

# 2024 Annual Report



**PRIMATE**  
RESCUE CENTER

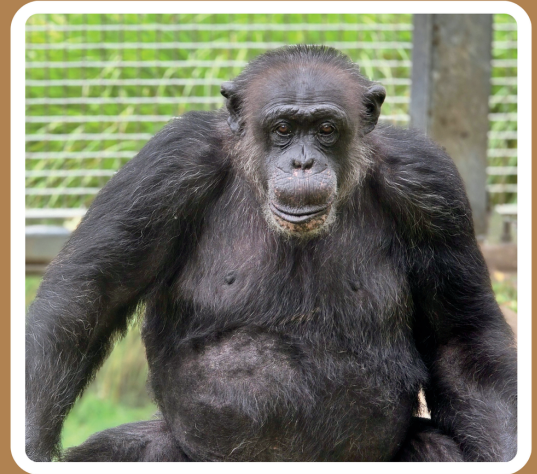


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## MISSION STATEMENT

To alleviate the suffering of primates wherever it occurs by:

- Providing sanctuary or referral to appropriate facilities
- Working to end the trade in primates both in the US and abroad
- Educating the public to the plight of primates caught in the breeder/dealer cycle
- Assisting researchers and zoo personnel in finding appropriate placement for surplus primates
- Encouraging compliance with applicable local, state and federal laws and animal welfare statutes



Donald, 50 year old chimpanzee

26 Years of Sanctuary

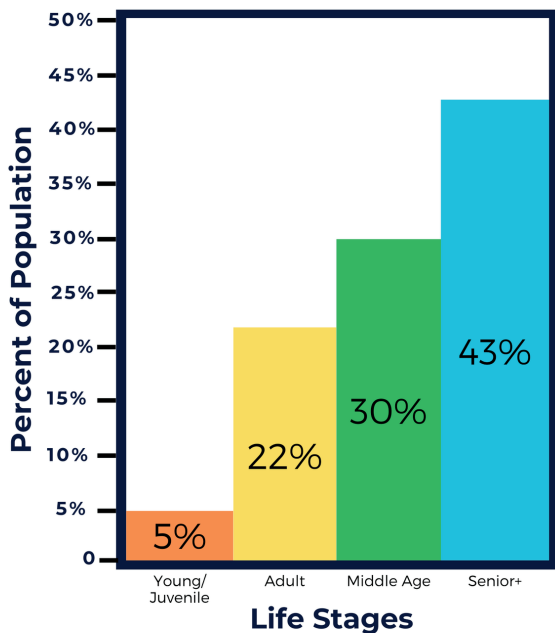
The Primate Rescue Center, Inc. (PRC) remains a beacon of commitment to the welfare of primates. Our devoted staff, volunteers and interns continue their tireless efforts to ensure every primate resident receives appropriate, species-

specific care tailored to support their individual nutritional, medical, social and intellectual needs. With the goal of lifetime, individualized care at the forefront of our promise to each primate who lives at the PRC, we continue to assess and adapt each resident's care plan through each stage of their life.

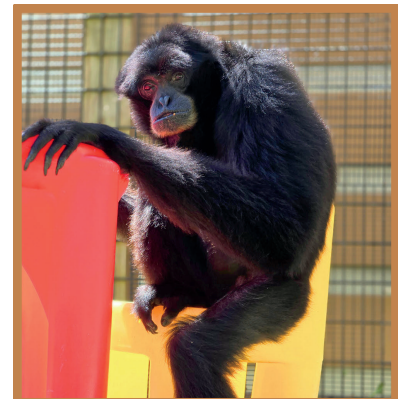
Percentage of PRC Residents in Each Life Stage

(37 RESIDENTS AS OF 9/30/2024)

- = Young/Juvenile
- = Middle Age
- = Adult
- = Senior+



Zulu chimpanzee, age 54



Jenny gibbon, age 53



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We are proud and honored to care for and celebrate these 21 individuals, who marked 20 or more years of sanctuary in 2024 and belong to our "20+ Years of Sanctuary Club"!



