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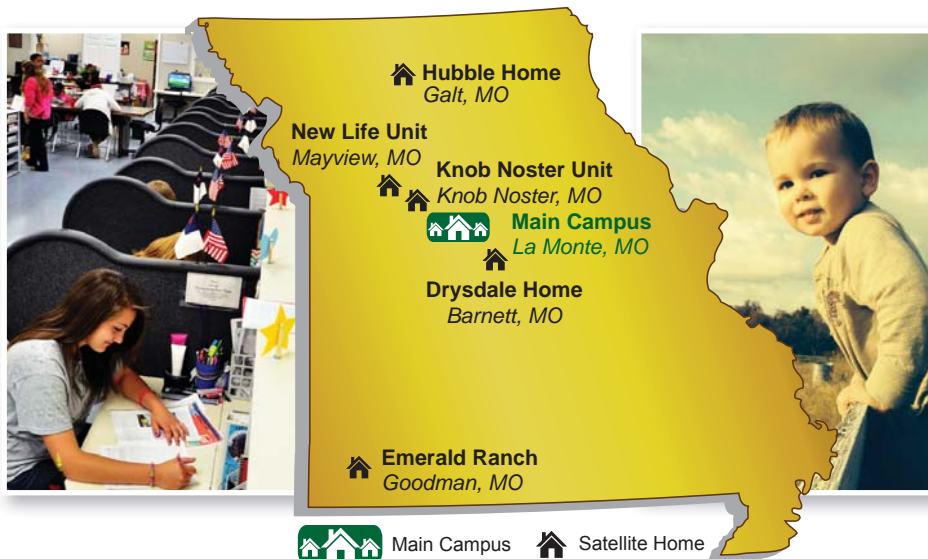
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The Year in Numbers

- 264** Calls for placement at Show-Me
- 76** Children called Show-Me "home" this year
- 18** New placements throughout the year
- 31** Children attend Show-Me Christian School
- 543** Volunteers donated nearly **8,364** hours of service
- 4** Baptisms
- \$0** Federal or State Funding received
- 3** High School Graduates
- 11** Children reunited with family
- 1,940** Children who have called Show-Me "home" since 1967



Facilities Company

Show-Me Christian Youth Home Facilities, Inc. owns all real property and handles all of the capital expenses for improving the homes and properties associated with the organization.

Income

General Operating	\$1,766
Income from Worship House	\$2,400
Interest on Estate Lease	\$2,080
Designated gifts for improvements at the:	
- Emerald Ranch Unit (ERU)	\$2,081
Lease Income	\$44,383
LaMonte Car Wash	\$4,632
Gain (Loss) Sale of Assets	-\$9,121
Other (Investments, Interest, Misc)	\$2,157
Rental Income	\$17,537
Total Income - Facilities Company:	\$67,916

Expenses

Supplies Building & Improvements	\$2,204
Bank charges	\$50
Depreciation Expense	\$47,712
Misc. Expenses	\$291
Professional Labor & Fees	\$3,566
Real Estate Taxes	\$68
LaMonte Car Wash	\$3,183
Total Expenses - Facilities Company:	\$57,073

Net Income (Expense) - Facilities Company: \$10,843**

** Does not include Gift in Kind Income valued at \$65,000



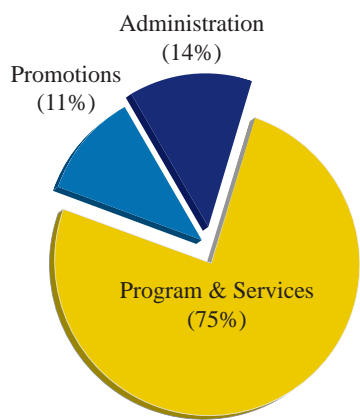
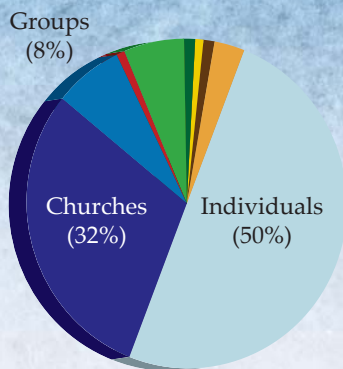
Show Me Christian Youth Home is an accredited member of the Evangelical Council for Financial Accountability (ECFA). We are committed to maintain the highest levels of financial integrity by upholding the ECFA's Seven Standards of Responsible Stewardship.™ (www.ecfa.org).

