FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

As of and for the Years Ended December 31, 2017 and 2016

And Report of Independent Auditor



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Report of Independent Auditor

To the Board of Directors of Book'em Nashville, Tennessee

We have audited the accompanying financial statements of Book'em (a nonprofit organization), which comprise the statement of financial position as of December 31, 2017, and the related statements of activities, functional expenses, and cash flows for the year then ended, and the related notes to the financial statements.

Management's Responsibility for the Financial Statements

Management is responsible for the preparation and fair presentation of these financial statements in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America; this includes the design, implementation, and maintenance of internal control relevant to the preparation and fair presentation of financial statements that are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

Auditor's Responsibility

Our responsibility is to express an opinion on these financial statements based on our audit. We conducted our audit in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America. Those standards require that we plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements are free from material misstatement.

An audit involves performing procedures to obtain audit evidence about the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements. The procedures selected depend on the auditor's judgment, including the assessment of the risks of material misstatement of the financial statements, whether due to fraud or error. In making those risk assessments, the auditor considers internal control relevant to the entity's preparation and fair presentation of the financial statements in order to design audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the entity's internal control. Accordingly, we express no such opinion. An audit also includes evaluating the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of significant accounting estimates made by management, as well as evaluating the overall presentation of the financial statements.

We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our audit opinion.

Opinion

In our opinion, the financial statements referred to above present fairly, in all material respects, the financial position of Book'em as of December 31, 2017, and the changes in its net assets and its cash flows for the year then ended in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

Prior Period Financial Statements

The financial statements as of December 31, 2016, were audited by other auditors whose report dated June 19, 2017 expressed an unmodified opinion on those statements.

Bekant LLP

Nashville, Tennessee December 4, 2018

STATEMENTS OF FINANCIAL POSITION

DECEMBER 31, 2017 AND 2016

	2017	2016				
ASSETS	 					
Current Assets:						
Cash and cash equivalents	\$ 28,693	\$	61,132			
Book inventories	81,894		74,497			
Prepaid book purchase	15,142		-			
Other	 -		315			
Total Current Assets	125,729		135,944			
Beneficial interest in assets at Community						
Foundation of Middle Tennessee	53,582		46,927			
Furniture and equipment, net of accumulated						
depreciation of \$7,958 and \$7,958, respectively	 568		568			
Total Assets	\$ 179,879	\$	183,439			
NET ASSETS						
Net Assets:						
Unrestricted:						
Undesignated	\$ 126,297	\$	136,512			
Designated	53,582		46,927			
Total Unrestricted Net Assets	\$ 179,879	\$	183,439			

STATEMENTS OF ACTIVITIES

YEARS ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2017 AND 2016

	2017	2016
Changes in Unrestricted Net Assets:		
Revenues:		
In-kind contributions	\$ 377,320	\$ 250,924
Contributions	166,781	181,596
Change in beneficial interest in assets held at		
Community Foundation of Middle Tennessee	6,655	2,425
Interest and other	1,153	682
Total Revenues	 551,909	 435,627
Expenses:		
Program Services:		
Books for Nashville Kids	407,059	284,299
Reading is Fundamental	72,031	65,192
Ready for Reading	7,172	8,270
Read Me Day	 7,479	 7,589
Total Program Services	 493,741	 365,350
Supporting Services:		
Management and general	41,380	36,570
Fundraising	 20,348	21,221
Total Supporting Services	61,728	57,791
Total Expenses	555,469	423,141
Change in unrestricted net assets	(3,560)	12,486
Net assets unrestricted, beginning of year	183,439	170,953
Net assets unrestricted, end of year	\$ 179,879	\$ 183,439
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BOOK 'EMSTATEMENTS OF FUNCTIONAL EXPENSES

YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2017

	Program Services																
		ooks for hville Kids		ading is		ady for eading	Read Me Day		Total Program Services		Management and General		Fund- raising		Su	Total pporting ervices	Total xpenses
Salaries Payroll taxes and employee benefits	\$	28,416 2,174	\$	27,445 2,099	\$	5,004	\$	5,499 421	\$	66,364 5,077	\$	17,781 1,360	\$	14,369	\$	32,150 2,459	\$ 98,514 7,536
Total compensation		30,590		29,544		5,387		5,920		71,441		19,141		15,468		34,609	106,050
Book distributions		365,320		38,531		_		-		403,851		_		-		-	403,851
Facility costs		8,070		2,421		807		807		12,105		2,421		1,614		4,035	16,140
Professional fees		-		-		-		-		-		8,726		-		8,726	8,726
Miscellaneous		910		910		910		684		3,414		1,024		2,255		3,279	6,693
Software and equipment		-		-		-		-		-		5,882		-		5,882	5,882
Supplies		1,454		182		-		-		1,636		1,818		182		2,000	3,636
Telephone		-		-		-		-		-		1,489		-		1,489	1,489
Local travel		612		340		68		68		1,088		136		136		272	1,360
Printing		103		103		-		-		206		568		258		826	1,032
Postage and shipping		-				_						175		435		610	610
Total	\$	407,059	\$	72,031	\$	7,172	\$	7,479	\$	493,741	\$	41,380	\$	20,348	\$	61,728	\$ 555,469

