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Yes, this is a sign and a concept that has been expressed often and in many different settings and occupations over the past year and a half. Though we would never question the "heroism" of any segment of our society in battling this pandemic, it would be hard to find any group of people who have been stronger in facing personal risk and hardship to serve others, and keep others safe, than the people of Rauch. From day one of this national nightmare, the people of Rauch have been on the job, 24 hours a day and 365 days per year. To keep people safe in an environment of staff shortages and risk, many extra shifts have been filled by ultra-dedicated staff, keeping people safe and continuing the life-enriching services that reflect the mission.

It is important to note that the number one concern is, of course, the safety of the people we serve and the people providing those services. It is also important that the valuable services provided by Rauch since 1953 have continued. Where possible, creative methods have been used to continue guality but improve safety (remote, etc.). Where not possible, services have been provided with the use of PPE and all guidelines established by the CDC, the State Department of Health, and local Health Departments.

We can only hope and pray that by the time of next year's annual report this all-consuming crisis is history. Until that time, Rauch will continue its work to keep people safe and carry out the array of services that are so important and critical to so many people's lives.

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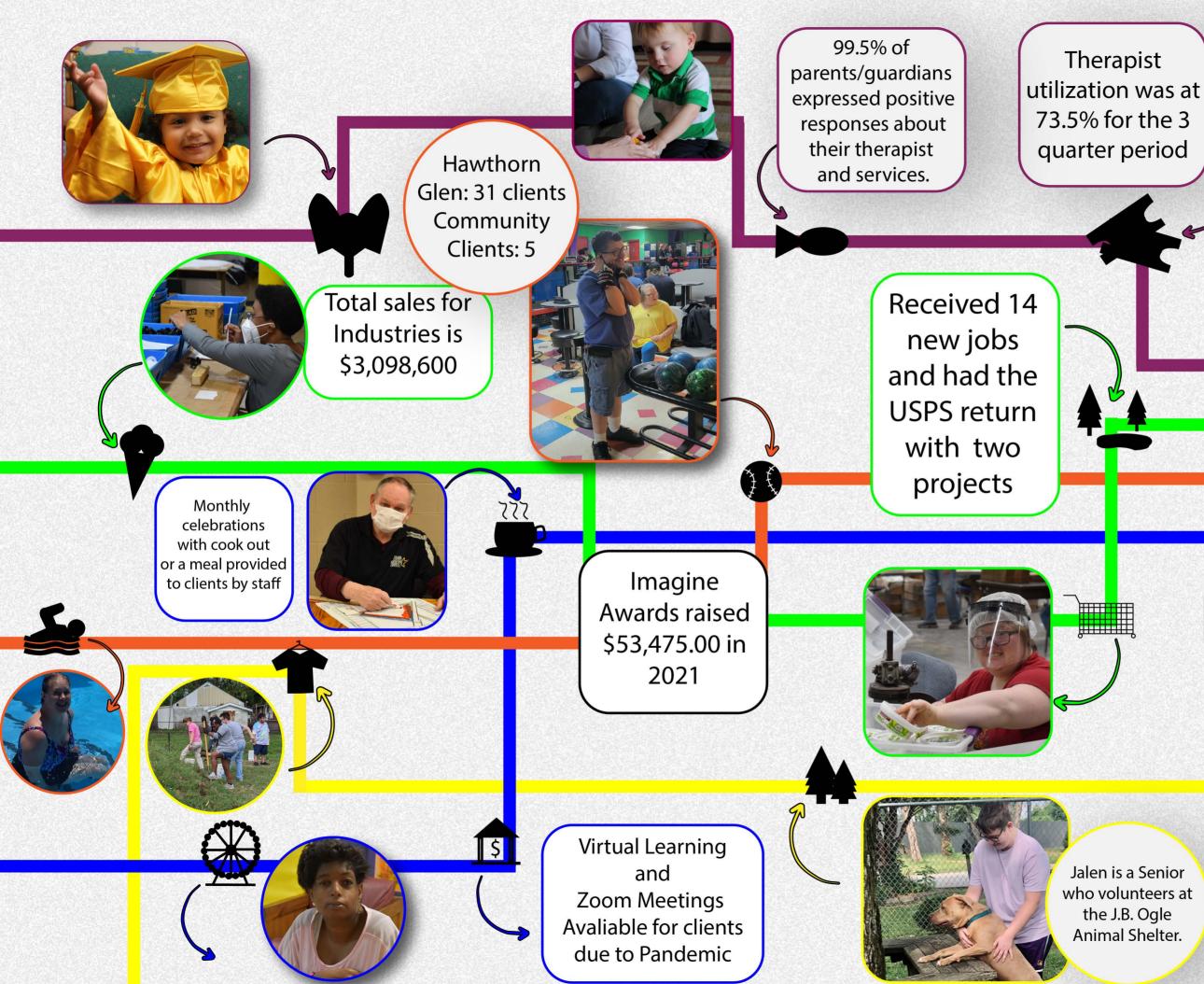
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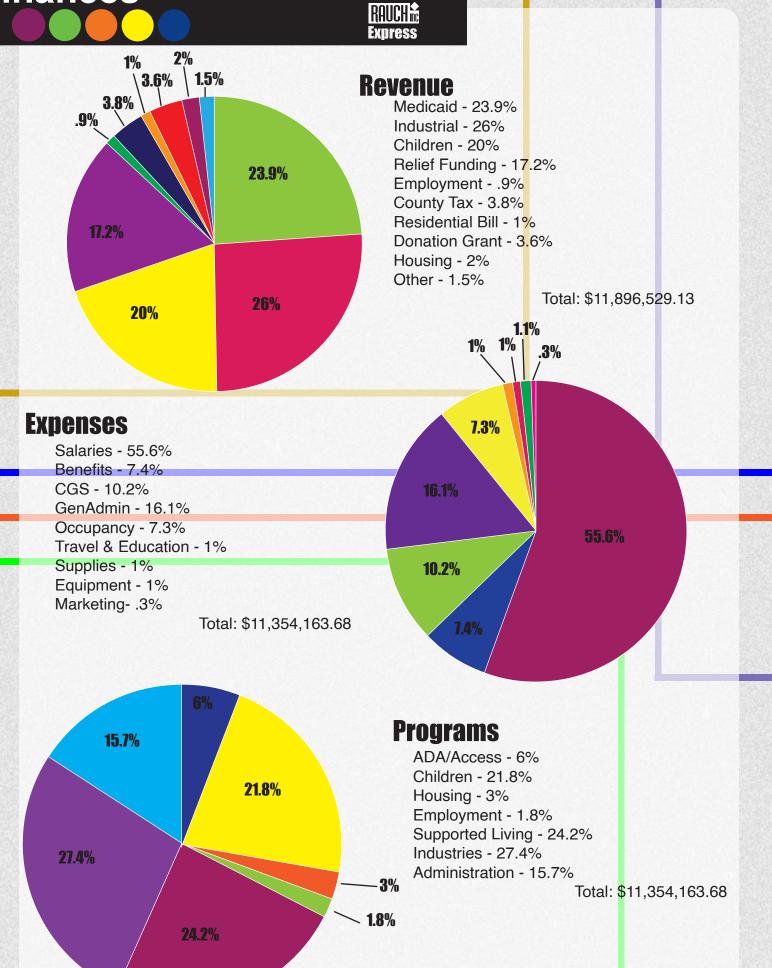
Day Program

Activities have been restored after pandemic started.

Jalen is a Senior who volunteers at the J.B. Ogle Animal Shelter.

Services weren't effected by the shut downs and clients were able to get placements. **Pre-ETS students** were able to volunteer!

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Children Services Charlestown Rd.

Rauch's Early Intervention therapists meet the highest level of professional standards. They work to support children socially, emotionally, physically, mentally, and developmentally. A variety of services are offered including speech, physical, occupational, and developmental therapy.

