

Tennessee Secretary of State
Tre Hargett



Division of Business and Charitable Organizations
312 Rosa L. Parks Avenue, 6th Floor
Nashville, Tennessee 37243-1102

June 29, 2023

Mr. CHRIS TRUELOVE
2132 E MAIN STREET
MURFREESBORO, TN 37130

RE: Registration to Solicit Funds for Charitable Purposes

Organization Name: SPECIAL KIDS

CO Number: CO3898

Renewal Date: 06/30/2024

Dear Mr. CHRIS TRUELOVE :

Pursuant to the Tennessee Charitable Solicitations Act, T.C.A. § 48-101-501, *et seq.* the Tennessee Secretary of State has reviewed your application and is pleased to announce your organization's registration to solicit contributions has been **approved**.

The organization must maintain statutory compliance by submitting a renewal application and required fees on an annual basis. At that time you may be required to submit tax filings, financial statements, proof of IRS status, and other documents related to your organization and its fundraising activities. You can find additional information and submit additional filings online at <https://sos.tn.gov/charities>. The "CO" Number listed above will serve as your organization's charitable registration number and should be used when submitting any charitable filings or correspondence.

Please also be advised that if the organization's application or other provided information includes false, misleading or deceptive statements, appropriate action will be taken. Pursuant to the Tennessee Charitable Solicitations Act, a civil penalty of up to five thousand dollars (\$5,000.00) may be assessed for any violation.

Thank you for registering your organization and please do not hesitate to contact us with any questions.

Sincerely,

Tre Hargett
Secretary of State

Tracking Number
2023120458

Application to Renew Registration of a Charitable Organization

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Department of State

State of Tennessee

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Phone: 615-741-2555

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sos.tn.gov/charities

CO Number: CO3898
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Organization Information

Legal Name of the Charitable Organization: SPECIAL KIDS

Legal entity type of the Organization: Corporation

FEIN: 62-1718638

Initial Registration Date: 10/12/2000

Renewal Date: 06/30/2023

Has your fiscal year ending month changed since your last renewal?

Yes No

Fiscal Year Ending Month: December

When and where was the organization legally established

Date: 04/10/2018

Country: USA

City/State: NASHVILLE, TN

County: Davidson

Has your Principal Office address changed since your last renewal?

Yes No

Principal Office Address

2132 E MAIN STREET
USA, MURFREESBORO, TN 37130

Has your Mailing address changed since your last renewal?

Yes No

Mailing Office Address

2132 E MAIN STREET
USA, MURFREESBORO, TN 37130

Contact Information for the Charitable Organization

Contact Name: Mr. CHRIS TRUELOVE

Telephone Number: (615) 809-2632

Fax Number: (615) 893-4923

Email: ctuelove@specialkidstn.com

Website: www.specialkidstn.com

Current names used by the charity organization

Do you need to modify other names that the charity solicits under?

Yes No

Has the organization registered in any other state(s)?

Yes No

Does the charity have other offices, chapters, branches, affiliates or a parent?

Yes No

The category that best describes your organization

P - Human Services

The charitable purpose of the organization

Provide medical, respite, therapy, and nursing care for special needs children with severe medical needs and/or mental handicaps.

Tax & Financial Information

Has your tax exempt status changed since your last renewal?

Yes No

Last Fiscal Year Start: January 2022

Last Fiscal Year End: December 2022

Type of 990 Tax Form Filed: 990 (Long Form)

Gross Revenue

Direct and Indirect Public Contributions	\$ 1,667,467.00
Government Grants	\$ 221,809.00
Program Service Revenue	\$ 1,741,031.00
Special Events and Activities	\$ 286,797.00
Gross Sales of Inventory	\$ 1,870.00
Other Revenue	\$ 74,588.00
Total Revenue	\$ 3,993,562.00

Expenses

Total Program Expenses	\$ 2,780,811.00
Direct Expenses from Special Events	\$ 129,975.00
Cost of Goods Sold	\$ 3,203.00
Management and General Expenses	\$ 445,218.00
Fundraising Expenses	\$ 407,135.00
Other Expenses	\$ 0.00
Total Expenses	\$ 3,766,342.00

Excess/Deficit For the Year (Total Revenue - Total Expenses)	\$ 227,220.00
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Changes in Net Assets/Fund Balances

Net Assets/Fund Balances at Beginning of Year	\$ 7,662,346.00
Other Changes in Net Assets or Fund Balances	(\$ 402,455.00)
Net Assets/Fund Balances	\$ 7,487,111.00
Total Liabilities at End of Year	\$ 292,541.00
Net Assets/Fund Balances at End of Year	\$ 7,487,111.00

Solicitation Information

Have you been enjoined by any court from soliciting contributions?

