



CASA

Court Appointed Special Advocates
FOR CHILDREN

CASA OF HANCOCK COUNTY

2017

THE POWER OF VOLUNTEERS

PROGRAM STAFF (6)



VOLUNTEERS

SPENT 4,905 HOURS ADVOCATING



CHILDREN HELPED



313

HANCOCK FOSTER CHILDREN CURRENTLY
WITHOUT A CASA VOLUNTEER

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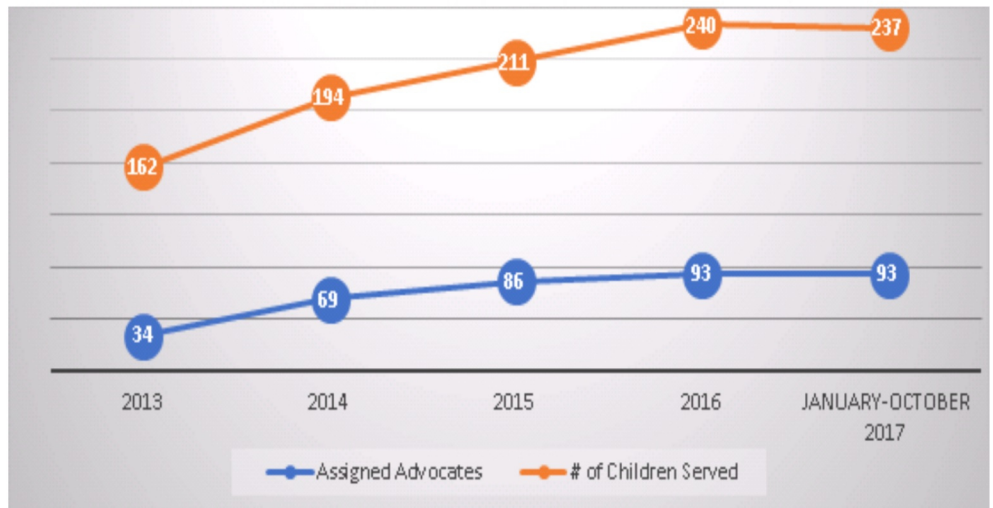
WHAT WE DO



WHO WE ARE

OUR MISSION: To provide abused and neglected children with quality advocacy in the court system and to secure a safe, permanent, and nurturing home for them by recruiting, training, and supporting a diverse network of Court Appointed Special Advocate volunteers.

For children who've been abused or neglected, CASA means having a home instead of feeling lost, and being a priority instead of feeling invisible.



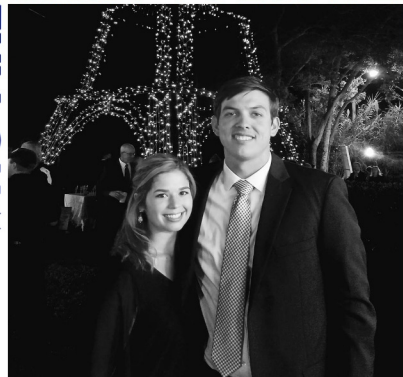
An additional (7) advocates will be sworn on November 28th & will be assigned to children's cases during the month of December.

In 2017, (72) CASA children's cases closed with 97% of the children achieving safe & permanent homes.

102 court reports were drafted by CASA volunteers & 86% of their recommendations became orders of the court.

CASA VOLUNTEERS?

WHO ARE



MEET AMY & SAM DOESCHER

- Married 3 years
- 2+ years they've served as CASA volunteers
- This husband and wife co-advocate team has advocated for 7 children
- Amy is a residential and interior designer & Sam is the Camp Director at Saint Stanislaus
- Amy serves on Bay St. Louis Planning & Zoning Commission & Sam serves as the Saint Stanislaus Youth Basketball Coach

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CHILDREN'S PROJECTS



CANDLES OF HOPE

110 CASA children received birthday cakes in 2017!



SCHOOL SUPPLY DRIVE

Over 100 school bags and supplies were provided to every school age child in 2017!

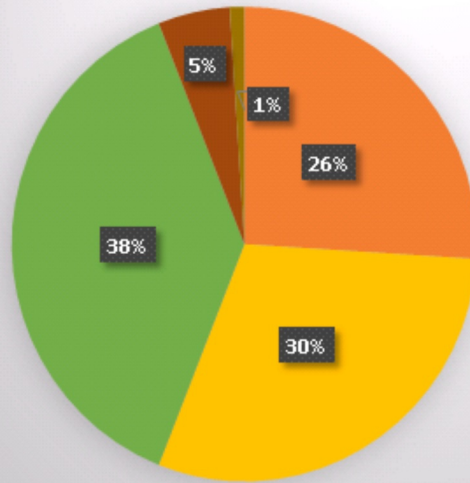


FOSTER THE CAUSE

175 CASA children will receive gifts from their wish list and will be invited to a Christmas party!

YOUR GIFT MAKES AN IMPACT

How is CASA funded?



- Grants
- Fundraisers
- Donations
- Government Contributions
- Other Types of Income

OUR VISION: All children will thrive in a nurturing and loving family that provides them with a safe and permanent home. We will do so through high quality advocacy and evidence-based programming supported by sustainable funding as a model nonprofit for best practice in service, leadership, and operations.

THREE MORE WAYS YOU CAN HELP:

VOLUNTEER/RECRUIT Become a CASA volunteer advocate or share CASA with your friends, family and coworkers. Your voice will make a difference to an abused and neglected child.

DONATE/FUNRAISE Give online, via mail, or visit our office! You can also participate in fundraising events like the Krewe of CASA Mardi Gras Gala or our Superhero 5k Race.

JOIN Our CASA community by 'Liking' us on Facebook & stay up-to-date with our latest news!

