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THE SITUATION REPORT

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PROGRAM IMPACT UPDATE

TRAGEDY ASSISTANCE & SURVIVOR SUPPORT

All of us at the Foundation were saddened to learn that on February 25th, retired **SEAL Commander John Hannon** committed suicide. John was a prior enlisted SEAL who received his commission through ROTC. He retired in August of 2012. John was very open about his personal struggles, and he chose to work as an advocate on behalf of others. After his death, the Navy SEAL Foundation provided **travel support** for his ex-wife and their daughter who now live in Spain. This support allowed them to attend his funeral. We also provided John's family with \$5,000 in **immediate tragedy assistance funds**. NSWG2 is currently planning a memorial service to honor Commander Hannon, and the Foundation is supporting this endeavor.



"We have received our booked/reserved/paid travel to return us to family. John Scott's sister has been invaluable through many years of fluctuation. We are all so moved by the show of words and support from the SEAL community during this time. It is sort of like the hidden revealed-- things you don't know are there that are really holding and sustaining us right now. Thank you for this support and response...our daughter is receiving words each day she cannot wait to share next week as we come together with family to mourn John Scott's passing...Your actions to help us are so deeply appreciated--thank you from the bottom of our squeezing hearts right now."

-Former Spouse of Commander Hannon



The spouse of a Naval Special Warfare (NSW) member was hospitalized with multiple medical complications following an unsuccessful pregnancy. The Foundation provided the NSW service member with **flight and lodging assistance** to be with his spouse as her condition began to decline and unfortunately, an infection set in and resulted in the double amputation of her legs. Following the amputation, her condition began to improve, but when the family returned home, the spouse died unexpectedly. We are continuing our support as needed.

We were also saddened to learn that the son of retired SEAL Jim Byrne died from brain cancer after a long and painful battle. **The Foundation supported with immediate tragedy assistance funds of \$2,500.**

"I wanted to let you know we received the very generous check today which will go a long way to covering the burial expenses for Sean's service and funeral. My sincerest thanks to you and the Foundation. We are blessed to have this kind of support."

-Jim Byrne



PROGRAM IMPACT UPDATE

HONORING OUR WARRIORS, SUPPORTING THEIR FAMILIES

WOUNDED, ILL & INJURED SUPPORT

This month the Navy SEAL Foundation supported **70 wounded, ill and injured requests** which included help with **logistical family support, necessary rehabilitation equipment, veteran medical support for combat sustained injuries, funds for immediate tragedy assistance, medical board stipend support, respite childcare and other financial assistance**. The Foundation frequently covers the costs of medical equipment that is not funded by TRICARE but is deemed essential to healing and improved quality of life. Examples include **specialized braces for damaged limbs and hearing aids that fall outside the scope of Tricare's coverage**.

WARRIOR TRANSITION

The Foundation hosted two very successful **Transition Symposiums** this past month. These bi-coastal symposiums consisted of three evolutions targeted to meet specific transition goals. Each program began with a "meet-and-greet" dinner for the leaders of various NSW commands along with the transition organizations in attendance. The following day, NSW personnel gathered for a catered lunch and participated in a panel presentation to learn what each transition organization provides and how to access their help. The events concluded with a networking event for NSW personnel who are currently in the process of transition. Local business representatives attended the networking event with the goal of linking transitioning members with job opportunities and mentorship.

Between these two symposiums, **32 SEALs, 4 SWCCs, 12 Support, three retired SEALs and 17 Spouses** were educated about the SET pipeline and the resources that exist for NSW personnel in preparation for, during and after their transition. The networking events had an outstanding turnout with 62 NSW personnel introduced to 68 various business professionals.

While in San Diego for the Symposium, Foundation leadership met with the WARCOM JAG and key personnel to further define the process for integrating our support of transitioning members. The meeting targeted how the Foundation's SET pipeline will integrate with the Future Former Frogman (F3) program. NSF remains poised to play a key role in the F3 program; all indicators are positive.

WARRIOR & FAMILY SUPPORT

This month the Foundation supported 39 requests for support that falls under our 'Warrior and Family Support' umbrella. Examples of this kind of support include **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 the warrior's family maintains the necessary quality of life to facilitate a successful recovery**.

We are honored to continue our support for **NSW's active-duty resilience retreats**. The Foundation covers the costs associated with

the attendance of spouses and children by paying for their lodging, associated childcare and children's programming and we work directly with NSW family support coordinators to deliver exceptional children's programming at these events. The **on-site childcare** that we provide at these venues allows service members and their spouses to attend resiliency workshops and informational seminars together, thus **strengthening their family unit**. Foundation staff attend these retreats to ensure consistency of support and provide on-site help should any issues arise.





NAVY SEAL FOUNDATION SCHOLARSHIPS

The Navy SEAL Foundation's spring scholarship application period closed in February with a total of 278 submissions from eligible applicants.

