



**VAIL VETERANS PROGRAM**  
**2019 IMPACT REPORT**

**BUILDING CONFIDENCE  
AND IMPROVING THE  
LIVES OF OUR VETERANS  
AND THEIR FAMILIES**

## OUR MISSION

PROVIDE MILITARY INJURED AND THEIR FAMILIES WITH INNOVATIVE AND TRANSFORMATIONAL PROGRAMS THAT BUILD CONFIDENCE AND IMPROVE LIVES

## OUR VISION

TO CULTIVATE A NATIONWIDE COMMUNITY OF INJURED VETERANS AND THEIR FAMILIES THAT PROVIDES INNOVATIVE WORLD-CLASS PROGRAMS, ROOTED IN THE MOUNTAINS, TO STRENGTHEN LIFELONG RELATIONSHIPS AND REINFORCE PURPOSEFUL LIVES



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## PRESIDENT/FOUNDER LETTER

I am writing to you from my home as we go through this challenging time of the Covid-19 pandemic in our country. Vail Veterans Program (VVP) is committed to continue to create innovative and effective programming for wounded veterans and their families.

In April 2020, VVP launched virtual programming for our alumni where we provide valuable resources three days of the week: Military Monday, Wellness Wednesday and Foodie Friday. Each day offers a wide variety of content that includes health & wellness tips, behavioral health resources, financial classes, family-friendly activities, and cooking demonstrations. Now more than ever veterans across the country need our support to cope during this difficult time.

As VVP has grown through the years, we are continually looking to develop new programs that deepen the participant's experience. We know that our programs restore hope, connect families and empower the lives of veterans, assisting them in defining their new life purpose after military service. These programs are life-changing, life-saving, and provide lasting powerful impacts for veterans and their families. We are also improving the physical, emotional and mental health of each and every person we serve.

Earlier this year, we formalized an Ambassador Program with 14 veterans and military caregivers from select cities across the country. Our ambassadors will work to provide alumni engagement opportunities in their home regions by offering events and peer-to-peer community support to our alumni.

Our lives and our world have changed, but it is our American spirit that will persevere. In the coming years, we will continue to unify veterans and their families from across the nation and empower their lives so that they may thrive.

On behalf of our dedicated team, and all those we serve, we want to extend a heartfelt thank you for your support.

Yours in gratitude,  
Cheryl Jensen  
President/Founder Vail Veterans Program



## BOARD CHAIR LETTER

As 2020 has brought us the challenges of an invisible enemy whose wrath and disruption have shaken our world to the core, the Vail Veterans Program commitment to providing programs with depth and lasting quality has been renewed. We have sought participation beyond our 15th anniversary year through an initiative to incrementally scale these transformative experiences.

Thankfully, our founder, Cheryl Jensen, has consistently developed a network of sustainment which has allowed the Board to set a course towards increased participation while critically examining the opportunity to meaningfully engage our alumni. This year, you will see program opportunities which allow valued alumni to integrate with new participants, families and caregivers to broaden the spectrum of offerings.

With rigorous outcome metrics for the assessment of program effectiveness, participant testimonials and transformative experiences continue to reinforce our pursuit of programs which provide the depth of experience characteristic of our heritage. Our drive for continual reassessment is what allows each of the programs to thrive within their own niche and to have diversified over the years to meet the changing needs of our participants.

While the world takes pause to conquer and then recover from the impact of the global pandemic, know that Vail Veterans Program commitment to serving our participants and alumni remains solidly grounded in the mountains, where a depth of culture has provided such transformation in the past.

Sincerely,  
CAPT Jeffrey M. Tomlin



## AMBASSADOR SPOTLIGHT

VAIL VETERANS PROGRAM IS SUCH A BLESSING TO ALL WOUNDED VETERANS AND THEIR CAREGIVERS.

The first experience we had with VVP was while my husband was going through surgeries at Brooke Army Medical Center and undergoing therapy at the Center for the Intrepid. We were invited to go to Vail in February 2009 for the Winter Family Program. We had no idea what to expect because he was in a wheelchair. Much to our surprise, VVP knocked it out of the park, and everything was accessible for my husband. We had an amazing time participating in skiing events, as well as the breakout sessions that were available.

In 2017, I was invited to attend the VVP Military Caregiver Retreat. This was an unforgettable experience. VVP provided the caregivers with a chance to connect with other military caregivers, sharing stories and building lasting friendships and support groups that we will always be able to connect with in our times of need. The training opportunities that were offered were unlike any experience I have ever had. We learned strategies to help us cope with being a caregiver by participating in training sessions on stress management, goal-setting, nutrition, and health. The best part of the Military Caregiver Retreat was the opportunity to enjoy respite and relaxation with time at the spa and practicing guided yoga and meditation. As caregivers, we often find it hard to make time to do these important activities because we are so focused on caring for our wounded veterans.