Our Financial Statement

Fiscal Year 2015

Operating Company

Show-Me Christian Youth Home covers operating costs associated with the services provided by the organization such as childcare, educational programing, and transportation, which includes all administrative, payroll, and promotional expenses.



Income		
Individuals	\$818,299	50%
Churches	\$529,639	32%
Groups	\$123,516	8%
VBS & Camps	\$7,864	<1%
Memorials & Honoraria	\$92,755	6%
Wills and Estates	\$5,080	<1%
Family Support	\$9,132	<1%
United Way	\$20,961	1%
Other (Path to Purpose, Sale of Livestock, interest, etc.)	\$37,949	2%
Total Income:	\$1,645,196	

Expenses		
Program & Services	\$1,348,018	75%
Administration	\$248,032	14%
Promotions	\$191,562	11%
Total Expenses:	\$1,787,613	
Net Income (Expense):	-\$142,417*	

* Does not include Gift in Kind Income valued at \$155,956

This report reflects amounts for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2015. Reviewed financial statements are available in January 2016. Detailed reports available upon request.

Dear Friends,

We're so blessed you are part of this everlasting process to Rescue and Restore Young Lives! *Every day we get to play a part of God's redemptive story.*



It's becoming more evident to me that too many folks spell the word "service" SERVE-US. The pursuit of personal happiness, lack of accountability, shirking of responsibilities, and choices that benefit only "me" – selfishness reigns.

Sadly, children are often the casualties.

That's where Show-Me serves as a shining light in the darkness. It's not the government's obligation to care for the needy, the homeless, the abused, the abandoned – it's the Church's opportunity. God calls us to get involved in the messiness of life, to be his hands and feet. Blessing those we serve always blesses us in return, and becomes a testimony of what God does through His people.

That's why there is a place – there has to be a place – for young lives to be rescued and restored. It's not my job to judge the circumstances; it's my job to help the hurting.

Show-Me is THAT place! The needs of children colliding with the resources of the Kingdom. Redeemed people, redeeming people.

We know there are struggling families and young lives caught in the cross-fire. We anticipate an ever-growing need to help those young people. And, we know that the influence of a ministry founded on God's principles and fueled by His people far surpasses any response social services can offer.

With your help, we are showing what God does through His people. Generations to come will be impacted and eternity will be enriched because we took advantage of the opportunity right in front of us.

Thank you for your investment to this end!

Embracing the Opportunity,

Chad Puckett, Director

There is a place...

...where children become thriving young adults...they learn how to learn and are equipped to take on life's challenges

For over 48 years, Show-Me has provided an opportunity for children caught in the crossfire of a broken world. Children find a safe, stable, loving home and family with layers of support geared toward their current and future success. Show-Me is an alternative to state-based foster care; we are distinctly Christian and independent of state control. Children are enrolled voluntarily by their parent or legal guardian; long-term and short-term options are available.

With the guidance of professionals, Show-Me creates a customized environment for each child to thrive, all provided from a Christian worldview.

Home and Family

Each child lives at one of our 11 homes across Missouri in a traditional family setting with other Show-Me siblings led by a set of married houseparents trained to help kids in crisis.

- The family structure teaches respect for authority and provides healthy role models
- Children contribute to the needs of the family and find a security in belonging
- A healthy mix of fun and responsibilities provides balance

Counseling

Each child meets weekly with one of our Licensed Professional Counselors to attend to his or her tremendous emotional, psychological, and spiritual needs.

- Provides a safe place to process through overwhelming feelings and events
- Works alongside houseparents to help families address new coping methods

Education

Students (Grades 1st-12th) learn at a level and rate that corresponds to their abilities and prior mastery in each subject using the Accelerated Christian Education (ACE) program.

- Supportive social & academic environment with a 8:1 student/teacher ratio
- Nationally Accredited Coursework and Diplomas led by professional trained teachers
- Athletics, Art, Music, 4-H, and other enrichment opportunities



There is a place...

