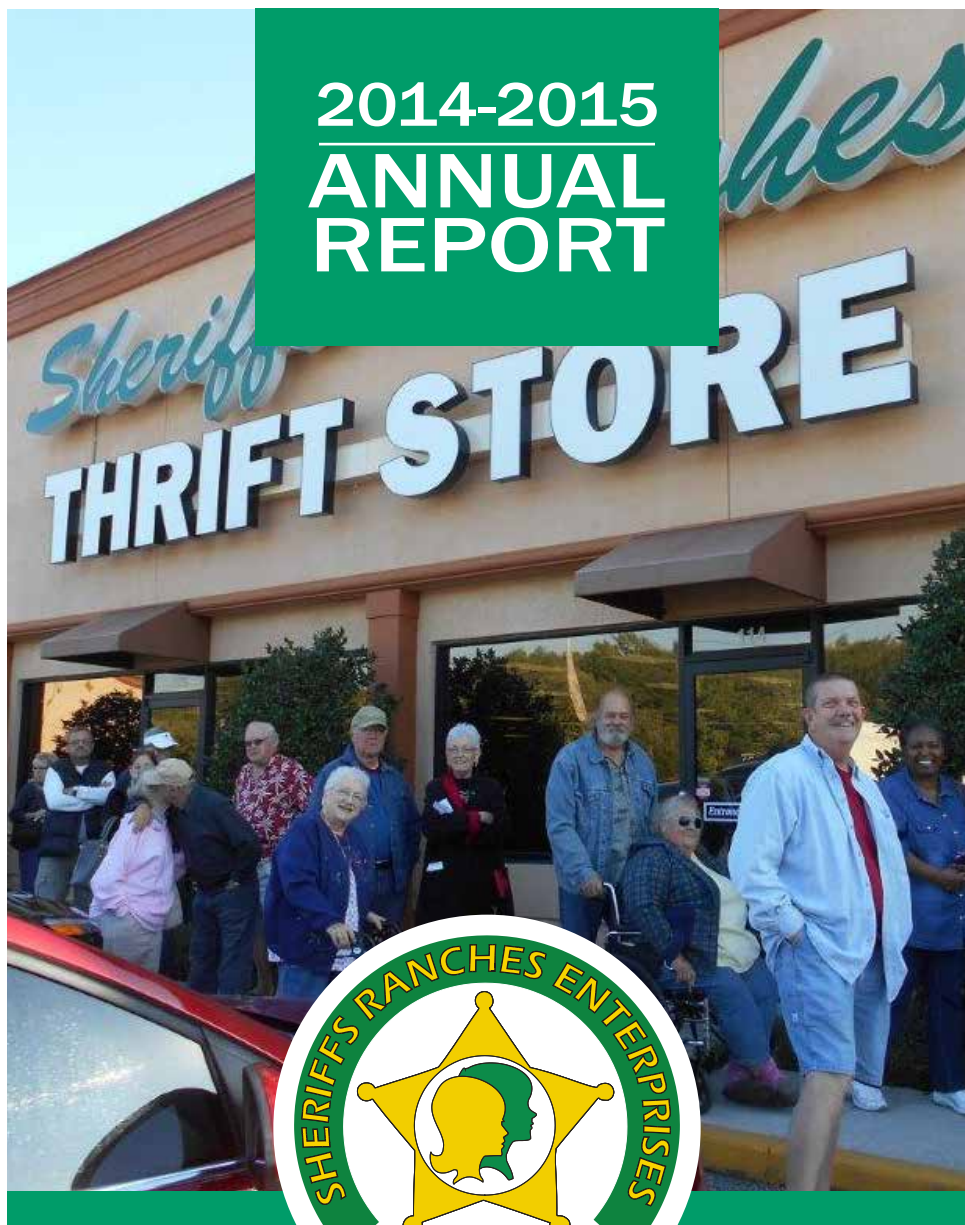


2014-2015  
ANNUAL  
REPORT



SHERIFFS RANCHES ENTERPRISES, INC.®

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# OUR HISTORY

## Overview

Sheriffs Ranches Enterprises, Inc. is a 501(c)3 not for profit corporation which supports the operations of the Florida Sheriffs Youth Ranches. Sheriffs Ranches Enterprises receives gifts-in-kind (non-cash gifts), which are sold at one of the five thrift stores in the state of Florida, at our vehicle sales lot, or through internet sales. Proceeds from the sale of donated items provide support to the Florida Sheriffs Youth Ranches.

