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THE SITUATION REPORT

FEBRUARY-MARCH 2018

PROGRAM IMPACT UPDATE

TRAGEDY ASSISTANCE & SURVIVOR SUPPORT

The Navy SEAL Foundation continues to support the family of **LT (SEAL) Mark Weiss** who died last November. LT Weiss was laid to rest at Arlington National Cemetery on February 20th at 1300. We were honored to provide lodging and travel for his family members to attend. Our support for his family's travel picked up where the Navy was unable to accommodate. We also provided day-of-service private transportation for LT Weiss' family members and teammates.



This month, the Foundation also provided support and assistance to an active-duty member whose child passed away suddenly due to illness. **This type of financial support offsets the costs of travel, funeral services, and other incidentals, ultimately allowing the family to focus on what is important and alleviating worry over finances.** The family also received a condolence letter from the Foundation which outlined additional assistance including post-memorial reception services and grief counseling.

Tragedy assistance support was also provided to the family of an active-duty SEAL whose adult dependent child passed away suddenly. Thanks to our programs, family members were able to travel out of state to attend the funeral services.

We were saddened to learn that veteran **SEAL Jack Schropp** passed away recently and we have provided his surviving family with tragedy assistance funds. This month we also provided support to a retired SEAL who lost a child due to terminal illness.

WOUNDED, ILL & INJURED SUPPORT

This month, the Foundation supported **65** wounded, ill and injured requests to include logistical family support, necessary rehabilitation equipment, veteran medical support for combat sustained injuries, casualty checks, medical board stipend, respite childcare, and financial assistance.

The Foundation frequently covers the costs of medical equipment that is not funded by TRICARE but is also deemed essential to healing and improved quality of life. It is an honor for us to provide this necessary and life-changing assistance.



PROGRAM IMPACT UPDATE

HONORING OUR WARRIORS, SUPPORTING THEIR FAMILIES

WARRIOR TRANSITION

The Foundation's Transition Advisor, **Mike Turkenkopf**, has been busy interfacing with Naval Special Warfare (NSW) community members, local business and community leaders and other transition organizations.

This month Mike spent several days in New York City meeting with members of the Foundation's board of directors. He also met with industry leaders who wish to hire transitioning NSW members into their organizations.

We are excited to share that NSF provided necessary support to three SEALs (1 retired and 2 active-duty members) to attend in the inaugural cohort at the **McCombs School of Business at the University of Texas for VETTED** (www.vetted.org), a transition organization in our portfolio. Feedback has been positive, and we look forward to sharing more about programs like VETTED as our transition portfolio grows.

The Foundation is hosting two separate professional development and transition symposiums—one on the west coast and one on the east coast—in the coming days. These special events bring together members of the NSW community, local business leaders, and other transition service organizations to connect and inform about transition opportunities and best practices.

Each symposium schedule includes a 'meet-and-greet' dinner which allows NSW leadership and participating transition organizations to connect outside of the formal symposium. We continue to focus our efforts on NSW personnel who are 18 months (or less) away from transitioning out of active-duty service while **working with NSW leadership to provide the best outcomes for our warriors.**

WARRIOR & FAMILY SUPPORT

This month the Foundation supported 25 requests for support under our Warrior & Family support program initiatives. Support of this nature can include things like respite childcare during hospital stays or recovery periods, flights for family members who will serve as caregivers, and meal prep or home care to ensure a family maintains the necessary quality of life to facilitate a successful recovery.

Warrior & Family Support requests are submitted to the Foundation by Warrior and Family Support Coordinators (WFSC) who work directly with the active-duty commands. When requests for support come through, they are sometimes very difficult to read. NSW families sacrifice daily, and it is our honor to support them in a way that aids healing and recovery AND which allows the active-duty service member to stay engaged with their command and mission.

Two particularly moving examples of support requests this month involve family members who are battling terminal illnesses. The Foundation stands ready to help with travel, respite childcare, and any other requests that will help these families make it through such difficult situations.



GRATITUDE

"There is no doubt I could not do my job if it were not due to your support and I would have to leave the job that I love so much... I was able to complete a successful deployment...and I can work without major concern because I know my wife and family will be fed during the day if I have a long workday..."

-Active Duty SEAL

"Several months ago, the Navy SEAL Foundation purchased various recreational and morale-enhancing items for our deployment. On behalf of Troop 1 Detachment Charlie, I wanted to reach out and extend a sincere Thank You. The items purchased helped get our troops through the hard times, including the holiday season. We greatly appreciate all of the effort put forward to help make this deployment as enjoyable as possible. Thank you for your continuous support of the NSW Community!"

-Active Duty SEAL



OUR COMMITMENT

THE NAVY SEAL FOUNDATION PROVIDES IMMEDIATE AND ONGOING SUPPORT AND ASSISTANCE TO THE NAVAL SPECIAL WARFARE (NSW) COMMUNITY AND ITS FAMILIES UNDER FIVE MAIN AREAS: WARRIOR & FAMILY SUPPORT, EDUCATIONAL OPPORTUNITIES, TRAGEDY ASSISTANCE & SURVIVOR SUPPORT, WARRIOR TRANSITION, AND LEGACY PRESERVATION.