...where children are free to explore the wonders of childhood in a safe and nurturing environment. Fresh air, clean rooms, hearty meals, and caring parents await their arrival "home."

There is a place...

...where children find fresh new beginnings and a sense of belonging. They gain the ability to cope with their past and prepare for their future, turning the disappointments to stepping stones. Children grow and mature and discover a clear path to become stable and successful.

There is a place...

...where children can count on a team of support to help them become the best they can be. Responsibilities are taught, grace is realized. The day they came to Show-Me becomes the beginning of the best days of their lives.

There is a place...

...where victims become victors. Children see themselves as God sees them and comprehend their value in light of who God made them to be. Jesus becomes real through authentic relationships with staff, volunteers and peers.

There is a place...

...where the generational cycle-of-despair ends. Parents and grandparents secure for their kids a better future than they can provide themselves because they know the course of a life can change the course of generations that follow.

As long as there are children who need a family, as long as there are young people struggling to break the cycle, as long as there are kids fighting the demons of their past and seeking a hope for their future...

**...there will be a place called
Show-Me Christian Youth Home.**



The 2015 Show-Me Overcomer Award Winner

Presented to a former Show-Me child who has reached beyond childhood challenges to become a successful adult



Name: Jon McCullem

Lived at Show-Me: 1985 - 1986

Age: 8 years old

Circumstances:

After his Dad walked out on their family, his Mom needed help to care for Jon and his two younger siblings while she tried to get back on her feet.

Challenges He Has Overcome:

After returning home, Jon took on an adult role to help his mother and siblings:

- In middle and high school, he had to work part-time to help pay family bills
- His family was continually on the verge of being homeless
- Led family to escape abusive step-father

"Show-Me is an arm of God's grace. It was a big influence that helped steer me to the successful life I have now. I am merely one instance of how your efforts have helped change lives."

Impact Show-Me had on his Life:

For the first time ever, he didn't have to worry about the burdens of life – he could be a boy.

He learned the foundational tools that would carry him through future challenges: a strong work ethic, good stewardship, appreciation for what you have, and a personal faith to draw strength.

"I don't remember having a faith before I came. This is where I made the decision that this is what I am going to live for... grounded in Christ... follow Christ – that is my hope."

Impact He Has Made As An Adult:

Jon earned his master's degree in Business Management and went on to start his own construction company in Columbia, Missouri. He has built over 60 homes and currently consults as the Foreman for Anderson Homes.

Jon and his wife strive to raise their three children with the structure, responsibilities, and fun he remembers made such a difference in his life. He contributes greatly to his community and to the Kingdom. He's active in his church, leading a weekly small group. In 2014, Jon joined the Board of Directors at Show-Me Christian Youth Home.



What happens to the kids after they leave Show-Me?

Helping children reach the age of 18 isn't enough. In order for them to thrive into adulthood and become contributing members of society, other interventions must be available. That's why Show-Me developed two signature programs to both prepare our young people for the adult phase of life and support them as they cross that bridge.



PATH TO PURPOSE
A program of Show-Me Christian Youth Home

Leadership U utilizes horses and dogs to help students gain mastery and confidence in facing challenges as well as develop proficient leadership skills.

Path to Purpose not only prepares young people for the adult phase of their lives, it supports them as they cross the bridge to adulthood.

Leadership Training

- ▲ Team building & communication skills
- ▲ Learn to solve problems & be assertive
- ▲ Become equipped to defend their faith
- ▲ Identify & overcome obstacles
- ▲ Public speaking & mentoring

Finding the "Right-Fit" Career

- ▲ Personality and values testing
- ▲ Skill identification
- ▲ Career research
- ▲ Resume & interview skills
- ▲ Job shadowing & part-time work

Therapeutic Benefits

- ▲ Learning to build healthy relationships
- ▲ Overcome fears & develop confidence
- ▲ Promotes regular physical activity

Independent Living Skills

- ▲ Learn how to manage a household
- ▲ Dave Ramsey Financial Course
- ▲ Driver's license

Character Building & Work Ethic

- ▲ Develop faith and trust in themselves
- ▲ Learn accountability and humility caring for the animals
- ▲ Volunteer service hours required

Support with Life's Challenges

- ▲ Exam Prep (ACT & ASVAB)
- ▲ College visits & applications
- ▲ Access to emergency funds
- ▲ Ongoing communication & follow-up

Because you care, There is a place...