From 2009 to today, we have watched VVP grow, prosper and touch so many lives. It is a wonderful program that we hope and pray continues to grow. Thank you to the founder, Cheryl Jensen, and all the staff of VVP who makes these events happen. Most importantly, thank you to all who support VVP. We are so grateful to be a part of the VVP family.

Melissa Doyle,  
Wife of Retired Army Sergeant Richard A. Doyle



## WINTER THERAPEUTIC OUTDOOR PROGRAMS

WHEN YOUR WHOLE WORLD IS TURNED UPSIDE DOWN, MOUNTAINS, FRESH AIR, AND PHYSICAL ACTIVITY HAVE A SPECIAL WAY OF HEALING.

Our ski and snowboard programs were created to restore veterans' hope, allowing them to build a bond with their natural environment and feel a powerful sense of freedom that isn't easily obtainable anywhere else.

Our Winter Therapeutic Outdoor Programs allow wounded veterans to regain confidence in themselves, as the on-slope challenges and victories parallel the various hardships they may be confronting in other aspects of life. There is a true healing power in the mountains, and it is our goal to share that with our nation's heroes and their families.



**100%**

ACHIEVED GOALS SET PRIOR TO VVP

- EMOTIONAL HEALING
- PHYSICAL HEALING
- RECONNECTING WITH FAMILY
- ENJOY A STRESS-FREE EXPERIENCE
- CONNECT WITH OTHER MILITARY FAMILIES

