CODA Midwest 2023 Annual Report

(January 1, 2023 - December 31, 2023)

Purpose

The purpose of CODA Midwest is to engage in lawful charitable and educational activities. Specifically, CODA Midwest addresses the bicultural identity of children of deaf adults, and supports the "Mission and Purposes" of CODA International, which honors the unique heritage and multicultural identities of adult hearing individuals with deaf parent(s).

Administration

In December of 2023 the Board approved the CODA Midwest 2024 Budget. CODA Midwest became Silver Level GuideStar Participant demonstrating its commitment to transparency. Participation in GuideStar allowed CODA Midwest to participate in Amazon Smile, FaceBook Fundraisers, PayPal Giving, Kroger Community Rewards and Raise Right, formerly known as Shop With Scrips. CODA Midwest secured D&O insurance and Event insurance.

Quickbooks Online

CODA Midwest uses QB online with the board having online access to "view" the books at their leisure. The subscription to QB online was obtained at a reduced nonprofit rate through TechSoup.com.

Amazon Smile

AmazonSmile is a simple and easy way for individuals to support CODA Midwest. Amazon donates 0.005% of the price of eligible AmazonSmile purchases to CODA Midwest. In 2023 CODA Midwest experienced a small revenue from Amazon Smile. Amazon has stopped this program mid year 2023.

Facebook Fundraisers

In 2023, CODA Midwest participated in the Facebook Giving Tuesday (partnered with the Bill & Melinda Gates Foundation and Network for Good) and was promoted as a birthday fundraiser of choice by a few individuals.

PayPal Giving

In 2023, CODA Midwest participated in PayPal Giving. PayPal Giving Fund is a grant-giving IRS-registered 501(c)(3) public charity (Federal Tax ID: 45-0931286) that makes online giving a part of everyday ecommerce activity. PayPal Giving can do this by enabling donors to support their favorite causes across a number of platforms, including Meta, PayPal, eBay, GoFundMe and Humble Bundle. This is a platform that CODA Midwest participated in this past year.

Kroger Community Rewards

In 2023, CODA Midwest participated in Kroger Community Rewards. So far, there are 4 families enrolled in the Kroger Community Rewards. CODA Midwest has received a minimal amount from Kroger Community Rewards.

Charitable Donations

In 2023, CODA Midwest received donations from individuals throughout the year.

Revenue from Sales

In 2023, CODA Midwest did not participate in merchandise sales however the CODASquatch retreat had merchandise for sale as a fundraiser.

2023 Region-III Retreat

CODA Midwest hosted the 2023 CODASquatch Retreat in Hocking Hills, OH.

2023 Retreat Waivers

CODA Midwest had 9 retreat waivers.

2023 CODA International Memberships

CODA Midwest paid for 2 first timers from the retreat.

Conference Stipend Program

CODA Midwest sponsored three international individuals to attend the Colorful CODA Korea Conference. The Colorful CODA Korea committee assisted in referring the individuals to CODA Midwest.

KODA Kamper Grant Program

In 2023, CODA Midwest awarded grant money for Kodas to attend camp. The camps included KODA Midwest, KODA West and Camp Mark 7.

2023 CODA Midwest Statement of Activity January 1, 2023 - December 31, 2023

INCOME	
Amazon Smile	\$115.48
Facebook Fundraiser	\$660.00
PayPal Donations	\$60.00
PayPal Giving	\$44.00
Donations	\$525.00
2023 Retreat	\$4,343.85
Raise Right (Shop with Scripts)	\$110.10
Network for Good	\$11.00
Kroger Community Rewards	\$42.71
Interest Earned	\$0.04
TOTAL INCOME	\$5,912.18
EXPENSES	
Event Insurance	\$251.00
D&O Insurance	\$450.00
Website	\$19.95
QuickBooks	\$75.00
PayPal Fees	\$6.36
USPS PO Mailbox	\$82.00
State of Ohio Filing Fee	\$25.00
Restricted Camp Grants	\$5,975.00
Restricted Conference Stipend	\$2,999.53
TOTAL EXPENSES	\$9,883.84
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