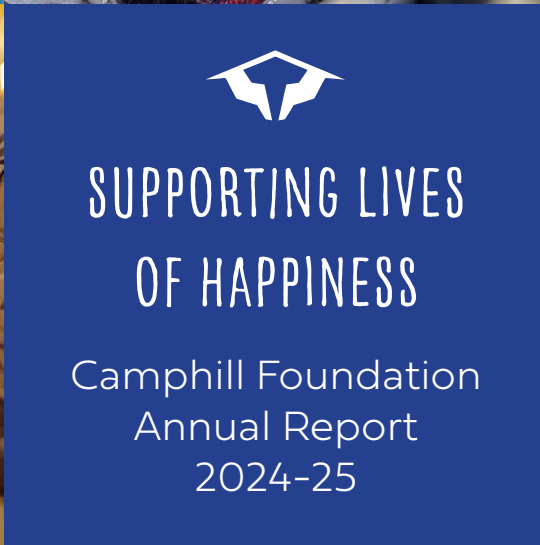




THANK YOU FOR HELPING HAPPINESS HAPPEN

Dear Camphill Family and Friends,

The pursuit of happiness is a central theme in any human life. Philosophers, politicians, and social scientists have tried for thousands of years to define what makes a person happy. **At Camphill, our definition is simple: Happiness means friendship, meaningful and substantive work, and lasting relationships. Happiness means every unique gift and contribution is welcomed and celebrated in the community.**

This year, your support helped Camphill community members experience happiness in their lives in significant ways.

- At Raphael Village in New Orleans, Louisiana, the only Camphill-inspired community in the southern United States, happiness means finding meaningful employment at community-based businesses. This year's grant funded a job coach who works with young people building their vocational skills.
- At Camphill Ghent, an integrated community for elders in upstate New York, happiness means aging with dignity and respect. This year's grant funded residents' ability to choose their preferred personal and self-care products.
- At the Otto Specht School, in Chestnut Ridge, New York, a school that serves children with special intellectual needs, happiness means every

student learns at their own pace and in the way that best suits their gifts and interests. This year's grant funded a new website that will share the school's story and help expand their outreach to prospective families.

- At Akvila Camphill Community in Lithuania, the only community-based institution providing day programs for adults with intellectual disabilities in their metropolitan area, happiness means tending land and gardens together, and engaging in environmental practices that bring harmony to the earth. This year's grant funded a new garden shed, accessible to all program members.

Within these four Camphill communities, and in Camphill communities around the world, we measure happiness in smiles, shared moments, and increased opportunity. **The following pages highlight how your generosity supports our friends with different intellectual abilities so they can shine in their own ways, adding value to Camphill, and to the world.**

Thank you for your faithful commitment to helping us support lives of happiness.

With gratitude,



Amy Rubenstein
Board Chair



Karen Murphy
Executive Director



COMMUNITIES YOU SUPPORT

Camphill Communities & Affiliates In North and Latin America

Camphill Agualinda - Bogota, Colombia

Camphill Communities California - Soquel, California

Camphill Communities Ontario - Ontario, Canada

Camphill Ghent - Chatham, NY

Camphill Hudson - Hudson, NY

Camphill Soltane - Glenmoore, PA

The Camphill School - Glenmoore, PA

Camphill Village Kimberton Hills - Kimberton, PA

Camphill Village Minnesota - Sauk Centre, MN

Camphill Village Copake - Copake, NY

The Cascadia Society - North Vancouver, BC, Canada

Heartbeet Lifesharing - Hardwick, VT

Ita Wegman Assoc. of BC - Duncan, BC, Canada

Otto Specht School - Chestnut Ridge, NY

Plowshare Farm - Greenfield, NH

Raphael Village - New Orleans, LA

Triform Camphill Community - Hudson, NY

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OTTO SPECHT SCHOOL, CHESTNUT RIDGE, NY

Web Design and Digital Branding- \$12,000

"As a small school with an actively involved administration, we rely on a website that clearly communicates who we are and makes it simple to enroll, apply for a job, or make a donation. A strong website frees us to focus on what matters most—creating an extraordinary educational experience and a true place of belonging for students who do not thrive in traditional or special education settings." - Chela Crane & Shelley Gutknecht, Administrative team



Otto Specht School offers academic and artistic learning opportunities for students with developmental delays, sensory sensitivities, and learning challenges, empowering them to reach their full potential and experience success in the wider world. Alongside core academics, students gain practical skills through cooking, weaving, woodworking, metalworking, farming, and animal care. These activities foster confidence, independence, and creativity.