**100%**

GAINED A MORE POSITIVE OUTLOOK ON LIFE

**97%**

CREATED A LIFELONG COMMUNITY OF MUTUAL SUPPORT

**97%**

BUILT CONFIDENCE

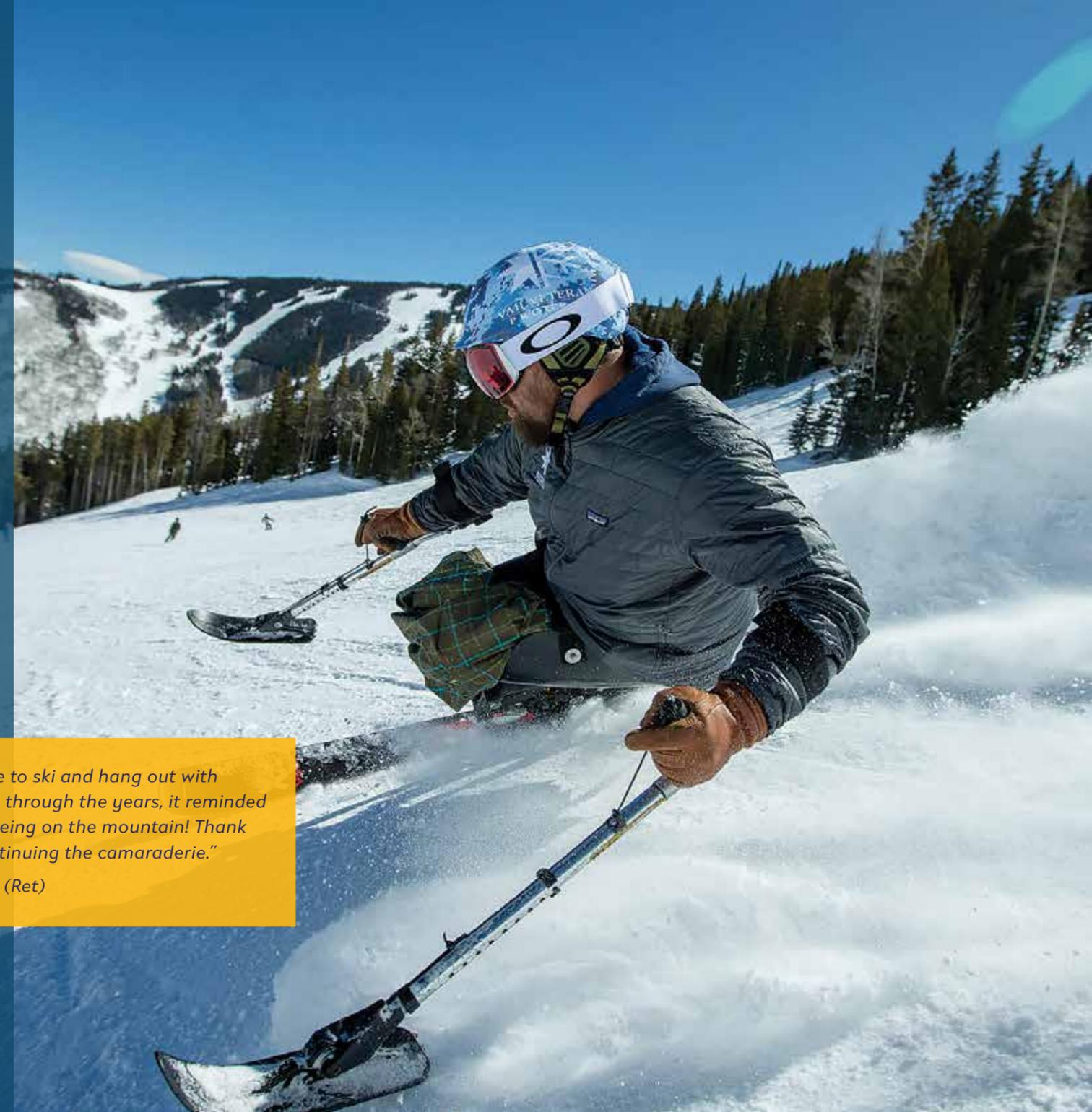
**97%**

TRIED NEW ACTIVITIES

OUR FOUNDATION IS HELPING TO RENEW HOPE, STRENGTHEN FAMILIES, AND IMPROVE THE LIVES OF OUR NATION'S HEROES

“It felt great being able to ski and hang out with friends that I've made through the years, it reminded me how much I love being on the mountain! Thank you, Vail Vets, for continuing the camaraderie.”

– SGT Latseen Benson (Ret)





THE GOLF IN THE ROCKIES PROGRAM FOSTERS LIFELONG SUPPORTIVE FRIENDSHIPS CREATED OVER A SHARED PASSION

“ Golf allows us all to socialize in an environment that relieves any outside tension or distractions, mainly because we are solely focused on getting the ball past the women’s tees, it provides a 360 degree approach that encompasses all aspects of life. It provides wounded warriors with a game to constantly build on in the future, as well as an outlet for emotional and physical energy.”  
– SGT Michael Wilson (Ret)

## SUMMER THERAPEUTIC OUTDOOR PROGRAMS

OUTDOOR SPORTS AND ACTIVITIES HAVE A SPECIAL WAY OF CALMING THE MIND, CREATING FOCUS, AND ENGAGING OUR BODIES IN BOTH MEANINGFUL AND FAMILIAR WAYS.

The lifelong injuries our veterans sustain create an ongoing journey of healing for the rest of their lives. Our Summer Family Programs were initially created to help build confidence, while strengthening family bonds and camaraderie, but over time we have realized these programs do so much more.

Through golf, rock climbing, whitewater rafting, horseback riding, zip-lining, mountain biking and fly fishing, we offer our veterans and their families an opportunity to build relationships, interact with others facing similar challenges, strengthen family connections, and regain a sense of confidence.



**100%**  
ACHIEVED GOALS SET PRIOR TO VVP  
· RECONNECT WITH FAMILY  
· STRESS-FREE, FUN EXPERIENCE  
· EMOTIONAL HEALING  
· CONNECT WITH OTHER WOUNDED VETERANS

**92%**  
SET NEW GOALS AFTER THE PROGRAM

**96%**  
LIKELY TO TRY NEW ACTIVITIES AFTER THE PROGRAM

**75%** REPORTED HAVING “HIGH” OR “VERY HIGH” CONFIDENCE LEVELS AFTER THE PROGRAM

## MILITARY CAREGIVER RETREATS

WE ARE HUMBLLED BY THE COMPASSION OF ALL OUR CAREGIVERS, WHETHER THEY ARE A SPOUSE, GIRLFRIEND, MOTHER, SISTER, PARTNER OR FRIEND OF A VETERAN.

Focusing on health and wellness through therapeutic and educational activities, we provide caregivers of wounded veterans the tools and resources they need to approach their unique role in a veteran's life.

The Military Caregiver Retreats offer caregivers a chance to connect with others experiencing similar challenges and gain insight on how to best approach the various obstacles in their daily lives. Our Military Caregiver Reunion focuses on innovative resilience and stress management training from the Johnson & Johnson Human Performance Institute.



**90%**

ACHIEVED GOALS SET BEFORE ATTENDING A MILITARY CAREGIVER RETREAT

**100%**

CONNECTED WITH OTHER CAREGIVERS

**94%**

FELT THE RETREAT WAS A STRESS-FREE, FUN EXPERIENCE

**78%**

EXPERIENCED EMOTIONAL HEALING

**100%**

LEARNED SKILLS AND TECHNIQUES TO HELP THEM RECOVER FROM EPISODES OF STRESS

**94%**

SET NEW GOALS FOR THEMSELVES



# VETERANS PATH TO SUCCESS TRAINING

THE GOAL IS TO ASSIST VETERANS IN CREATING A NEW DEFINITION OF SUCCESS FOR THEIR FUTURE OUTSIDE OF THE MILITARY.

Veterans are given an opportunity to participate in a unique program led by professional instructors of the Johnson & Johnson Human Performance Institute in Orlando, FL.

This three-day program guides participants through a series of goal-setting initiatives designed to curate a new understanding of what is possible. Various exercises and activities are structured to provide a framework for setting achievable goals while expanding physical, emotional, mental, and spiritual well-being.

