplies for 17-year-old young lady to earn dual-credit for community college welding course. This young lady lives with and cares for her grandmother who has health issues. Father is incarcerated and not involved in her life. This student has recently shown improved

Purchased items (stethoscope for nursing, sewing machine for fashion technology) necessary for vocational classes for 17 and 14-year-old sisters attending an alternative education program. The sisters live with single mom and father is not involved in their lives. They both suffer from PTSD, dedication in her alternative education setting with success in welding program.

anxiety, and depression due to severe bullying at their previous school.

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Alice's Kids is a 501(c)3 non-profit organization that seeks to enhance the self-esteem of children in need by providing them with targeted individual assistance to facilitate their participation in scholastic, recreational and social activities.