Despite the pandemic, we were able to continue providing services to children and their parents/guardians. More than 99.5% of parents/guardians responded positively to their experience with therapists, and 94% of enrolled children showed a four-item gain in their development. The majority of children were pre-tested and 97% were post-tested. The use of therapists was 73.5% for the three-quarter period, and the average of referrals per month was 83!







Industries 845 Park Place

Rauch Industries offers work opportunities for adults with intellectual and developmental disabilities in a safe, structured environment, while providing a valuable resource to the business community. Staff address client needs and ensure individual planning occurs in an open, friendly, and organized manner.



Rauch Industries started providing services to a full roster of clients again in the summer of 2021. Participants kept busy with work from our valued customers, despite challenges from the pandemic. Many current customers approached Rauch Industries for help with new projects, and we were able to get four new customers!

Out of the 25 jobs quoted, we received 14 of them! Our long relationships allowed us to explore new jobs that have a wide range of assembly, packaging, and kitting services. Along with the new jobs, the USPS came back with two new projects for us to complete.

Quality is still job number one and we continue to pass our thirdparty audits while maintaining our ISO 90011:2015 certification.





Employment Charlestown Rd.

Rauch's Employment Services Department provides employment supports for people with intellectual, developmental and acquired disabilities, as well as those who have recovered from substance abuse, criminal histories or other barriers to employment. Participants obtain and maintain employment through career explorations, job readiness, soft skills training, job development, follow-along services and individualized job coaching. These services are designed with the input of the individual and their specific support needs and preferences. Employment Consultants assist each participant in discovery and understanding his or her own vocational interests, values, work-related behaviors, aptitudes, skills, physical capabilities, learning style and training needs.

> Last year we saw a lot of highs and lows, but the shutdowns didn't affect employment placements. Jobs were obtained in food services, retail services, and hospitality. Congrats to Chris Jones, who has been working at Taco Bell for five years now! The Pre-Employment Transition Services program worked intensely hard to locate students once schools closed. Staff persevered to make the most of a bad situation and the participants and students enjoyed outings with a variety of activities over the summer. The Pre-Employment Transition Services students participated in volunteer activities to hone job readiness skills, and a day was spent at Falls of the Ohio.





Residental Charlestown Rd.



Day Programs Charlestown Rd.

Rauch's Supported Living helps individuals with intellectual and developmental disabilities locate housing, manage finances, and learn daily living skills. Program staff also provide transportation and help plan recreational activities. Supported Living has 18 homes in the Hawthorn Glen subdivision, all with the ability to serve three clients - each with their own bedroom and bathroom, and shared common areas.

Rauch's ACCESS program is a non-vocational day program for adults with intellectual and developmental disabilities. Clientdirected community outings typically occur twice daily to local parks, the zoo, museums, libraries, and the circus among many others. Activities including weekly music therapy and visiting nursing homes strengthens participants' ties to the community and gives them the opportunity to speak and act on their own behalf. The ADA program is designed for those with the most significant physical, mental, and/or behavioral disabilities. Clients also participate in skill-building activities, such as creating art and learning daily living skills.

COVID-19 made the year for Supported Living a bumpy, but awesome one. It caused a lot of our activities to decrease, but things are looking up as we start to resume activities. Our clients and staff are glad to be having fun in the community again! Planned activities included Holiday World, bowling, birthday celebrations, game nights, and swimming. Supported living served 31 clients at Hawthorn Glen and five as community clients. The department has 35 full-time and three temporary staff members.



services due to the pandemic.

Monthly celebrations, such as cook outs, continue for clients and staff. Day habilitation services were combined and provided at Fairmont Neighborhood Center, and services continued uninterrupted.