Our Resilience Training Program is a follow-up program to Veterans Path To Success, preparing veterans to proactively approach and plan for stress management. Stress is assessed in a new way, not through avoidance but rather through resilience and strategic recovery. Participants learn to adapt to stress and gain the tools to embrace it to help maximize performance in all aspects of their lives.



**89%**

ACHIEVED GOALS SET PRIOR TO VVP

- LEARN HOW TO BETTER MANAGE ENERGY
- CONNECT WITH OTHER WOUNDED VETERANS
- DEFINE PERSONAL MISSION
- EXPLORE PHYSICAL POSSIBILITIES

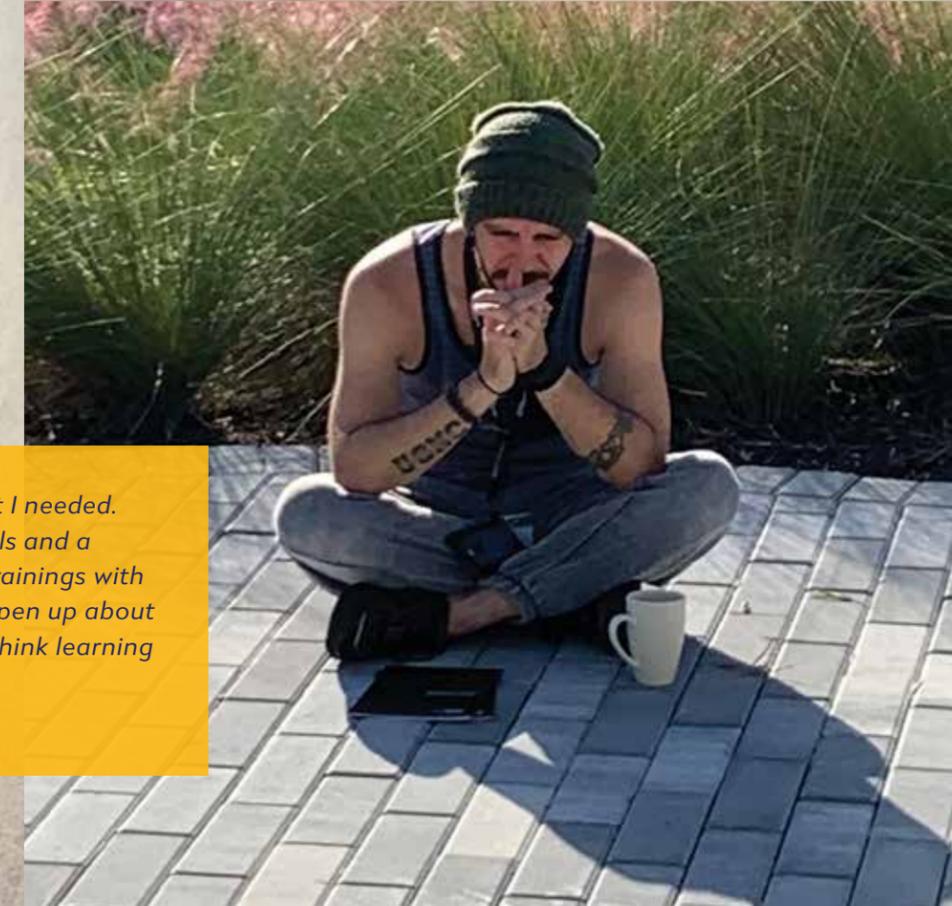
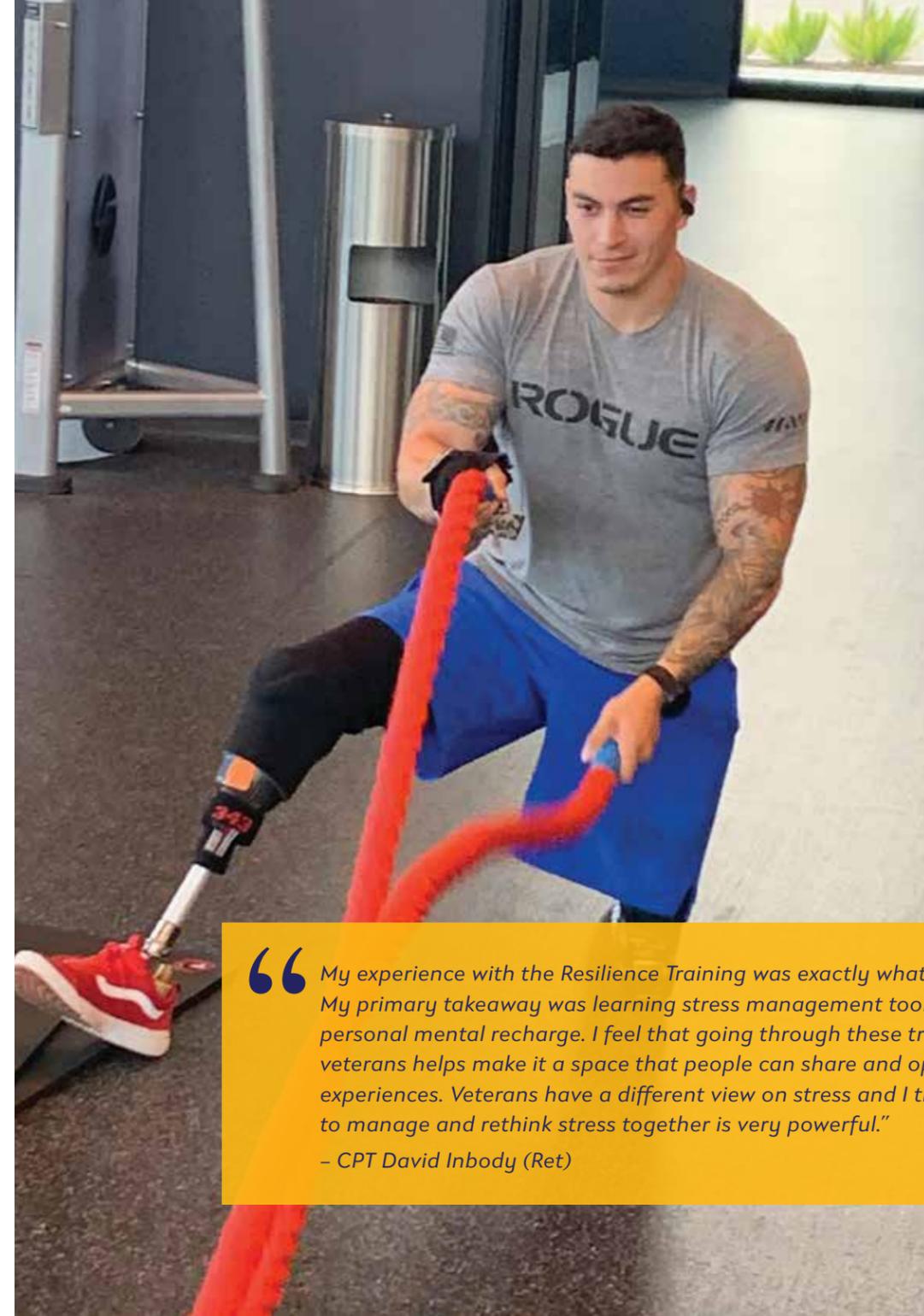
**97%**