105 NSW ACTIVE-DUTY

15 NSW POST 9/11 VETERANS

38 NSW COLLEGE STUDENTS

90 NSW SPOUSES

30 NSW HIGH SCHOOL STUDENTS

The Foundation engages third-party academic personnel along with leading business professionals to judge our scholarship applications. The judges employ a point-based system to rank submissions based on merit. We are excited to share that **over \$1 million in NSF scholarships were awarded this period**. Notifications went out this week to some very excited and grateful students!

NSF PROGRAM STAFF MET WITH NSWG3 LEADERSHIP & FAMILIES

This month, NSF program staff met with **NSWG3 leadership and families** during a six-day visit in Hawaii. We are happy to report that the NSW leadership there expressed their gratitude for our foundation's role in providing quality events as well as outstanding support during times of loss. While there, NSF hosted a luncheon with several leadership spouses who openly expressed their gratitude for our events, tragedy support, private school tuition and our scholarship program. Additionally, on March 11th, we hosted and attended Hawaii's **2018 Spring Fling at Sea Life Park**. It was so lovely to connect with NSW families while demonstrating our commitment to them! Our programs staff left energized and brimming with new ideas on how to support these amazing families.



"I wanted to let you know how much my family personally enjoyed our day at Sea Life Park and Luau. We are so grateful for the time it took to set up an event like this as well as the time it took [for NSF Staff] to fly here to make sure we were all cared for; spoke volumes. My kid's teachers told me today the kids couldn't stop talking about it at school. My four-year-old took her lei and banana leaf crown to show-and-tell. They have all been a little blue since [their father] is deployed. They came home and were excited to journal all about it so they could share with him when he gets home. In case your job ever goes unthanked, just know what a positive shift in perspective you bring to all families and how valued you are. Thank you for all you do!! Please give our gratitude to the NSF!"

-SEAL Leadership Spouse

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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.

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SURVIVING SPOUSES,
FIANCÉES AND
SIGNIFICANT OTHERS

109

SURVIVING
CHILDREN

200

SURVIVING
PARENTS

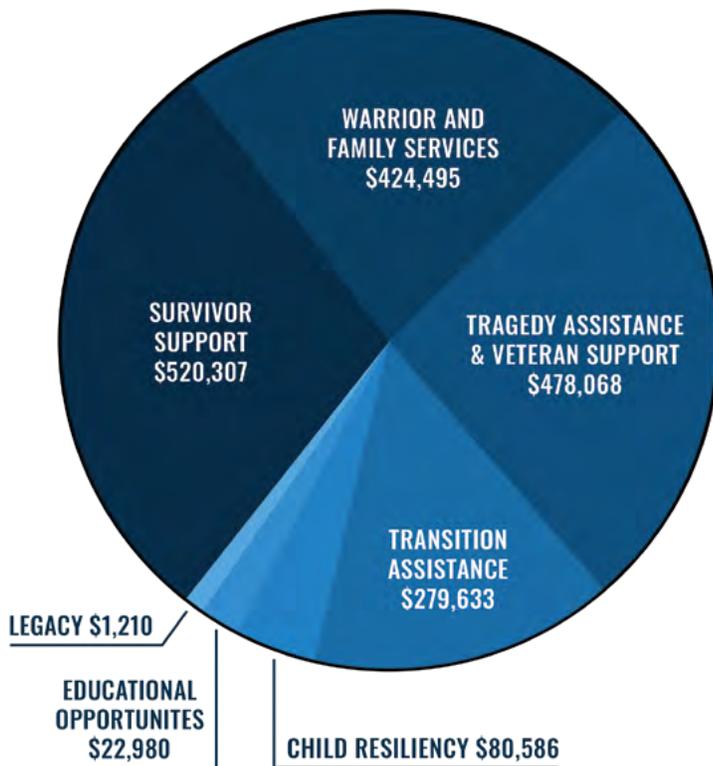
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SURVIVING
SIBLINGS

7

PRIMARY CAREGIVERS
OF SURVIVING
CHILDREN

2018 YEAR-TO-DATE PROGRAM EXPENSES: \$1,807,279



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

14

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
4/18-4/19/2018	ADS Warrior Expo West	San Diego, CA
4/21/18	Thunder Over Atria benefiting the NSF	Louisville, KY
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
5/21-5/24/2018	SOFIC	Tampa, FL
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
6/1/18	2nd Annual Kyle Milliken Memorial Golf Outing	Virginia Beach, VA
6/16/18	Navy Beach Kickoff Fundraiser	Montauk, NY
6/23/18	LT Michael Murphy Run Around the Lake	Lake Ronkonkoma, NY
6/28/18-7/4/18	Teamwork For Team Guys presented by Kill Cliff	various locations
7/14/18	Allen Stone Run Swim Run	Virginia Beach, VA
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
9/7/18	Oswald Golf Tournament	Washington State
9/22/18	Joggin' for Frogmen Louisville	Louisville, KY
9/24/18	Birdies for the Brave-Pending	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	Hawaii Evening of Tribute	Honolulu, HI
10/13/18	Joggin' for Frogmen Virginia Beach	Virginia Beach, VA
10/13/18	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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