ANNUAL REPORT 2018

PATH - WAY

Providing Access To Happiness

"It's not about rescuing people with disabilities. It's about investing in removing the physical, cultural, economic, communication, mobility, and attitudinal barriers that impede people with disabilities." UNKNOWN

From our CO-FOUNDERS

Greetings,

The beginning of a new year is always a time to reflect on the past and plan for the future. 2018 was a wonderful year for PATH-WAY. Many activities were enjoyed and we had the opportunity to welcome new friends, enjoying many activities. These included sailing, various film showings and discussions, participation in the annual Abilities Expo and many more.

A highlight of 2018 was the presentation at our signature annual event in May by Dr. Patrick Downes, a survivor of the Boston Marathon Bombing. Dr. Downes providing an insightful and inspirational talk about overcoming the burdens and challenges of life.

The success of our organization is far from over. Our mission is substantive and our dream remains to have a "Path-Way" facility which will provide for further activities and access for all our participants, in the greater Boston area.

Lastly, it is because of you, our volunteers, donors, participants and supporters who continue to make all we do, possible.

I'm hopeful that I will have an opportunity to thank you in person at our annual signature event in May.

Best,

Bob

Dear Friends,

2018 was a great year for PATH-WAY. We continued our mission by providing over twelve accessible social events. Some of the favorites were our annual Bocce Tournament and Picnic and Lawn Games. We had increased interest in our Academic Scholarship, and with your generous support we were able to award $1000 to two deserving individuals.

This year, we are excited to announce the addition of our Providing A Way To Help Fund to our scholarships. This fund will provide financial assistance to help individuals with physical disabilities access their passion. We will provide grants (between $200 to $1000) to help individuals finance their dream. Information about both scholarships can be found on our webpage.

Thank you for believing and supporting PATH-WAY. It is because of you that we are able to continue and grow.

Please join PATH-WAY on Saturday, May 4th for our Annual Celebration at the Hilton Hotel in Dedham. The event will include a buffet dinner, auctions, raffles, and live music with The Rovers.

Best to all,

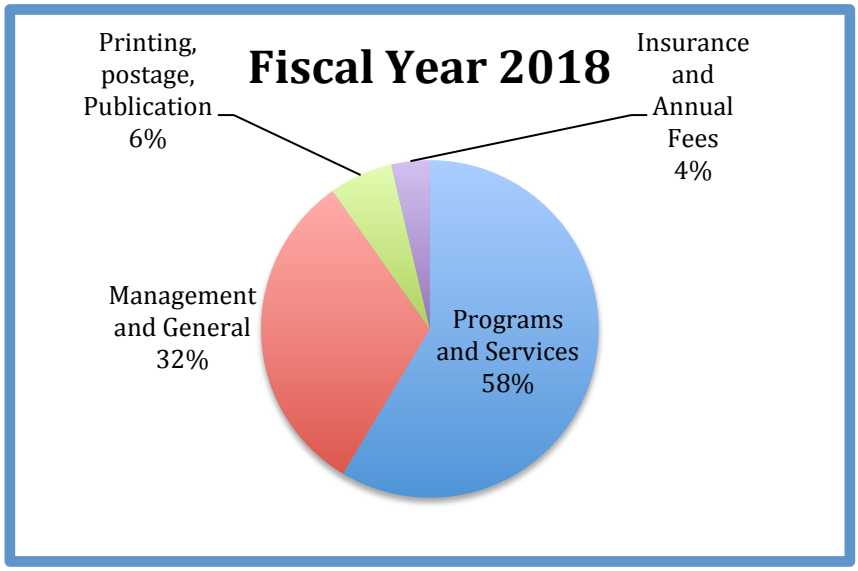
Steph

Highlights of 2018

Annual Fundraiser at the Dedham HIlton
Guest speaker Patrick Downes
Boston Marathon Bombing Survivor and Disability Advocate

Congratulations to Will Johnson and Helena Williamson
2018 Scholarship Recipients

Statement of Financial Position - 2018



Total Revenue for 2018: $ 49,206.

Total Expenses for 2018: $ 33,072.

Net Assets for year 2018: $ 16,134.

Net Assets at end of year 2017: $53,012.

Total assets going into year 2019: $69,146

Our program to date has no paid employees.

EIN: 472699186

Thank you and sincere appreciation to all our donors and participants.

DONOR LIST 2018

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Special thanks for Fundraising Activities by:

Mark Perry and the South Shore Chapter of the Spyder Ryders

Thanks to PATH-WAY's Advisory Committee for their work in planning and executing our events.

Laurence Cote
Desi Forte
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Dan Harris
Stephanie Zaia

Thanks to all who support us through attendance at events and Fundraisers. Your participation is crucial to fulfilling our mission of creating an inclusive environment.

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PATH-WAY's MISSION STATEMENT

PATH-WAY is a registered 501(c)3 not for profit organization created, designed, organized and committed to elevating the lives of individuals with varying degrees of abilities through providing inclusive, accessible, social and networking events in the Boston/ New England area.

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