ARE BETTER PREPARED TO ACHIEVE PERSONAL MISSION

**97%**

FELT THE COURSE WAS PERSONALLY MEANINGFUL

**100%** LEARNED SKILLS AND TECHNIQUES TO RECOVER FROM EPISODES OF STRESS



“ My experience with the Resilience Training was exactly what I needed. My primary takeaway was learning stress management tools and a personal mental recharge. I feel that going through these trainings with veterans helps make it a space that people can share and open up about experiences. Veterans have a different view on stress and I think learning to manage and rethink stress together is very powerful.”

- CPT David Inbody (Ret)

## FAMILY SUPPORT PROGRAMS

THE HEALING JOURNEY OF A VETERAN AND THEIR FAMILY IS CONSTANTLY EVOLVING.

We provide opportunities that strengthen family connections, reduce stress, and build a support network that reconnects individuals and families. In partnership with Black Mountain Colorado Dude Ranch, alumni families experience a week of western fun in a safe and comfortable environment. Also, a generous donor created the Red Box Legacy Program, which provides the opportunity each year for a family to enjoy one week in the beauty and relaxation of Hawaii.

We work to create innovative programs that re-engage our alumni throughout the year with the goal of restoring hope and creating lifelong family memories.



**100%**

ACHIEVED GOALS  
SET BEFORE ATTENDING  
THE FAMILY SUPPORT  
PROGRAM

**100%**

RECONNECTED  
WITH FAMILY

**100%**

FELT THE PROGRAM  
WAS A STRESS-FREE,  
FUN EXPERIENCE

**100%**

EXPERIENCED  
EMOTIONAL HEALING

**100%**

ARE MORE LIKELY TO  
TRY NEW THINGS

**100%**

HAVE A MORE  
POSITIVE OUTLOOK  
ON LIFE

THE HEART OF OUR PROGRAM IS BASED ON  
STRENGTHENING RELATIONSHIPS BETWEEN OUR  
SERVICE MEMBERS AND THEIR FAMILIES



## INTERNATIONAL HEALING

“IT WAS AN UNFORGETTABLE EXPERIENCE; A LIFE-CHANGING AND MEANINGFUL JOURNEY THAT THE ISRAELI SOLDIERS WILL CHERISH FOREVER.”

– Maayan Gottesman, Brothers for Life

In December 2019, Vail Veterans Program was honored to partner with Brothers for Life and The Steadman Clinic to host seven injured Israeli soldiers for a week of therapeutic programs in Vail.

