



## Tomcat Bridgebuilders 2022 Annual Report

**Our Mission:** Strengthening our community through substance abuse prevention, education, leadership support, and creating opportunities for youth to thrive.

**Our Vision:** A healthy, safe community free of substance abuse.

**Our Goals:**

- ✓ A supportive, safe, and drug-free environment
- ✓ Engage the community, including law enforcement, the faith community, parents, teenagers, and younger children.
- ✓ Sponsor activities and events as healthy alternatives to alcohol and/or drug use
- ✓ Make referrals for counseling and/or treatment.

### **2022 Community Support and Events**

- ✓ Held 11 monthly meetings to discuss successes and challenges as it relates to substance use prevention.
- ✓ Hosted multiple guest speakers during monthly community meetings.
- ✓ Worked with stakeholders to identify and address housing issues through continued involvement with the Athens County Landbank to improve living conditions in the community.
- ✓ Supported and attended the Trimble Trunk or Treat event.
- ✓ Attended Trimble Literacy Night and provided books to all the children that attended.
- ✓ Partnered with county library to host guest speaker, Sam Quinones
- ✓ WSEO, Power 1077 aired two radio advertisements providing resources about TBB and Substance Use Disorder
- ✓ Published the accomplishments of the Tomcat Bridgebuilders in the Red & Gray Boosters Sports Program.
- ✓ Partnered with Athens HOPE to co-host the Community Day of Hope at Glouster Memorial Stadium
- ✓ Created GivePulse website to recruit volunteers.
- ✓ Continued to update and post resources on the Tomcat Bridgebuilders Facebook page.
- ✓ Attended partnership meetings for United Way and Ohio Center of Excellence for Behavioral Health
- ✓ Provided support to the Glouster Revitalization Organization
- ✓ Provided funds to support the Trimble Village Park improvement shelter house project.
- ✓ Provided support for the Jacksonville Village improvement project.
- ✓ Supported Color in the Hills festival.
- ✓ Supported and attended “Soctober” Sober in October event.

### **2022 Youth Prevention Activities**

- ✓ Provided funding and support for Red Ribbon Week, Promoting a tobacco, alcohol and drug free lifestyle, healthy activities, information dissemination, water bottles, bracelets, and pencils to Trimble students.
- ✓ Provided funding for a two-part series bike safety workshop.
- ✓ Supported the Trimble Local School supply giveaway.
- ✓ Provided a \$500 Tomcat Bridgebuilders scholarship to a Trimble Local High School student.
- ✓ Provided funding to Red and Gray Boosters to support sport programming.
- ✓ Provided funding for the After Prom event; Providing Trimble students access to safe, fun, activities.
- ✓ Provided support to the Christmas in the Village community event.
- ✓ Provided support to Trimble Girl Power and Band of Brother’s youth groups.
- ✓ Provided funding to the Old Settler Reunion
- ✓ Provided funding for Color in the Hills festival.
- ✓ Provided funding for children’s books for Literacy night.

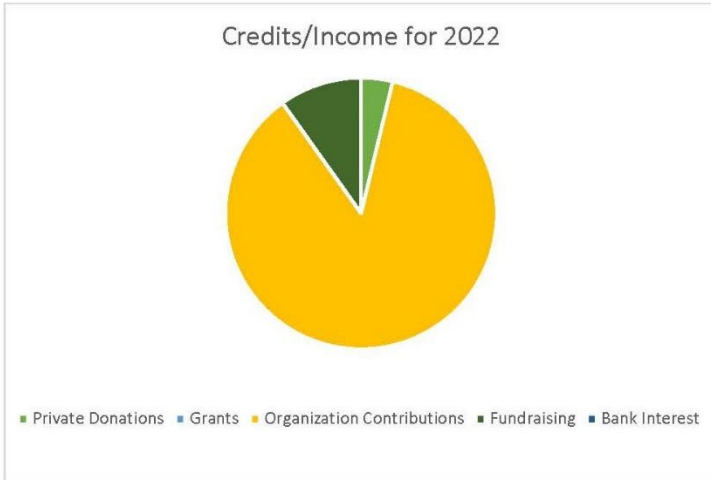
### **2022 Fundraising Activities**

- ✓ Partnered with United Way to promote Tomcat Bridgebuilders and obtain support.
- ✓ Completed grant writing for The Rocky Community Improvement Fund and Athens Foundation
- ✓ Received a grant from Ohio Center of Excellence for Behavioral Health prevention and promotion.
- ✓ Partnered with the Kroger Rewards Program
- ✓ Created and distributed a Tomcat Bridgebuilders donation letter.
- ✓ Received a generous donation from the Glouster Eagles

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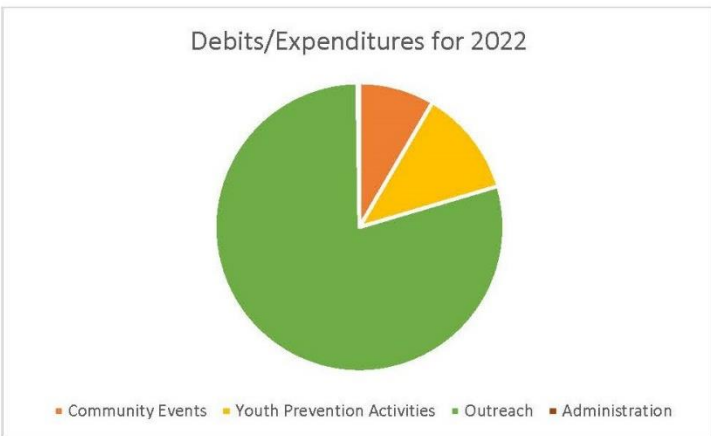
## 2022 Annual Report

January 1, 2022-December 31, 2022



### Credits/Income for 2022

Private Donations	\$ 65.00
Grants	\$ 0.00
Organization Contributions	\$ 1,500
Fundraising	\$ 170.46
Bank interest	\$ .56
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$ 1,736.02</b>



### Debits/Expenditures for 2022

Community Events	\$ 2,400
Youth Prevention Activities	\$ 3,407.55
Outreach	\$ 22,560.94
Administration	\$ 70.00
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$ 28,438.49</b>

## Members of Our Board



Becky Handa, President~ Kathy Trace, Vice President ~Jeff Ross, Treasurer ~Diana Chalfant, Secretary  
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