

Welcome again from For a Good Koss at the end of our second year! Looking back on all we've accomplished is becoming an annual tradition that we thoroughly enjoy. We have learned a ton in our first two years and the startup process is beginning to find our rearview mirror. We have discovered who we are as a foundation and hit our groove in realizing Sarah's vision to "build a place where kids can learn in their own unique way". The past year was a fantastic year for the foundation and we're grateful for all our friends new and old who joined us in 2019.

First, **we continued our educational event initiatives.** In April, we held our first event in Oklahoma City with [Captain Black Keys' Musical Adventure!](#) The kids explored a park, finding hidden clues that unlocked a musical key to open treasure chests. We followed this with the inaugural [Let Your Imagination Run 5k & Kids 1k](#) in San Francisco in August, literally letting everyone's imagination run wild!

Our second initiative in 2019 was our continuing partnership with Oklahoma Youth Orchestras (OYO) to award music scholarships to children in need. We were able to give another \$1000 last year.

For 2020, we are doubling down on where we've been most successful. Our partnership with OYO is continuing, we are adding new music scholarships, and we are focusing on two events next year to make them the best they can be. Our plan for 2020 includes:

- **Scholarships with Oklahoma Youth Orchestra,** totaling \$1000.
- **New scholarships with [San Francisco Youth Orchestra](#) and the [San Francisco Community Music Center](#),** totaling \$3000.
- **Rocket to the Stars in [Washington, D.C](#) in the spring.** We're coming to the nation's capital for the first time and bringing a new space exploration game with us.
- **The 2nd Annual [Let Your Imagination Run 5k & Kids 1k](#) on August 30th in [San Francisco](#).** The fun run was so much fun last year we're doing it bigger and better in 2020!

Our goal is to fund our activities for the entire year through a single fundraising campaign. **We are kicking it off this [Giving Tuesday](#) when Facebook will begin matching donations at 7AM CST/5AM PST.** We expect the matching to end within the first 30 seconds, so [mark your calendar](#), follow us on Facebook for the link to the fundraiser. You can also contribute to the foundation through the [Amazon Smile Program](#), where a small portion of your amazon.com purchases will be donated to our cause. Please join us in our mission to inspire children to be curious through kind, creative, and joyful education programs.

Lastly, the foundation is **accepting candidates to join the Board of Directors.** We currently have four board members and our bylaws allow up to seven, leaving three open positions. We would love to have more of Sarah's friends join us in leading this endeavor, and potentially allow us to expand the number of events that we hold. If you are interested, please either contact us through [facebook](#) or reach out to a Board Member directly.

Thank you for making this all possible. It is only through the support and generosity of friends of the foundation like yourself that we are able to continue the work we do. For those who have given to us in the last year, whether



financially or through volunteering your time, we are eternally grateful. We couldn't have realized Sarah's vision without your contributions and we are thankful for your continued support in 2020.

With a joyous #HiFive4Sarah,

The Board of Directors
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