The dedication of service to country is the common bond that connected the group of US and Israeli soldiers, and they built friendships that will last forever. COL Dave Rozelle and COL Greg Gadson (Ret) shared meaningful moments with the group both on and off the mountain. COL Gadson (Ret) explained, “I’m an old soldier, that is the bond that brings us here. It extends beyond where you served. We’ve all made tremendous sacrifices for the love of our country.”



## OUR IMPACT - 2019



**1588**

**DAYS OF LIFE-CHANGING EXPERIENCES**



**196**

**VETERANS**



**\$0**

**PAID BY VETERANS & FAMILIES TO ATTEND**



**99**

**SPOUSES & CAREGIVERS**



**77**

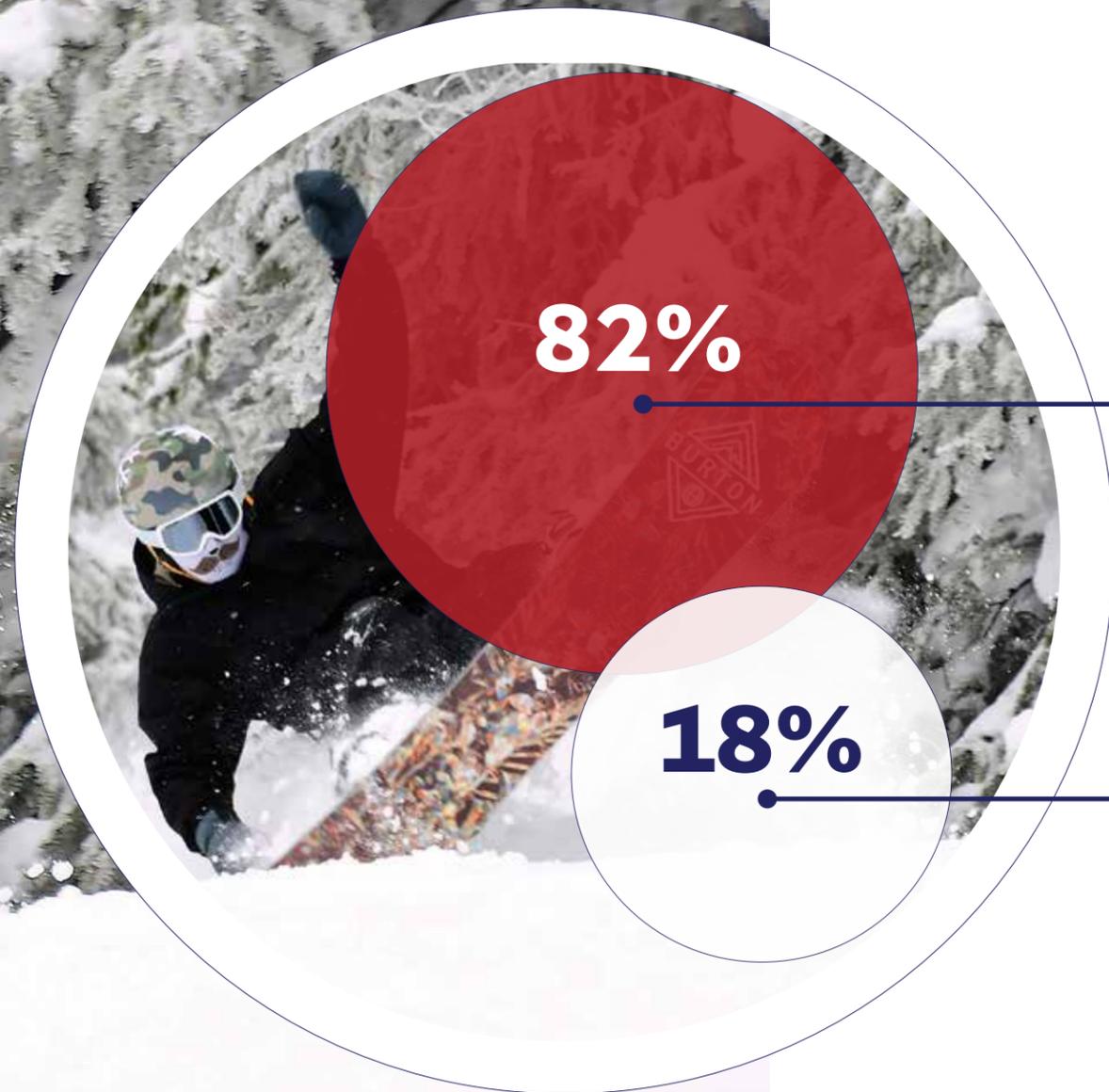
**CHILDREN**



**17**

**MILITARY MEDICAL HOSPITAL STAFF**

## INCOME

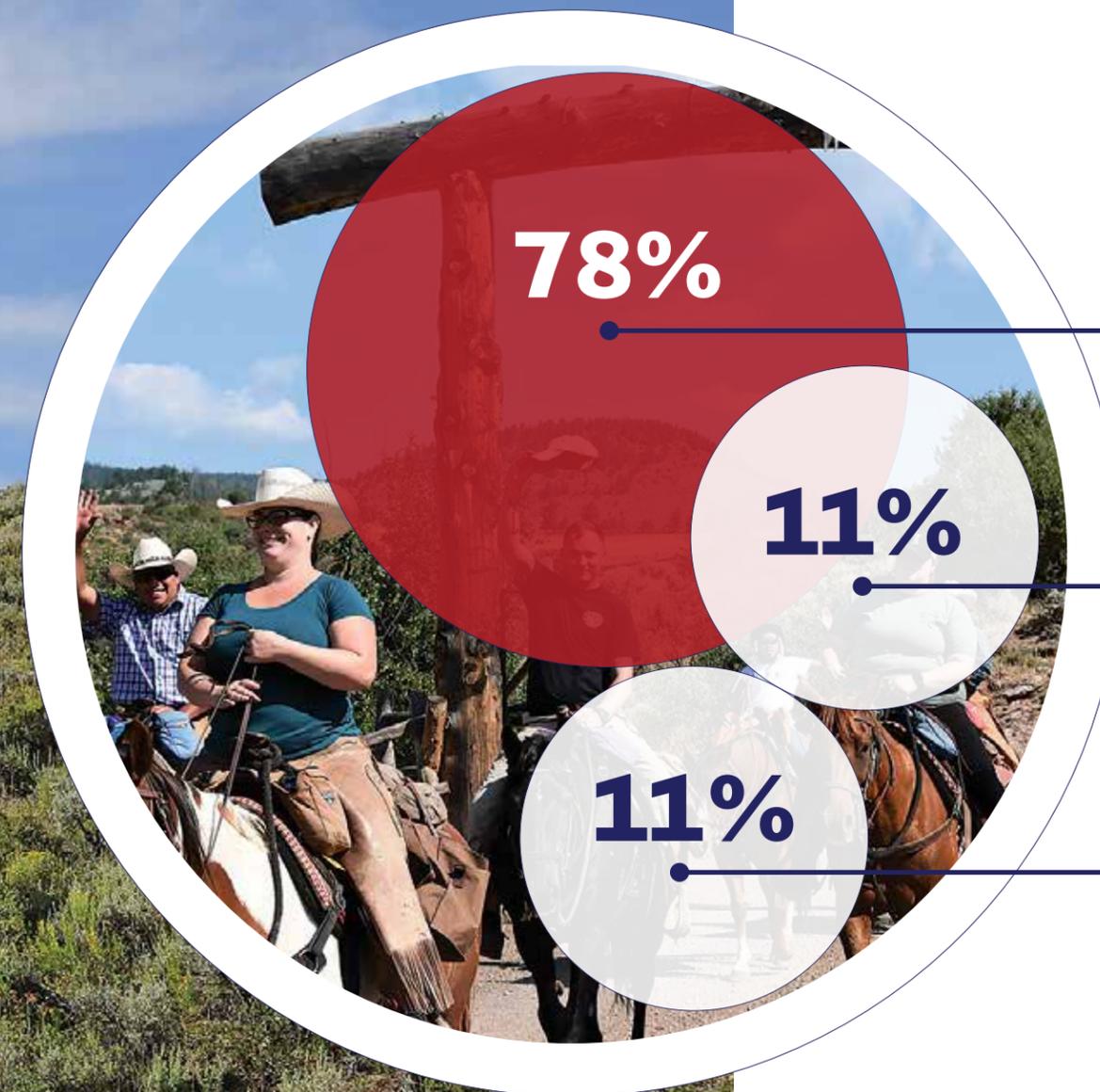


DONATIONS  
**\$1,558,756**

IN KIND  
DONATIONS  
**\$331,632**

TOTAL INCOME  
**\$1,890,388**

## EXPENSES



PROGRAMS  
**\$1,550,846**

FUNDRAISING  
**\$ 225,035**

ADMINISTRATION  
**\$207,498**

TOTAL EXPENSES  
**\$1,983,379**

# DONORS

## \$100,000 +

Frechette Family Foundation  
Elizabeth & Michael Galvin  
Vail Resorts EpicPromise  
Wounded Warrior Project

## \$50,000 – \$99,999

Front Range Energy LLC  
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## \$25,000 – \$49,999

Airpower Foundation  
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Safeway Foundation  
U.S. Department of Veteran Affairs  
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Zinna Family Trust

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bol Vail  
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Dorothy & William Cohen  
Thomas Delaney  
Suzy & Jim Donohue  
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Donna Giordano  
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Graham Family  
The Gumbo Foundation  
Highline  
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Zorich Family Foundation

## \$1,000 - \$4,999

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Kathy Langenwalter & Dick Cleveland  
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Beverly Cole  
Sheila Dennis  
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Michael Gilligan

