

# 2023 ANNUAL REPORT

## *Mission*

*To facilitate the love of Christ by supporting local families experiencing a life-threatening illness of a child.*

Seth Strong Foundation was established in 2018. After Seth Permenter was diagnosed with cancer in 2016, the Bulverde Spring Branch community came together to assist Seth's family as he prepared for a major surgery to remove the cancerous tumor and rebuild his leg. Since then, Seth is a three-time cancer survivor. With the support of the local community, Seth Strong Foundation was established to assist other families who are experiencing a life-threatening illness of a child. Financial gifts are intended to ease the burdens of additional medical expenses and possible loss of caregiver income while they care for their child.

The year 2023 was filled with grateful abundance for Seth Strong Foundation. Boilin' Over Crawfest named the foundation their non-profit beneficiary for their March event held at Cowboys Dancehall in San Antonio. The partnership is extended through 2026. The benefits of bringing awareness to the foundation also enables the foundation to expand its gifting to families outside of the Bulverde Spring Branch area.

In the spring, Seth Strong Foundation joined the Bulverde Spring Branch Chamber of Commerce as a local non-profit. A ribbon cutting was held at the Bulverde Visitor's Center.

The foundation hosted our annual Mother Son Kickball Tournament on May 12 with 36 teams ranging from kindergarten through seniors in high school. Bulverde Little League graciously donated the fields for the annual event. This year, local food trucks were added and a donation of a crane from TNT Crane & Rigging allowed the Seth Strong flag to fly high in the sky that night.

Go Gold in September was celebrated throughout the school district with student groups from Pieper HS, Pieper Ranch MS, and Spring Branch MS donating money to the foundation. A gold out game was also held at Smithson Valley HS.

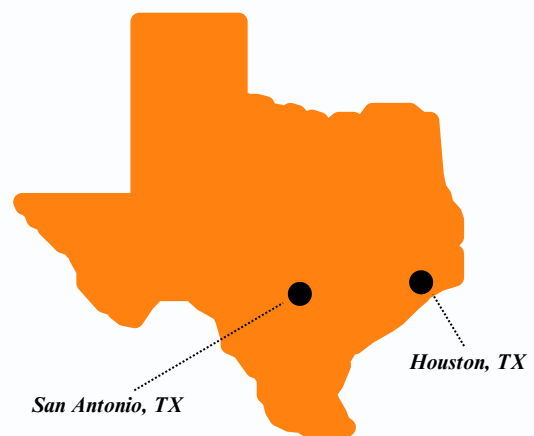
# SETH STRONG

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For the first time, the foundation launched a year-long sponsorship campaign. Businesses, families, and individuals made it a success with a total of \$24,493 in sponsorships. Sponsorships will run from October 2023 through September 2024.

October 28 brought about our annual Halloween 5K. Bulverde Spring Branch Activity Center donated their parking lot to host our event. The day turned out runners, walkers, strollers, and four-legged friends.

## *Donors from Near and Far*



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## 2023

- 10** Families Gifted
- 6** High School Scholarships Awarded
- 1** Mother & Son Kickball Tournament
- 1** 5K

## *To Date: 2018-2023*

- 30** Families Gifted
- 20** High School Scholarships Awarded
- 5** Mother & Son Kickball Tournaments
- 5** 5K's
- 2** Years Beneficiary of Boilin' Over Crawl



# 2023-2024 Sponsors

## Seth Strong Foundation



**Kathleen Banse - State Farm | Ramos Family**  
**Janis McTee | Walton Family | Yoga 4:13**  
**Gdovin/Vizurraga Family | Zenner Family**  
**Wilson Family | Towntastes - believe!**  
**Spring Branch Middle School**  
**Noah's Ark Self Storage**  
**Peterson Family**