BOOK 'EMSTATEMENTS OF FUNCTIONAL EXPENSES

YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2016

	Program Services											Su						
	- R	ooks for	Reading is Ready fo				Total Read Me Program			Management			Total Fund- Supporting			— Total		
		hville Kids		damental		eading		Day		Services		General		raising		ervices		rotal rpenses
Salaries Payroll taxes and	\$	22,788	\$	28,860	\$	5,159	\$	4,666	\$	61,473	\$	17,465	\$	13,107	\$	30,572	\$	92,045
employee benefits		1,581		2,002		358	_	324		4,265		1,212		909		2,121		6,386
Total compensation		24,369		30,862		5,517		4,990		65,738		18,677		14,016		32,693		98,431
Book distributions		248,292		26,697		_		-		274,989		_		_		-		274,989
Facility costs		6,565		1,789		1,665		1,541		11,560		2,312		1,541		3,853		15,413
Miscellaneous		1,420		4,723		971		605		7,719		556		3,533		4,089		11,808
Professional fees		-		-		-		-		-		8,819		-		8,819		8,819
Supplies		2,223		259		6		229		2,717		2,916		89		3,005		5,722
Printing		326		326		-		115		767		2,262		903		3,165		3,932
Local travel		902		536		111		109		1,658		190		222		412		2,070
Postage and shipping		202		-		-		-		202		106		830		936		1,138
Telephone		-		-		-		-		-		732		-		732		732
Depreciation										-				87		87		87
Total	\$	284,299	\$	65,192	\$	8,270	\$	7,589	\$	365,350	\$	36,570	\$	21,221	\$	57,791	\$	423,141

STATEMENTS OF FINANCIAL POSITION

YEARS ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2017 AND 2016

	2017	2016
Cash flows from operating activities:		
Change in net assets	\$ (3,560)	\$ 12,486
Adjustments to reconcile change in net assets		
to net cash provided by (used in) operating activities:		
Depreciation	-	87
Changes in operating assets and liabilities:		
Book inventories	(7,397)	(1,711)
Prepaid book purchase	(15,142)	-
Other current assets	315	495
Beneficial interest in assets held by others	(6,655)	 (2,425)
Net cash provided by (used in) operating activities	 (32,439)	 8,932
Cash flows from investing activities:		
Purchase of furniture and equipment	 	(655)
Net cash used in investing activities	 	 (655)
Net increase (decrease) in cash and cash equivalents	(32,439)	8,277
Cash and cash equivalents at beginning of year	61,132	52,855
Cash and cash equivalents at end of year	\$ 28,693	\$ 61,132

NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

DECEMBER 31, 2017 AND 2016

Note 1—Nature of activities and significant accounting policies

Book'em (the "Organization") is a nonprofit organization located in Nashville, Tennessee. The Organization serves to provide books to children from low-income families and reading volunteers to schools and community centers in Davidson County. Its programs focus on inspiring a love of books and reading in children.

Basis of Presentation – The accompanying financial statements have been prepared on the accrual basis of accounting in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America. Net assets, revenues and expenses are classified based on the existence or absence of donor-imposed restrictions. Accordingly, net assets and changes therein are classified and reported as follows:

Unrestricted Net Assets:

Undesignated – net assets not subject to donor-imposed stipulations or designated by the Organization's board.

Designated – net assets designated by the Organization's board for particular purposes, presently designated by the board as agency endowment.

Temporarily Restricted Net Assets – net assets subject to donor-imposed stipulations that may or will be met, either by actions of the Organization and/or the passage of time. The Organization currently has no temporarily restricted net assets.

Permanently Restricted Net Assets – net assets subject to donor-imposed stipulations that they be maintained permanently by the Organization. The Organization currently has no permanently restricted net assets.

Cash and Cash Equivalents – For purposes of the statements of cash flows, the Organization considers all highly liquid investments with a maturity of three months or less when purchased to be cash equivalents.

Prepaid Book Purchase – During the fiscal year ended December 31, 2017, the Organization paid another nonprofit organization for future book orders to be received by the Organization. At December 31, 2017, no books had been received under this agreement.

Furniture and Equipment – Furniture and equipment is recorded at cost or at fair value as of the date contributed. Maintenance and repairs are charged to general expenses when incurred. Betterments and renewals that materially extend the life of the assets are capitalized and depreciated using the straight-line method over the estimated useful lives of the respective assets, all of which were five years as of December 31, 2017 and 2016.