91

SURVIVING SPOUSES,
FIANCÉES AND
SIGNIFICANT OTHERS

107

SURVIVING
CHILDREN

200

SURVIVING
PARENTS

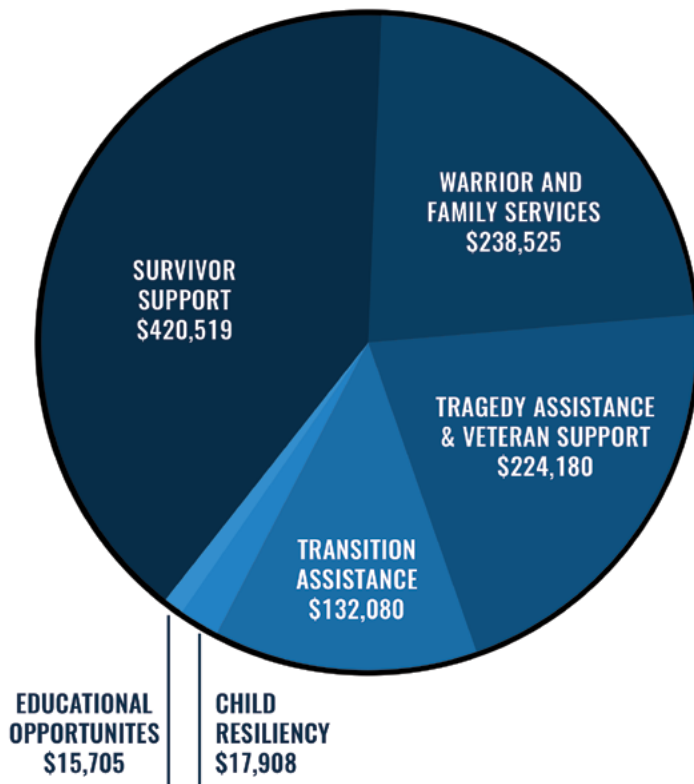
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SURVIVING
SIBLINGS

7

PRIMARY CAREGIVERS
OF SURVIVING
CHILDREN

2018 YEAR-TO-DATE PROGRAM EXPENSES: \$1,048,917



TOP 0.7%

OF ALL NONPROFITS
FOR FINANCIAL STEWARDSHIP

94 CENTS*

OF EVERY DOLLAR DONATED GOES
DIRECTLY TO PROGRAMS OR IS
RESERVED FOR FUTURE MISSION USE



4-STAR
CHARITY NAVIGATOR
RATING SINCE 2011

*Fundraising ratios and efficiencies are calculated using the Charity Navigator three-year average for these areas.

70

NSW KILLED IN ACTION
SINCE SEPTEMBER 2001

22

NSW KILLED IN TRAINING
SINCE SEPTEMBER 2001

40

NSW LINE OF DUTY
SINCE SEPTEMBER 2001

5

NSW VETERAN-
DIPLOMATIC MISSION

10

OTHER NSW LOSSES SINCE
SEPTEMBER 2001

UPCOMING EVENTS

DATE	EVENT NAME	CITY
4/7/18	Dressed to Kilt	Houston, TX
4/12/18	New York City Benefit Dinner	New York City, NY
4/16/18	Josh Harris Memorial Golf Event	Pinehurst, NC
5/18/18	Shootin' for the Stars Trap Shoot	Rio Oso, CA
5/19/18	Joggin' for Frogmen Amelia Island 5K	Amelia Island, FL
5/20/18	The Gibraltar Security Services, Inc.	Los Angeles, CA
5/24/18	Rosendin Electric Golf Tournament and Auction	Newport Beach, CA
5/25-5/27/2018	Danny Dietz Memorial Roping Event	Rosenburg, TX
5/26/18	Joggin' for Frogmen Imperial	Imperial, NE
6/16/18	Navy Beach Kickoff Fundraiser	Montauk, NY
6/23/18	LT Michael Murphy Run Around the Lake	Lake Ronkonkoma, NY
6/30/18-7/1/1/18	Teamwork For Team Guys presented by Kill Cliff	various locations
7/28/18	Joggin' for Frogmen San Diego 5K	San Diego, CA
7/29/18	2nd Annual Golden Gate Frogman Swim	San Francisco, CA
8/4/18	Extortion One Seven Memorial Poker Run	San Diego, CA
8/16/18	Denver Evening of Tribute	Denver, CO
8/31/18	Swim for SEALs	Virginia Beach, VA
SEPTEMBER TBD	Chicago Evening of Tribute	Chicago, IL
9/22/18	Joggin' for Frogmen Louisville	Louisville, KY
9/24/18	Birdies for the Brave	Half Moon Bay, CA
9/28/18-9/30/18	SEAL Tribute at Half Moon Bay	Half Moon Bay, CA
9/29/18	Joggin' for Frogmen Pittsburgh	Pittsburgh, PA
9/30/18-10/2/18	Navy SEAL Foundation Impact Forum	San Diego, CA
10/13/18	Joggin' for Frogmen Virginia Beach	Virginia Beach, VA
10/19/18	Sig Sauer Shooting Event	New England
11/3/18	Amelia Island Golf Classic	Amelia Island, FL
11/7/18	Los Angeles Evening of Tribute	Los Angeles, CA

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