...where EVERY child can find a home, a family, the opportunity for a better future and an excellent eternity.

Your support ensures that NO child or family is ever turned away because they cannot afford the services of Show-Me.

Show-Me is a place for children:

- Whose parents, grandparents, or guardians:
 - Face homeless, incarceration or treatment programs
 - Suffer from mental or physical illness
 - Struggle to provide care due to health, financial or emotional limitations
- To grow up together with their brothers or sisters
- Who are not thriving in their current environment
- To have a chance to know Jesus Christ and experience His unconditional love



Pray

Your prayers for our children, families, and staff are our most important resource.

Volunteer

Any age can serve at Show-Me! Call us at 660-347-5982 to put your time and talent to work for the Kingdom!

Refer

If you know a family or child who is struggling, encourage them to visit Show-Me or call 660-347-5982. If we are unable to help, we will direct them to appropriate resources.

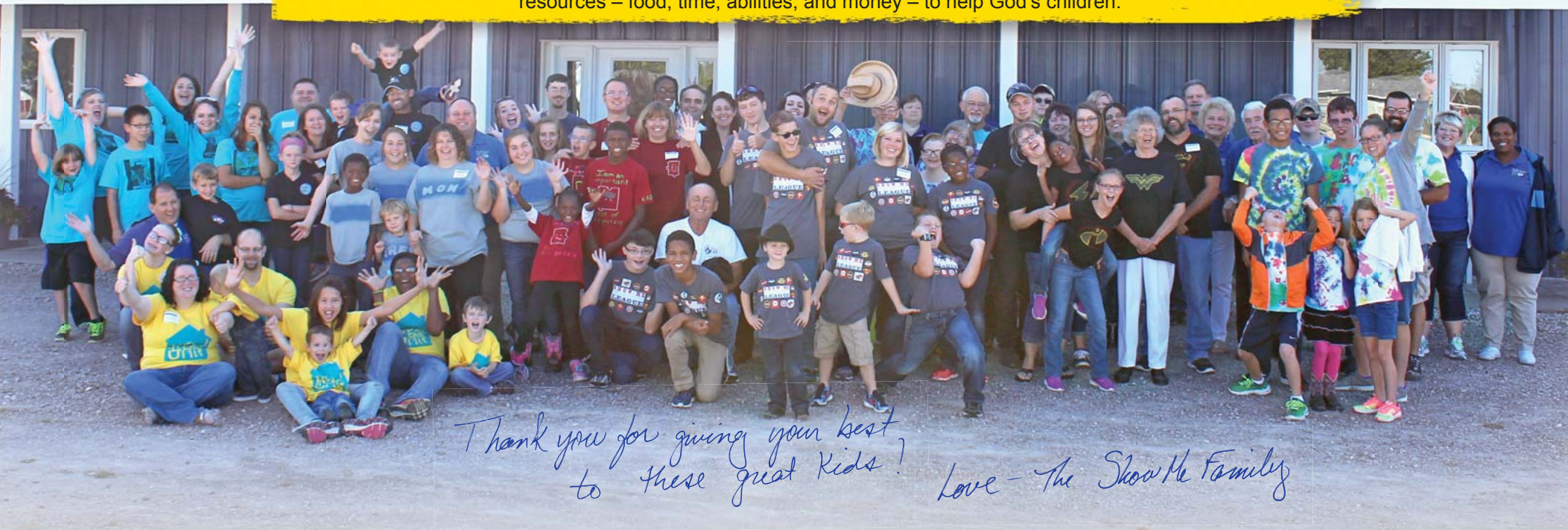
Give

Your financial support makes our work possible. We are funded solely by gifts from individuals, groups, and churches that are willing to put their compassion into action.



Thanks to YOU! We receive NO government funding!

Like the Church of Acts, the legacy of Show-Me is the witness of caring individuals coming together to share their resources – food, time, abilities, and money – to help God's children.



*Thank you for giving your best
to these great kids!*

Love - The Show-Me Family