Book Inventories – Book inventories are valued at weighted average cost at December 31, 2017 and 2016. Donated books are recorded at \$5.00 per item contributed. Purchased books are initially recorded at cost.

Donated Materials and Services – Donated materials are reflected as contributions in the accompanying statements of activities at their estimated fair value at date of receipt. Contributions of donated services that create or enhance nonfinancial assets or that require specialized skills, are provided by individuals possessing those skills, and would typically need to be purchased if not provided by donation, are recorded at their fair values in the period received.

NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

DECEMBER 31, 2017 AND 2016

Note 1—Nature of activities and significant accounting policies (continued)

Contributions – Contributions are recognized as revenue when the donor makes an unconditional promise to give to the Organization. Contributions that are restricted by the donor are reported as increases in temporarily restricted net assets. When a restriction is met or expires, temporarily restricted net assets are reclassified to unrestricted net assets. Contributions whose restrictions are met in the same reporting period are shown as increases in unrestricted net assets.

Program and Supportive Services – The following program and supportive services are included in the accompanying financial statements:

Books for Nashville Kids – provides donated books to children in lower income families from birth through high school that might not otherwise have books of their own.

Reading Is Fundamental – places volunteers in Title I elementary schools in Davidson County, providing readers and new books to these children five times throughout the school year.

Ready for Reading – places reading volunteers in community preschools focusing on children in low-income areas. These reading role models read with small groups of preschoolers once a week.

Read Me Day – an annual event highlighting the importance and fun of reading.

Allocation of Functional Expenses – The costs of providing the various programs and other activities have been summarized on a functional basis in the statements of functional expenses. Accordingly, certain costs have been allocated among program and supporting services based on estimates by management.

Use of Estimates – The preparation of financial statements in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America requires management to make estimates and assumptions that affect the reported amounts of assets and liabilities and disclosure of contingent assets and liabilities at the date of the financial statements. Estimates also affect the reported amounts of revenue and expenses during the reporting period. Actual results could differ from those estimates.

Income Taxes – The Organization is exempt from income taxes under section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code. Accordingly, no provision for income taxes has been made in the accompanying financial statements.

Subsequent Events – The Organization has evaluated subsequent events through December 4, 2018, when these financial statements were available to be issued.

Future Pronouncements – In August 2016, FASB issued accounting standard, ASU 2016-14, Not-for-Profit Entities: Presentation of Financial Statements for Not-for-Profit Entities (Topic 958), intended to improve financial reporting for not-for-profit entities. The ASU will reduce the current three classes of net assets into two: with and without donor restrictions. The change in each of the classes of net assets must be reported on the statements of activities. The ASU also requires various enhanced disclosures around topics such as board designations, liquidity, functional classification of expenses, investment expenses, donor restrictions, and underwater endowments. The ASU will be effective for the Organization on July 1, 2018. Early adoption is permitted. The Organization is currently evaluating the effect that the standard will have on its financial statements and related disclosures.

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Note 2—Furniture and equipment

Furniture and equipment include the following as of December 31:

		2016			
Furniture	\$	1,701	\$	1,701	
Office equipment		6,825		6,825	
		8,526		8,526	
Less accumulated depreciation		(7,958)		(7,958)	
	\$	568	\$	568	

Note 3—Lease commitments

The Organization has a lease agreement for office space with monthly payments of \$1,078 required through June 30, 2018. Subsequent to December 31, 2017, the lease was renewed with required monthly payments of \$1,540 through June 30, 2020. Either party may terminate this agreement with 90 days written notice. Rent expense totaled \$13,587 and \$12,941 for the years ended December 31, 2017 and 2016, respectively.

Note 4—In-kind contributions

In-kind contributions received include the following during the years ended December 31:

	 2017	 2016		
Books Other	\$ 376,916 404	\$ 250,299 625		
	\$ 377,320	\$ 250,924		

Note 5—Book 'em endowment fund at community foundation of middle Tennessee

The Community Foundation of Middle Tennessee (the "Community Foundation") maintains agency investments on behalf of the Organization. Under the terms of the agreement, the Community Foundation has variance power and is the legal owner of the investments. However, the Organization is the beneficiary of the fund and receives distributions of income, subject to the Community Foundation's spending policy. The investments resulted from unrestricted amounts transferred by the Organization to the Community Foundation in prior years. The Organization has recorded the related asset which totaled \$53,582 and \$46,927 at December 31, 2017 and 2016, respectively, in the accompanying statements of financial position. In addition, the Organization has recorded changes in market value of \$6,655 and \$2,425 for the years ended December 31, 2017 and 2016, respectively, in the accompanying statements of activities.