

2019



**MAKE A MIRACLE
DONOR IMPACT REPORT**



A LETTER FROM THE PRESIDENT

As co-founder of Make a Miracle, it has been incredibly rewarding to see our growth over the past 5 years. By our first year end, we had 3 students on scholarship. Now, 5 years later, we have a total of 70 in our program! Our "Team Miracle" has become a small army of amazing young people that want to make a difference in the world. They helped us build 27 homes in 2019, changing lives all over San Juan de Lurigancho. I am so proud of the fact that our Star Kids program is completely student run at all 3 locations. They are stellar role models for the kids in our clubs, and encourage them daily.

We are taking 2020 to focus on Community Projects benefiting entire neighborhoods.

- Veterinary clinics
- A new Miracle community center with a medical clinic
- A 4th Star Kids
- Playgrounds
- Paving Roads
- Stairs with railings

We couldn't do all this without you. Thank you for your continued support of miracles in Peru!

THANK YOU
CAROLYN CANOUSE





OUR STORY

Make a Miracle was founded by husband and wife team Jack and Carolyn Canouse. They traveled to Peru with their children on several short term mission trips and built lasting relationships in the community of San Juan de Lurigancho.

Jack and Carolyn saw a need and believe education is part of the solution to bring lasting change to the community. Make a Miracle was created to gain support from others who want to team up with the Canouses and be a part of this community's transformation through education, housing and children's programs.

OUR MISSION

Our mission is to bring hope and lasting change to San Juan de Lurigancho, Peru. We work with individuals and communities to transform lives through education, scholarships, housing and community projects.



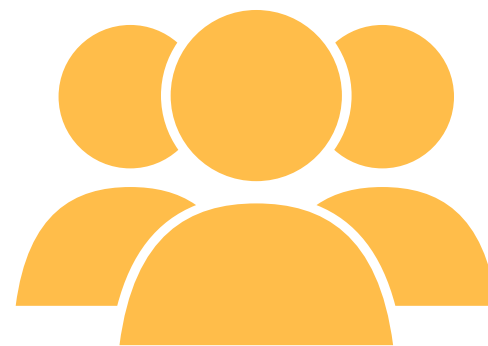
OUR WORK



HOUSING



EDUCATION



COMMUNITY

how our numbers are looking

63

**HOMES
BUILT**

70

**SCHOLARSHIP
STUDENTS**

3

**COMMUNITY
CENTERS**

TRIPS

Make a Miracle hosts service trips to Peru several times a year.

Team trips: In 2019 we hosted 4 team trips for 47 people.

Private trips: For families or friends; your exclusively customized & unique experience, from 2-10 people.

Email info@makeamiracle.net for information.



LEADERSHIP TEAM IN PERU



GIOVANNA CACERES
Director of Operations



RACHEL CANOUSE
Director of Global Relations &
Program Development



LADY CACERES
Coordinator of Children's
Education

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*If your actions inspire others to dream more, learn more, do more
and become more, you are a leader. – John Quincy Adams*

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HOUSING



Make a Miracle provides prefabricated homes for Peruvian families in need. In 2019 we built a total of 27 houses, including 2 community centers. We continually follow up with the families we build for in order to offer ongoing support where needed.

“ Thank you so much-I never dreamed I would have such a beautiful home. I am so happy and thankful that I don't have words.
-Constantina



EDUCATION



Make A Miracle provides full scholarships to young Peruvians that show potential yet have no other means for higher learning. We provide a 4,000 square foot study center as a safe place for them to do school work, eat and have fellowship with their fellow Miracle students.

In 2019 we approved 26 new scholarships for a total of 70 students in our program.

“ Make a Miracle gave me one of the greatest news of my life; that I would be able to study psychology and give back to my community. Thank you to everyone who helps Make a Miracle exist! – Karen Davila



COMMUNITY



We believe in working closely with individual communities to be able to bring hope to and empower its residents. Knowing that no 2 communities are alike, we conduct our own census in order to determine the true and unique needs of the people. We work alongside the community to fulfill as many needs as possible such as housing and sanitation.

STAR KIDS CLUB

By having a kids program in the communities we serve, we are able to invest, not only in the current status of the community, but in its future. We currently host over 140 children each week in our 3 Star Kids Clubs.