In addition, where possible and feasible, donated non-cash items are used in the youth programs. The Florida Sheriffs Youth Ranches is a non-profit charity providing services to children and families in the state of Florida, serving over 141,000 needy boys and girls since 1957.



## Historical Perspective

When the Florida Sheriffs Boys Ranch was founded in 1957, non-cash gifts were a vital source of support. This support grew through the years and surplus items were disposed of through periodic auctions. As non-cash gifts continued to increase, it was decided to open thrift stores as an avenue to sell donated items. In February, 1987, the first store opened in Live Oak. Stores are currently located in Live Oak, Crystal River, Dunedin, New Port Richey and Leesburg. The board has approved the addition of a store in Ocala which will open in early 2016.



Until 2005, the non-cash operations which benefit the boys and girls served by the Florida Sheriffs Youth Ranches were actually part of the Youth Ranches. In 2005, the Florida Sheriffs Youth Ranches Board of Directors decided to establish a separate legal entity to run the non-cash operations and Sheriffs Ranches Enterprises, Inc. (“SRE”) was formed.

By donating your non-cash gifts, you can help us serve Florida’s dependent and neglected children. Your gift of items such as clothing, appliances, jewelry, antiques, furniture, cars, trucks, boats and even campers can help make the difference in the life of a needy boy or girl! Sheriffs Ranches Enterprises is a 501(c)3 charitable organization and all donations are tax deductible as outlined by the Internal Revenue Service.

## OUR MISSION

**The mission of Sheriffs Ranches Enterprises is to provide financial support, goodwill and community involvement for the boys and girls served by the Florida Sheriffs Youth Ranches.**



# OUR VISION

## Financial Support

Sheriffs Ranches Enterprises will be a primary source of financial support to the Florida Sheriffs Youth Ranches through effective acquisition, acceptance, marketing and sale of donated items.

## Goodwill

Sheriffs Ranches Enterprises will create goodwill for the Florida Sheriffs Youth Ranches by providing exceptional donor and customer service.

When donors consider giving “non-cash” items, they think of Sheriffs Ranches Enterprises because of the prompt and courteous response, helpful attitude and professionalism of our staff. Every component of the gift process - from the inquiry by the donor, through the pick-up, receipt and appreciative, grateful response, is a rewarding experience for the donor. Because of the positive experience of making a non-cash gift to the Sheriffs Ranches Enterprises, donors develop a direct giving relationship with the Florida Sheriffs Youth Ranches.

When customers think of shopping for a bargain, they think of Sheriffs Ranches Enterprises because of our clean, neat stores; friendly, welcoming and professional staff; well-displayed merchandise and competitive prices. In addition to the thrift stores, customers

enjoy the same delightful shopping experience when purchasing items at our vehicle sales lot or through internet sales. Every component of the shopping experience is an enjoyable interaction for the customer.

## Community Involvement

Sheriffs Ranches Enterprises will be an active and positive influence in the community by providing opportunities for individuals to help Florida’s needy boys and girls.

When individuals look for volunteer opportunities, they think of Sheriffs Ranches Enterprises because of their ability to contribute to the fulfillment of our mission. Volunteers enjoy a friendly and safe work environment where they can share or learn new skills. Through a positive volunteer relationship, they experience the joy of making a difference in the lives of the boys and girls served by the Florida Sheriffs Youth Ranches.

When prospective employees look for a job, they think of the Sheriffs Ranches Enterprises because of our mission and our reputation as an excellent employer, which provides competitive pay and outstanding benefits, as well as the opportunity for professional development for each employee.

# OUR VALUES



## Reputation

Ensuring that positive public relations and community goodwill are created throughout the state of Florida by representing the Sheriffs of Florida and the Florida Sheriffs Youth Ranches in a manner of which we can be proud.

## Character

Hiring, developing, promoting and rewarding service-oriented staff who exhibit positive character traits which further the mission, vision and values of the Sheriffs Ranches Enterprises.