Yes No

Does your organization contract with or otherwise engage the services of any outside fundraising professional (such as a "professional fund-raiser," "paid solicitor," "fund raising counsel," or "commercial co-venturer")?

Yes No

Officer Information

Do you need to modify the current officers?

Yes No

List each officer, director, and trustee (at least 2 officers are required, and you must list officers who have or share the following titles: "Chief Financial Officer", "Custodian of Contributions", "Custodian of Final Distributions")

H.A. Beasley & Company, CPAs, PC
237 W Northfield, Ste. 102
Murfreesboro, TN 37129, USA
Title(s): Accountant

A J Goodwin
3320 Harrison Pike
Chattanooga, TN 37416, USA
Title(s): Board Member

Angie Kleinau
5942 West Gum Road
Murfreesboro, TN 37127, USA
Title(s): Board Member

Ashley Stearns
107 North Maple Street
Murfreesboro, TN 37130, USA
Title(s): Board Member

Beverly Davis
145 Uptown Square
Murfreesboro, TN 37129, USA
Title(s): Board Member

Brian Williams
386 Allison Place
Murfreesboro, TN 37127, USA
Title(s): Board Member, Secretary

Carrie Goodwin
6225 Clark Road
Harrison, TN 37341, USA
Title(s): Board Member

Chris Truelove
2132 East Main Street
Murfreesboro, TN 37130, USA
Title(s): Custodian of Contributions, Custodian of Final Distributions, Director, President

Elizabeth Smith
2637 Bushman Court
Murfreesboro, TN 37130, USA
Title(s): Treasurer, Board Member

Emily Pegg

PO Box 1478
Murfreesboro, TN 37133, USA
Title(s): Board Member

Ginna Follis
1511 Yuma Court
Murfreesboro, TN 37129, USA
Title(s): Board Member

Jerry Collins
3327 Valleywood Cove
Murfreesboro, TN 37129, USA
Title(s): Board Member

Mack Barrett
910 Briar Court
Murfreesboro, TN 37129, USA
Title(s): Board Member, Chairman

Mary Polk
2249 Oakleigh Drive
Murfreesboro, TN 37129, USA
Title(s): Board Member

Rick Thigpen
515 Fawn Ct
Murfreesboro, TN 37128, USA
Title(s): Board Member

EMILY LOYD
2710 BATTLEFIELD DRIVE
MURFREESBORO, TN 37129, USA
Title(s): Board Member

JAN PARKER
2132 E MAIN STREET
USA, MURFREESBORO, TN 37130
Title(s): Chief Administrative Officer

JULIE LUDWIG
2132 E MAIN STREET
USA, MURFREESBORO, TN 37130
Title(s): Director

Has any officer, director, manager, operator, or principal of the organization been the subject of an injunction, judgement, or administrative order or been convicted of a felony?

Yes No

Signature

I certify that the statements in this registration statement and all supplemental forms, documents, and continuation sheets are true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

I (Chief Fiscal Officer, Treasurer, or Officer) certify, under penalty of perjury, that the above information is true and correct.

Signed Electronically: Christopher L. Truelove

Date: 06/28/2023

Title: Chief Executive Officer

I certify that the statements in this registration statement and all supplemental forms, documents, and continuation sheets are true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

I (Chief Fiscal Officer, Treasurer, or Officer) certify, under penalty of perjury, that the above information is true and correct.

Signed Electronically: Jan Parker

Date: 06/28/2023

Title: Chief Administrative Officer



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Invoice: 2023-05305

Customer Information

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Tracking Number	Description	Amount Paid
2023120458	CH Charitable Renewal	\$ 10.00
Payment Details		
	Fee Total:	\$ 20.00
	Payment Total:	\$ 10.00
	Amount Due:	\$ 0.00
Payment Method		
	Payment Type:	Credit Card
	Check/Confirmation Number:	3853716786