Our mission is to encourage children in a safe environment through games, teachings, and worship. We help them reach for the stars by instilling confidence, good values, compassion, and fellowship.

Our vision is to spread love, hope, and joy to empower a future generation of leaders.

2019 GROWTH

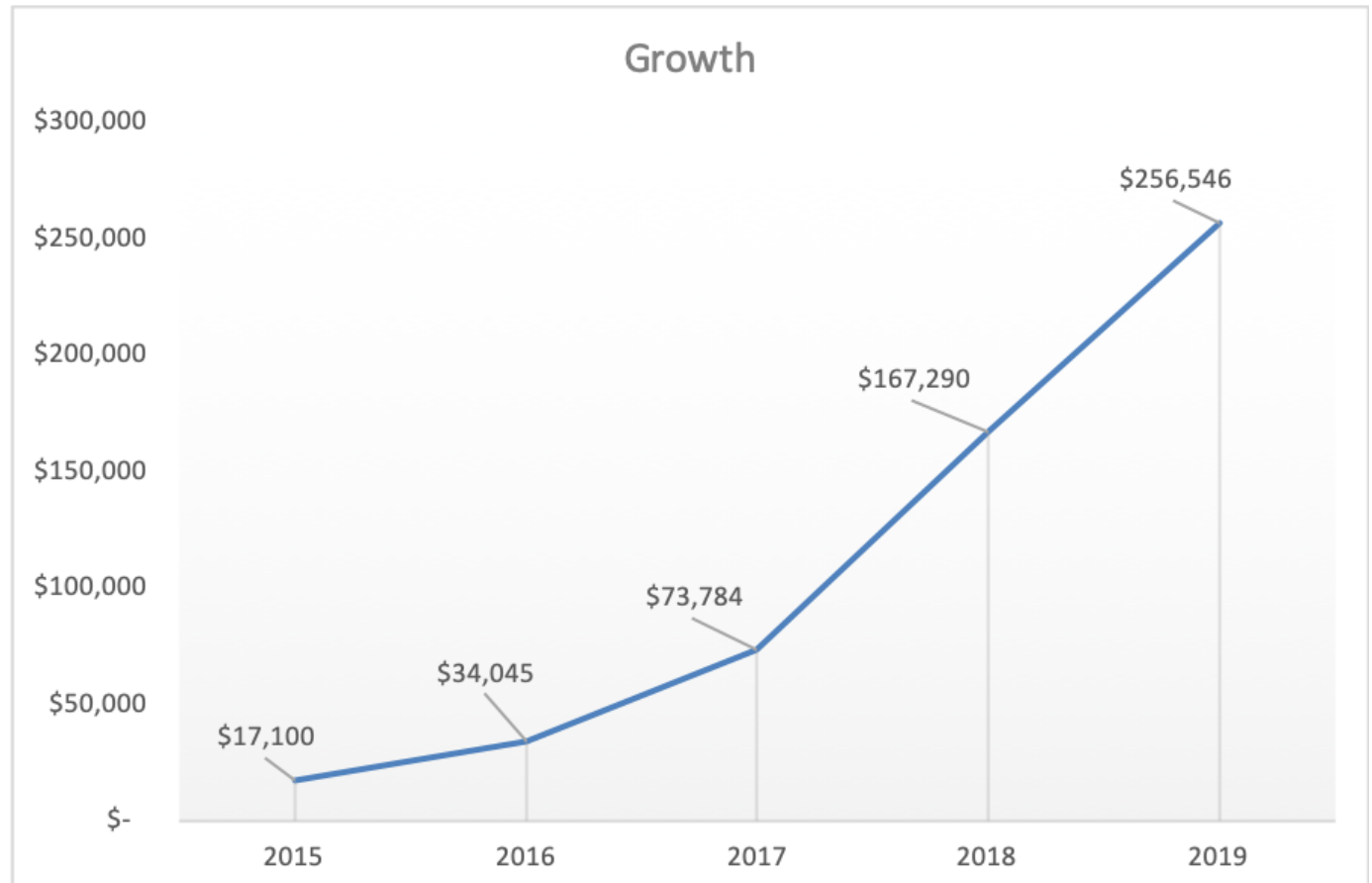
26 new students

27 homes built

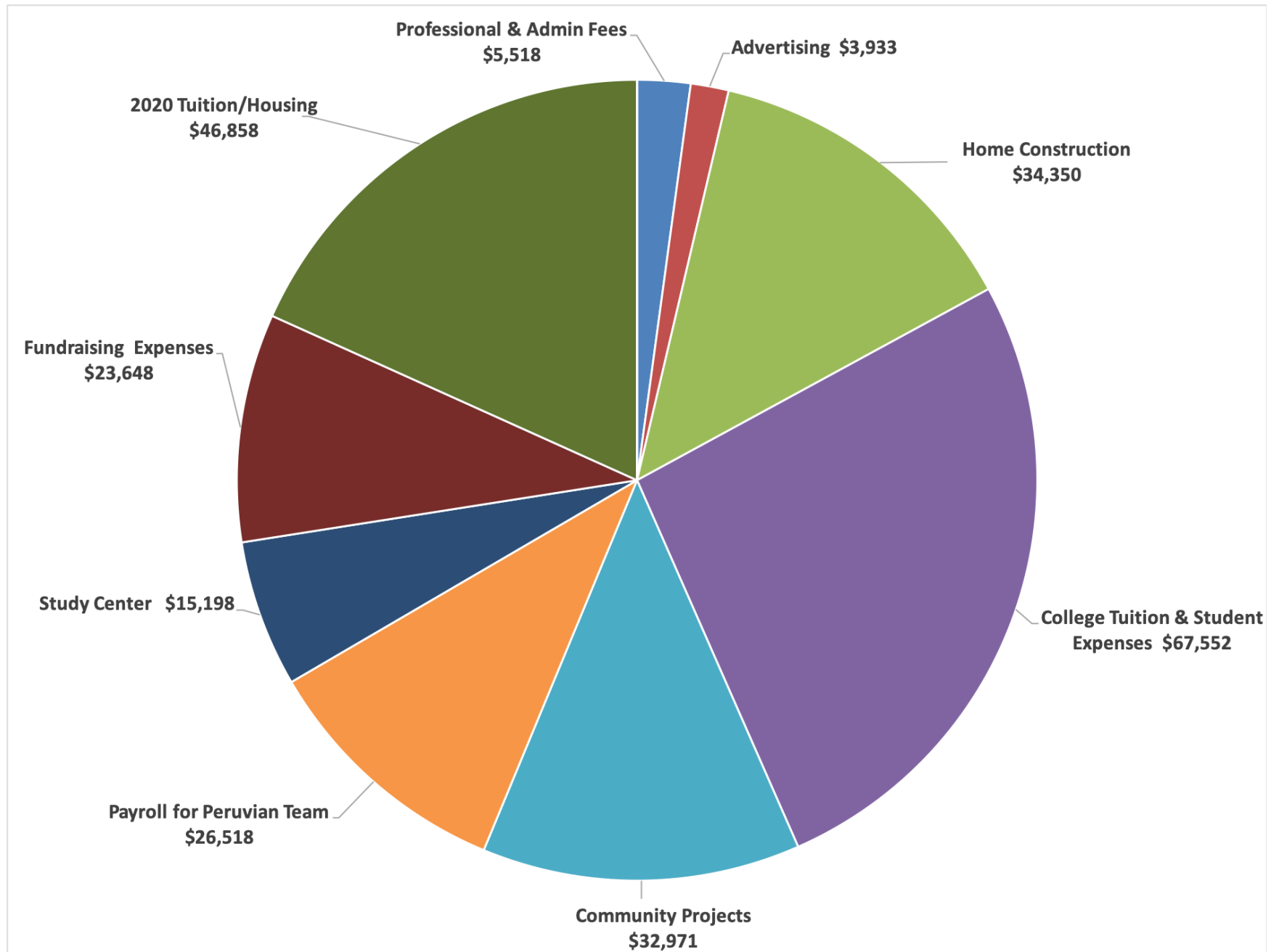
140 children in Star Kids

Raised a Total of:

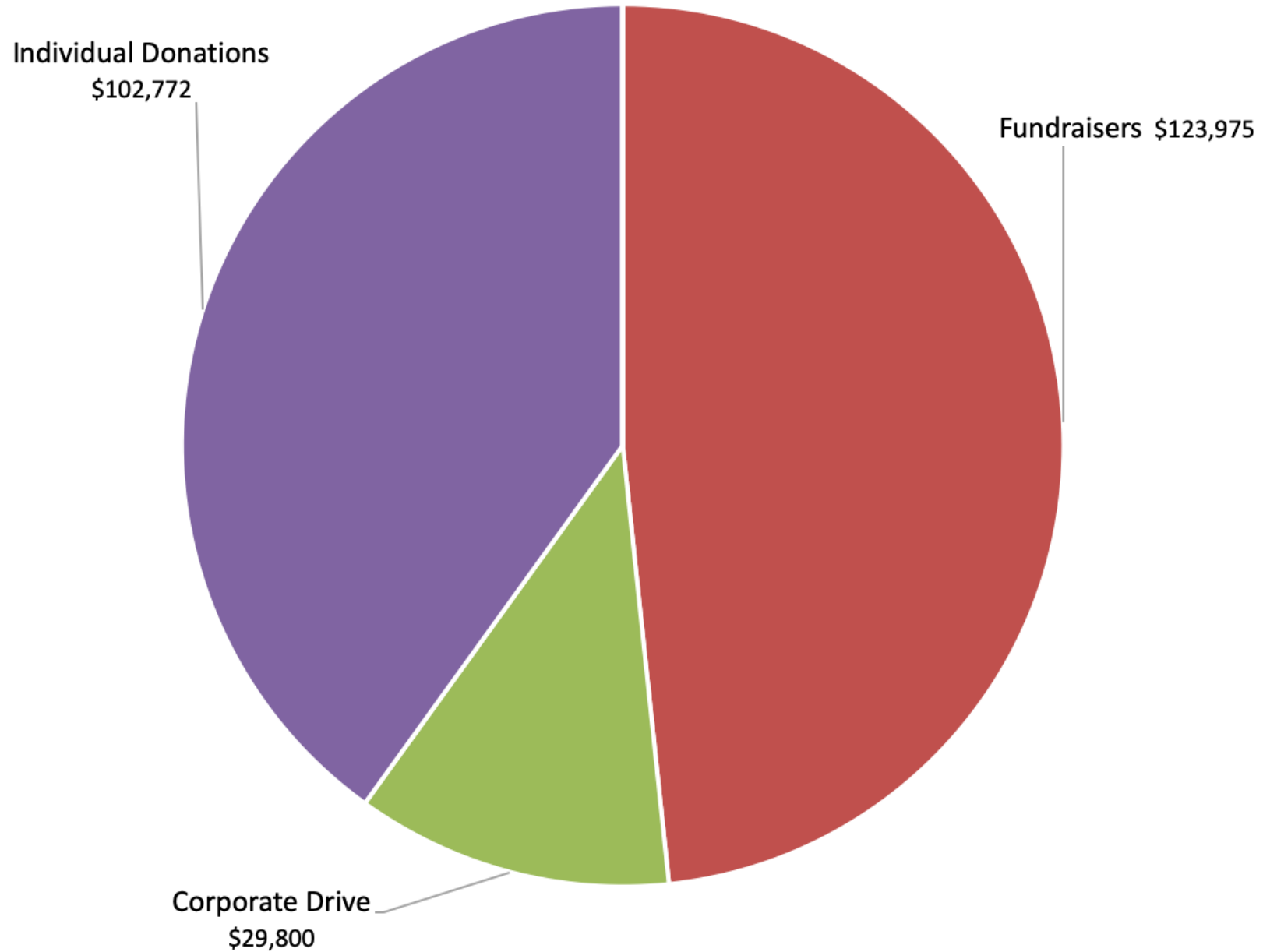
\$256,546



2019 EXPENSES



TOTAL DONATIONS \$256,546



STRATEGIC FOCUS & GOALS FOR 2020



- 1** Build on our momentum in fundraising by teaming up with strategic partners in the US that want to make a difference.
- 2** Continue to expand our educational program by increasing scholarships and supporting them with ample resources to succeed.
- 3** Foster a solid relationship in the communities where we work, and continue to expand into neighboring ones.
- 4** Launch regular medical, dental & veterinary clinics to impact the communities we serve in multiple ways.
- 5** Expand our children's program by starting a Star Teen program, expanding English classes and opening a 4th Star Kids location.