## Service to Donors

Ensuring donors are treated with promptness, courtesy and appreciation.

## Customer “Delight”

Providing an enjoyable shopping experience to each and every customer.

## The “Platinum Rule”

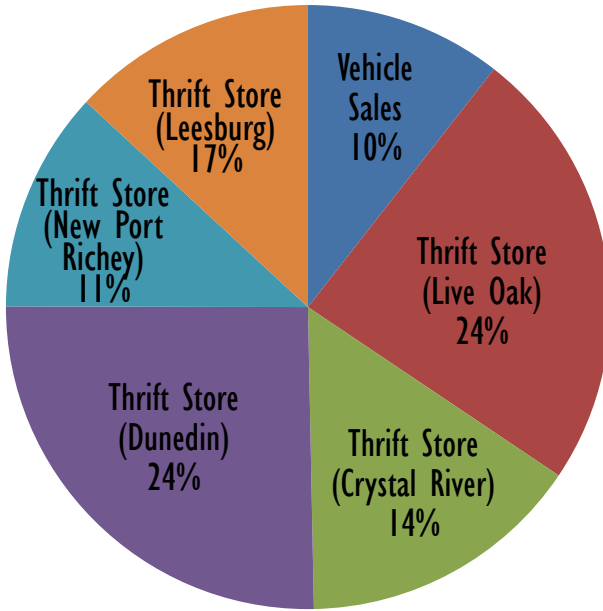
Treating people the way they want to be treated – with respect, consideration and prompt service.

## Commitment

Demonstrated every day through personal responsibility of doing the right thing at the right time for the right reasons.



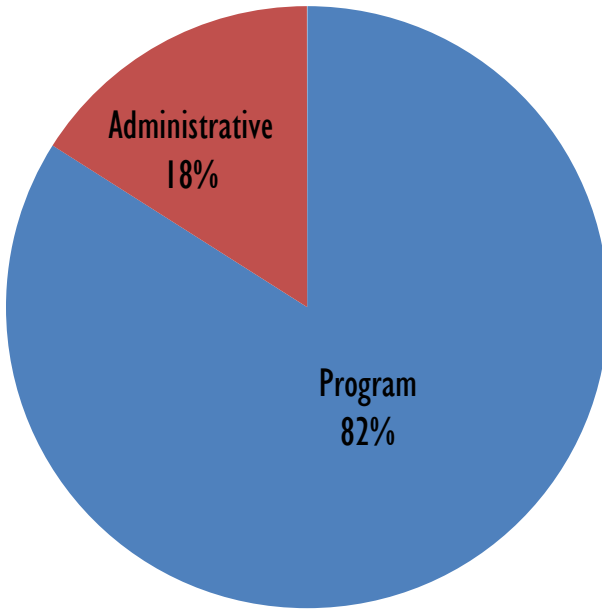
# REVENUE



Vehicle Sales	\$ 346,087
Thrift Store - Crystal River	\$ 482,503
Thrift Store - Dunedin	\$ 798,643
Thrift Store - Leesburg	\$ 557,618
Thrift Store - Live Oak	\$ 786,595
Thrift Store - New Port Richey	\$ 358,143
Cash Contributions and Other Revenue	\$ 35,744

<b>Total Revenue</b>	<b><u><u>\$ 3,365,333</u></u></b>
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# EXPENSES



Administrative/General and Development	\$	579,530
Vehicle Sales	\$	143,583
Thrift Store - Crystal River	\$	426,847
Thrift Store - Dunedin	\$	456,796
Thrift Store - Leesburg	\$	337,982
Thrift Store - Live Oak	\$	460,600
Thrift Store - New Port Richey	\$	409,938
Cash Support to FSYP	\$	475,000

<b>Total Expenses</b>		<b>\$ 3,290,276</b>
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# YOUTH SERVICE STATISTICS

*The mission of Sheriffs Ranches Enterprises is to provide financial support, goodwill and community involvement for the boys and girls served by the Florida Sheriffs Youth Ranches. In fiscal year 2014-2015, the transfers of support to the Florida Sheriffs Youth Ranches:*