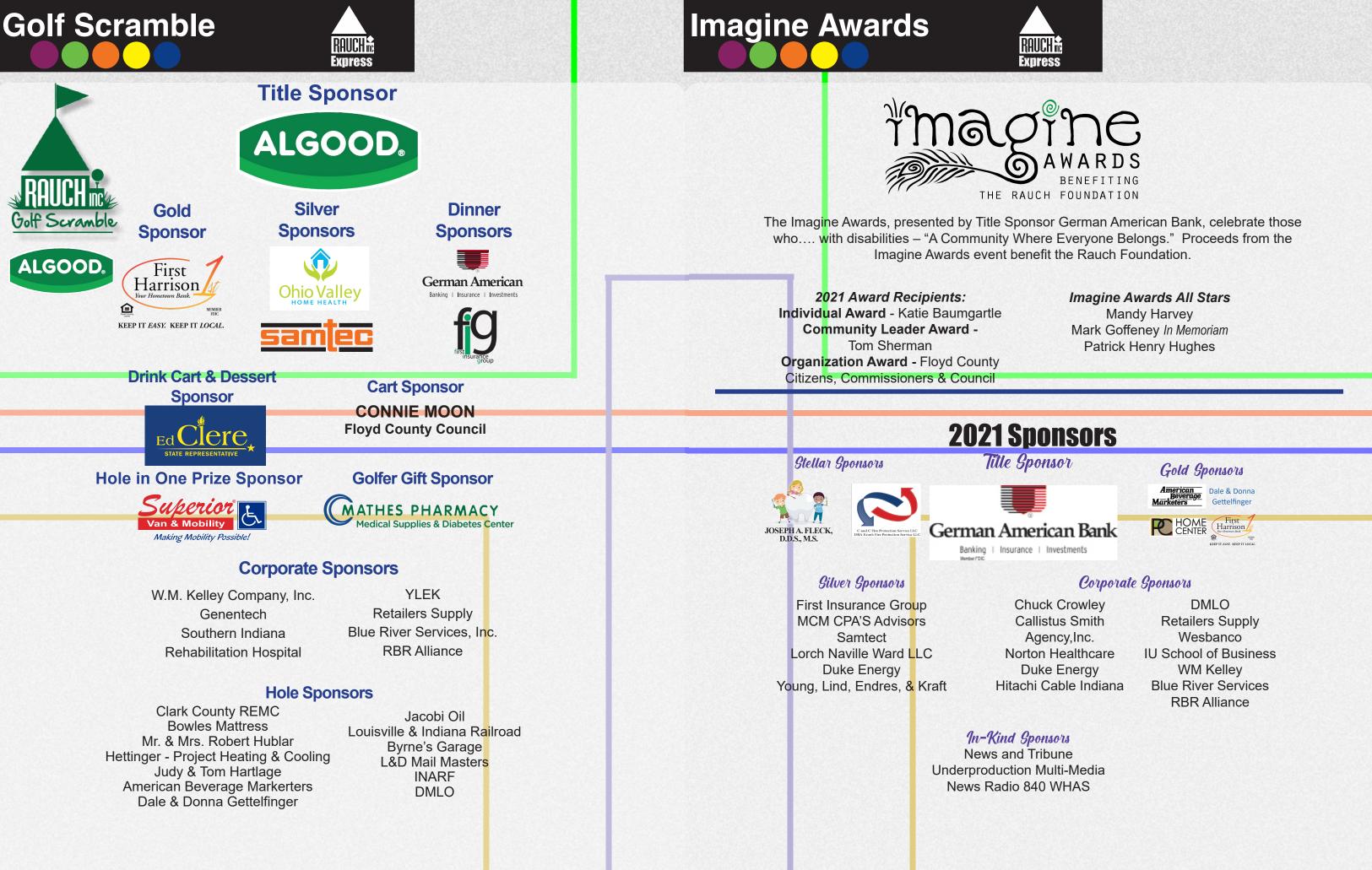






Weekly virtual learning for music therapy is offered via Zoom for clients who chose not to return for in-person







Crusade Cookout



Kosair Shrine Circus



Rauch is fortunate and honored to have been receiving support from the WHAS Crusade for Children since 1953. We hosted cookouts at our Hawthorn Glen day program and Rauch Industries to raise some funds in support of the Crusade. Everyone enjoyed burgers, chips, drinks and dessert while supporting this special cause.









Clients at Rauch look forward to the Kosair Shrine Circus in Louisville each year, and were thrilled to return in 2021.