As a small school, Otto Specht relies on effective digital tools to communicate its unique educational approach, attract new students, and strengthen relationships with families and supporters. With grant funding from Camphill Foundation, the school launched a redesigned website and developed high-quality media content for fundraising and community outreach. These improvements allow Otto Specht to better showcase the transformative power of its community, highlight student achievements, and share its mission of dignity and inclusion for people of all abilities.



CAMPHILL GHENT, CHATHAM, NY

Personal Care Needs for Elders - \$20,000

"I can't overstate the value of having sufficient options of personal care items for our elders. Hygiene is a matter of health and dignity. Not all of us are built the same, which is why we need [products] that suit each of us. We are grateful for this generous gift, which not only benefits our wonderful residents but also eases the workload for our very busy and dedicated care staff." - Amanda Pierro, Executive Director, Camphill Ghent



Camphill Ghent is a vibrant, inclusive community where elders of all abilities live with wellness, dignity, and fulfillment. Daily personal care is an important part of supporting residents' overall health and quality of life, helping them feel comfortable, confident, and respected. Funding support from Camphill Foundation makes it possible to provide high-quality care items that are essential to maintaining both physical and emotional well-being.

Providing products that are designed for ease of use, and tailored to each individual's needs and preferences, strengthens independence and encourages healthy routines. By ensuring access to items that residents not only require but also choose for themselves, Camphill Ghent enhances each person's sense of autonomy, freedom, and belonging in community life.



RAPHAEL VILLAGE, NEW ORLEANS, LA

The Hive: Pathways to Employment - \$15,000

"I am excited to be joining the team at the Hive at Raphael Village! From the moment I stepped in, I have felt incredibly welcomed...I look forward to learning, collaborating and growing alongside individuals who are committed to creating opportunities, fostering independence, and building inclusive communities." - Natalie Harrison

Located in New Orleans, Raphael Village supports differently abled individuals in living fully engaged lives within their community. Its newest program, The Hive, helps participants explore job opportunities and secure meaningful employment that matches their interests and strengths. By partnering with local employers, The Hive provides pre-vocational training, skills development, job coaching, and hands-on experience.

Funding from Camphill Foundation enabled Raphael Village to hire new staff, expand training and professional development, launch marketing initiatives, and upgrade technology and equipment. Through The Hive, individuals with disabilities are gaining the tools to succeed in competitive job markets, build lasting relationships, and achieve greater financial independence.





CAMPBILL AKVILA, LITHUANIA

Garden Tool House - €4,000 (approximately \$4,700)

Founded in 2016, Akvila Camphill brings together people with and without intellectual disabilities to create a supportive community where everyone can contribute to the best of their ability. In 2024, Akvila opened its first residential home, Akvila House, nestled on 10 acres of gardens and orchards. Residents help care for the land (tending lawns, gardens, and plants) using equipment previously stored in various locations, including within the residential house.

With support from Camphill Foundation, Akvila Camphill constructed a dedicated Garden Tool House, providing a central place to store equipment and tools. This new space allows residents to access what they need, complete their work, and return items independently, without relying on borrowed tools, transportation, or storage inside living spaces. By fostering greater independence, the Garden Tool House strengthens residents' sense of dignity and empowers them to participate more fully in community life.

"Now I can put the tools back in place myself, and most importantly, our lawn mower. I can take it out on my own, because the shed is convenient, and I can mow the lawn independently. I hardly need any help from the staff anymore." -Andrej, villager who lives in residential House and uses Garden Tool House every day



THE FULL IMPACT OF YOUR SUPPORT

Your donor dollars support a wide range of critical projects across the North American Camphill region and worldwide. Below is the full list of grant awards for 2024-25. For more information about individual grants, please contact us!