<b>\$475,000</b>	<b>Cash Gifts</b>
<b>\$22,770</b>	<b>Gifts In-Kind</b>
<b>\$497,770</b>	<b>Total Support</b>

## Florida Sheriffs Youth Ranches Youth Services Statistics Fiscal Year 2014-2015

Youth Served in Residential Services	<b>269</b>
Total Served in Community-Based Services	<b>643</b>
Total Youth Served through Camping Programs	<b>5,970</b>
Average Age of Youth in Residence	<b>14 years, 4 months</b>
Average Length of Stay in Residence	<b>10.6 months</b>
Youth Served in On-Campus Learning Centers	<b>136</b>
Youth on A/B Honor Roll	<b>44</b>
Youth on College Scholarship	<b>19</b>
Youth Volunteering in Community	<b>52</b>
<b>Total Cases Opened Since 1957</b>	<b>141,886</b>



# HUMAN RESOURCES

Sheriffs Ranches Enterprises continues to rely heavily on our volunteers who generously donate their time in our Thrift Stores. Volunteers perform a variety of vital tasks, including restocking shelves, sorting donated merchandise, hanging clothes, checking electronics and many other tasks. In fiscal year 2014-2015, we were very blessed with 24,611 hours of volunteer service performed by our terrific volunteers.

In addition to volunteers, the following are budgeted paid positions (including full time and part time):

<b>Administrative/Development</b>	<b>4</b>
<b>Vehicle &amp; Internet Sales</b>	<b>3</b>
<b>Thrift Store – Crystal River</b>	<b>8</b>
<b>Thrift Store – Dunedin</b>	<b>11</b>
<b>Thrift Store – Leesburg</b>	<b>9</b>
<b>Thrift Store – Live Oak</b>	<b>14</b>
<b>Thrift Store – New Port Richey</b>	<b>9</b>
<b>Total paid positions (full time &amp; part time)</b>	<b>58</b>



# VEHICLE AND INTERNET SALES

## Vehicle Sales

In October 2008, Sheriffs Ranches Enterprises opened a vehicle sales lot in Live Oak. This avenue for selling donated vehicles and farm equipment has proven successful with sales revenue of \$288,377 for fiscal year 2014-2015.



## Internet Sales

The sale of donated items through the internet continues to be an excellent way to sell collectible and unique items. Look for us on e-bay! We are a top-rated seller!



Check out our website at  
[www.sre4kids.org](http://www.sre4kids.org)!

# 2014 - 2015 BOARD OF DIRECTORS

Mr. Tim Templeton  
*Tallahassee, Chairman*

Sheriff Al Nienhuis  
*Hernando County, Vice-Chair*

Mr. John Burley  
*Live Oak, Secretary/Treasurer*

Ms. Lisa Compagno  
*Stuart*

Mr. Travis Henry  
*Suwannee County*

Captain James Mallo  
*Pasco County*

*This report is a summary of our financial activity for fiscal year ending September 30, 2015. A complete audit prepared by Batts, Morrison, Wales and Lee, Certified Public Accountants, Orlando, Florida is also available. The audit was conducted in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America.*

For a copy of the complete audit, contact:  
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## PRESIDENT

Bill Frye

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Vice President SRE and Administrative Services.....Mark Davis  
Director of Retail Operations ..... Jeremy Buzbee

**SRE Thrift Store – Live Oak**..... (386) 364-7700

**Vehicle Sales Lot** ..... (386) 364-5954

9291 97th Lane ★ Live Oak, FL 32060

**SRE Thrift Store – Crystal River**..... (352) 795-8886

200 SE Highway 19 ★ Crystal River, FL 34429

**SRE Thrift Store – Dunedin**..... (727) 736-2527

2622 Bayshore Blvd. ★ Dunedin, FL 34698

**SRE Thrift Store – New Port Richey**..... (727) 848-0000

3621-B US Hwy 19 ★ New Port Richey, FL 34652

**SRE Thrift Store – Leesburg**..... (352) 787-0633

27900 US Highway 27, Suite 115 ★ Leesburg, FL 34748

**SRE Thrift Store – Ocala**..... (352) 857-8060

8585 SW Highway 200, Suite 15C ★ Ocala, FL 34481



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