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Jeffrey Goodwin  
Cynthia & Ben Gordon  
Amanda & William Green  
Roberta & Gene Hagerman  
Pat & Bill Hammon  
Rita & Thomas Head  
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Hovey & Harrison  
Michelle Howe  
Denisse James  
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Cheryl & Bill Jensen  
Elaine & Art Kelton  
Claudia & Bruce Kiely  
Sara & Andy King  
Barbara Krichbaum  
& Kent Erickson

La Bottega  
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Robert Navratil  
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## \$100 – \$499

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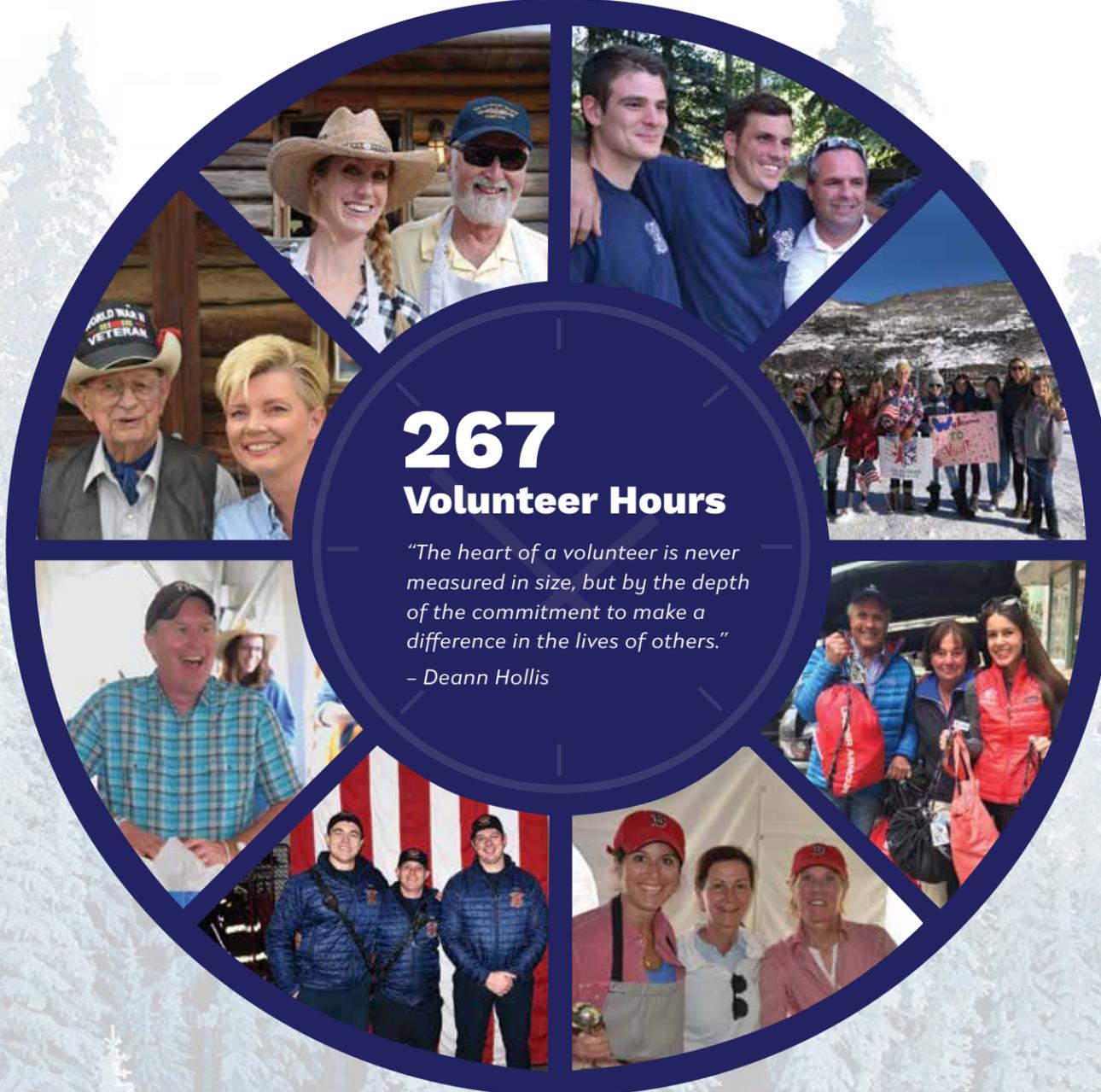
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1 – 6 Winter Mountain Adventure

## JUNE

10 – 14 Military Caregiver Retreat  
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14 – 21 Family Support Program  
Black Mountain Ranch

## JULY

8 – 15 Family Support Program  
Red Box Legacy

19 – 24 Summer Family Program

## AUGUST

16 – 23 Family Support Program  
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17 – 21 Golf In The Rockies

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9 – 13 Military Caregiver Retreat

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