Dearest Friends and EOD Family,

Because of you, 2018 was another amazing year impacting EOD warriors and their families. Thank you for your continued support!

We remain honored to serve this amazing community. As you know, EOD technicians remain on the forefront of numerous conflicts and our EOD families continue to hold down the home front. We are committed to supporting these brave warriors and their families throughout their lifetime.

As many of you know, Hurricane Michael devastated our EOD family at both Panama City Florida and Tyndall AFB, Florida. Something you may not know, is that the EODWF stepped in to help support over 100 families and over $250,000 in emergency relief grants.

As you read through this year’s annual report, summarizing the impact your support made in 2018, I hope you will feel the same pride that we do, knowing you are changing lives every day. EOD is very tight knit family and I encourage you to stay connected to our Foundation and community through events and personal contact, and when in need, please ask us for help.

On behalf of the Foundation Board of Directors, Honorary Advisory Board, our Ambassadors, and our staff, please accept our sincerest gratitude for your support. Your generosity makes a difference in our EOD family every single day.

Honored to Serve,

Ken Falke
Chairman, Board of Directors
WE ARE ENDURING

The EOD Warrior Foundation is a 501c3 nonprofit that provides ongoing support to the entire EOD Community through various programs. Our support and programs fill the gaps in the support provided by the Department of Defense and Department of Veterans Affairs. We continue to work to ensure financial and overall health of the organization to ensure we can support the EOD Community for years into the future.

In 2018, we served over 3,600 EOD warriors, their families, and their friends through our programs and events, remembered and honored the 341 EOD Warriors killed while carrying out EOD missions, awarded over 131 scholarships to EOD dependents, distributed over $250,000 in emergency grants to those impacted by the Florida and North Carolina hurricanes, and hosted a 5K with hundreds to celebrate an EOD Warrior’s ‘Alive Day.’ The EODWF’s programs, events, education, and outreach are making a lasting and positive difference. Thank you for taking part, giving, and creating a wonderful community for the EODWF to serve.

“On October 10, Hurricane Michael tore through the Florida Panhandle. The days afterwards were filled with figuring out what to do next and how to recover with no power, water, and limited supplies. Within the week, a caravan from the EOD Warrior Foundation came with generators, gas, propane, bug spray, and a huge cooler of ice, water and, best of all, beer! The material things were just a bonus to the fact that EODWF - my friends & teammates - braved hours of traffic to make sure we were alright and deliver needed supplies. After they left, my neighbor asked what that was all about. After I explained who the EODWF was, he simply replied “That’s %$^#ing awesome” and it was. I found out later that I was one of five families visited that day and that it was only the start of all the help provided to the panhandle. Thanks for what you did!”

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FOR THE FOUNDATION’S LONG LIST OF GENEROUS DONORS & THEIR SUPPORT IN 2018.

WE ARE THANKFUL

$20,000 – $50,000

National Defense Industrial Assoc. (NDIA)
Parnham Family Foundation
K3 Strategic Support Group

$10,000 – $19,999

Robin Beckstedt
Bishop Events
Tanya & Sutton Chen
Julia & Ken Falke
Gabriel Gonzales
Jordan Greenstein
Kimberly Spiro

$5,000 – $9,999

$2,500 – $4,999

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WE HONOR OUR DONORS’ WISHES TO REMAIN ANONYMOUS.

Due to limited space we can only recognize $1,000 donors and above in this report, but make it a priority throughout the year to acknowledge every donor’s support. Thank you all for your continued generosity.

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Financial Relief & Grants
Providing for our warriors and their families in times of unexpected crisis. From the 2018 Hurricanes emergency grants to providing initial grants to assist combat wounded warriors or their families if their loved one is killed while on duty. Grants are available to the entire EOD Community.

Educational Scholarships
Providing financial assistance to attain a two or four-year college degree. The application process is open to all spouses, children and grandchildren of EOD Techs.

Hope & Wellness
Ensuring that connections to the EOD community are never lost. Healing retreats, available at no cost, serve as a vital component of the recovery, rebuilding and healing process for the entire EOD Community.

EOD Memorial Care
Caring for and maintaining a lasting memorial to our fallen EOD Techs from World War II into the future. The EOD Memorial is located at Eglin Air Force Base in Florida.

“I cannot thank you enough for offering this scholarship to EOD family members seeking a college education. The relief this scholarship provides is overwhelming, especially in the situation my family and I currently find ourselves in. I am very excited to go forth into this next step in my life.”
- Sophie Keller, Western Washington University, 2018 Scholarship Recipient

“My daughter, Dakotah, came back a completely different teenager! Not only did she make life long friends with others who share the same circumstance, but she’s happy. Finding happiness might seem simple for many, but for my daughter; it has taken a long time to get to this point. It has been amazing to watch her smile and laugh, again! Your willingness and selflessness to help others makes a difference. Thank you for making it possible for these teenagers to find hope and laughter, after losing a parent! It truly means so much!”
- Aimee Myers, wife of TSFT Phillip Myers KIA 4/2009

Gold Star Teen Retreat Participant
Throughout the year, many choose to contribute in memory of loved ones or in honor of special life events and people. Those honored and memorialized are listed below.

**IN MEMORY OF**

**All Those Serving**
**Air Force EOD**

**IN HONOR OF...**

Cameron Ray Chen
Beau Chastain
James Bush
Diana & Dave
David Brown
Louis Brovetto
Andrew Bottrell
Nicole Shaffner
Jonothan Baxley
Quincy Baumeister
Bruce Batterson
Robert Barnes
Jeffrey Christopher
Peter Appleyard
All Who Respond
All Veterans
Who Responded
Peter Appleyard
Mark Badger
P.Theo Bahr
Jeffrey Christopher
Robert Barnes
Bruce Batterson
Jonathan Buxley
Jim Buxley
Wendy Buxley
Bostic
Baker
Curtis Reynolds
1967-1990

**IN HONOR OF...**

Christopher Luke
The Gilmour &
Cooper Gibson
Garrett Mountain
Ben Garfinkel
Chris Gallen
Julia & Ken Falke
EOD Families
EOD Brothers &
Sons of the
Brad Snyder
Matt Skelton
Jeff McCauley
Jonathon Martin
Vincent Martinez
Rod O'Brian
Edwin Phillips
George Powell
Richard Ramey
Tony Randolph
Richard Ramey
George Powell
Nick Null

**STATEMENT OF ACTIVITIES**

**Contributions**

$77,355
$146,226

**Special events**

$863,647
$884,669

**Other revenue**

$360,387
$372,697

**Total gross revenue**

$1,993,390
$1,997,204

**Less special event direct costs**

$(233,535)
$(333,218)

**Net Public Support & Revenue**

$1,727,856
$1,663,986

**NET ASSETS**

$4,535,252
$4,340,163

**LIABILITIES**

$1,454,697
$1,433,747

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$4,340,163

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$4,340,163

**NET ASSETS, End of the Year**

$4,535,252
$4,340,163

**NET ASSETS, Beginning of the Year**

$4,186,328
$4,535,252

**PROGRAM SERVICES**

$1,056,704
$1,695,092

**We are transparent**

"EOD Warrior Foundation’s exceptional 4-star rating sets it apart from its peers and demonstrates its trustworthiness to the public," according to Michael Thatcher, President & CEO of Charity Navigator. "Only a quarter of charities rated by Charity Navigator receive the distinction of our 4-star rating. This adds EOD Warrior Foundation to a preeminent group of charities working to overcome our world’s most pressing challenges. Based on its 4-star rating, people can trust that their donations are going to a financially responsible and ethical charity when they decide to support EOD Warrior Foundation."