2024-25 Community Grants	Country	Amount	Purpose
Camphill School Hermanus	South Africa	\$3,355	New Playground
Akvila Camphill	Lithuania	\$4,400	New Garden Tool House
Triform Camphill Community	United States	\$5,000	New Commercial Freezer
Camphill Rozkalni	Latvia	\$7,800	New Workshop Space
Camphill Soltane	United States	\$8,399	Technology Upgrade
Camphill Academy Afrika	United States	\$10,000	Training in Curative Education
Heartbeet Lifesharing	United States	\$10,000	Workshop Space Upgrades
Camphill Village Kimberton Hills	United States	\$11,120	Marketing and Community Outreach
Camphill Hudson	United States	\$12,000	Strategic Planning
Otto Specht School	United States	\$12,000	New website
Raphael Village	United States	\$15,000	Pathways to Employment Job Coaching
Camphill Communities Ontario	Canada	\$17,950	Accessibility Ramp for Café Day Program
Respirar Comunidad	Argentina	\$18,500	Workshop and Day Program Support
Camphill Rwanda	Rwanda	\$20,000	New Office and Classroom Building
Camphill Ghent	United States	\$20,000	Personal Care for Elders in Residence
Camphill Village Minnesota	United States	\$20,000	Barn Renovation
Karl König Institute	United States	\$25,000	Core Support
Camphill Village West Coast	South Africa	\$36,330	Upgrades and Repairs to Community Hall
Camphill Friends of India	India	\$50,000	New Lifesharing Community
Camphill Academy Core Support	United States	\$85,000	Core Support
Heartbeet Lifesharing	United States	\$100,000	New Lifesharing Home
The Camphill School	United States	\$100,000	Campus Infrastructure and Building Improvements
Total Cash Grants		\$591,854	

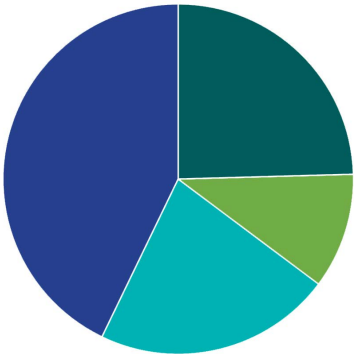


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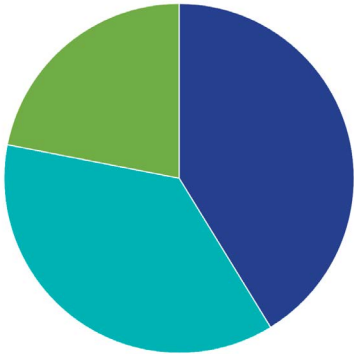
Financial Highlights: June 1, 2024 - May 31, 2025*

Net Total Assets as of May 31, 2025: \$14,330,244

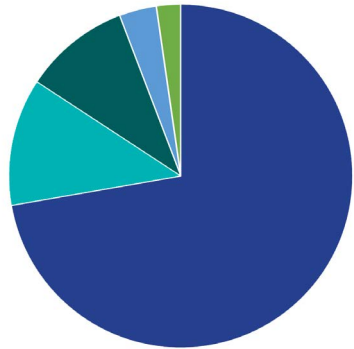
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REVENUE			
● Charitable Income (Individuals, Foundations, Corporations, Bequests)	\$423,200	25%	
● Special Events (NET)	\$183,662	11%	
● Donor Designated Gifts for Other Camphill Entities	\$377,822	22%	
● Investment Revenue	\$738,069	43%	
Total Revenue	\$1,722,753	100%	



EXPENSES			
● Supportive Expenditures	\$710,666	41%	
● Admin and Operating	\$634,265	37%	
● Donor Designated Gifts	\$377,822	22%	
Total Revenue	\$1,722,753	100%	



BREAKDOWN OF SUPPORTIVE EXPENDITURES			
● Community Grants	\$513,550	72%	
● Camphill Academy	\$85,000	12%	
● Coworker Travel/Conference Support	\$70,895	10%	
● Karl König Institute in North America	\$25,000	4%	
● College Loan Support	\$16,221	2%	
Total Revenue	\$710,666	100%	

To view our full donor list, please visit camphillfoundation.org/annual-report.
Thank you for your generosity. We can't do it without you!



Camphill Foundation is fortunate to be the beneficiary of three generations of visionary donors whose support helped grow our Foundation endowment from an initial \$951 to today's \$14,330,244. With your help, we continue to support Camphill communities in North America and around the world to thrive and model a unique way of life for people of all intellectual abilities.