Jenny - 1992



Bisou - 1993



Ike - 1996



Jenny - 1996



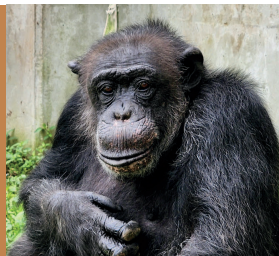
Martina - 1996



Noelle - 1996



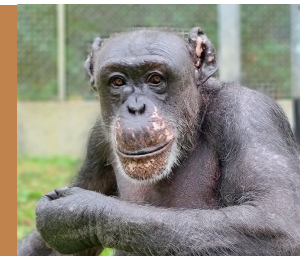
Rodney - 1996



Donald - 1998



Zulu - 1998



Victoria - 1998



Maggie - 1998



Grady - 2000



Zoe - 2001



Cysgo - 2001



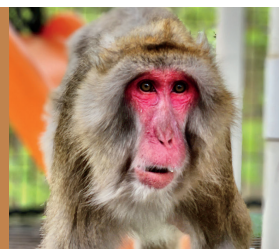
Luke - 2002



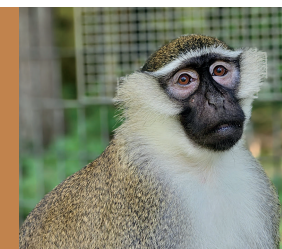
Chester - 2002



Dehlia - 2002



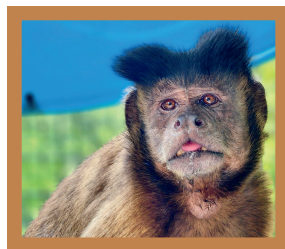
Jake - 2003



Vernon - 2004



Louie - 2004



Norman - 2004

**20+**  
YEARS  
of Sanctuary

**Keeping Our Promise**

A Lifetime of Care, One Day at a Time

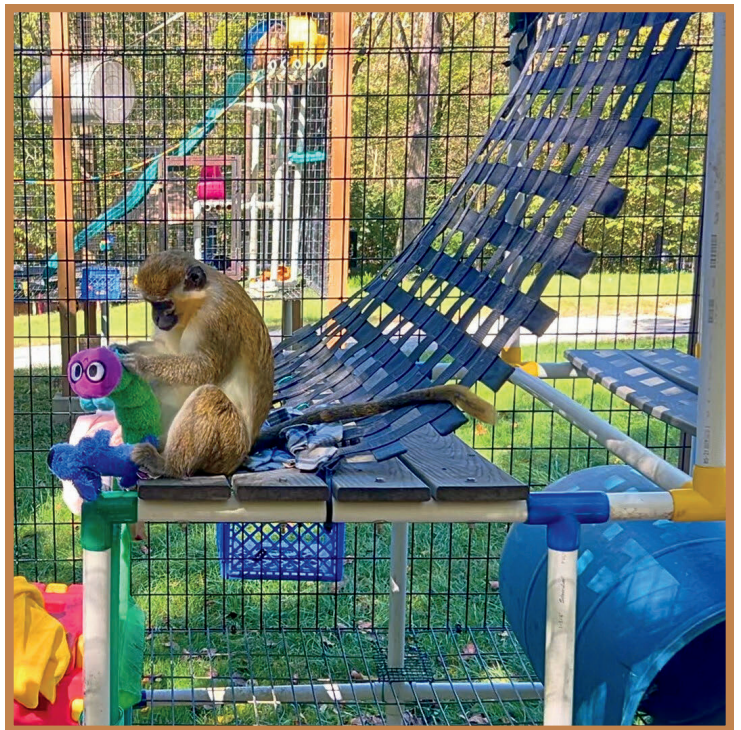
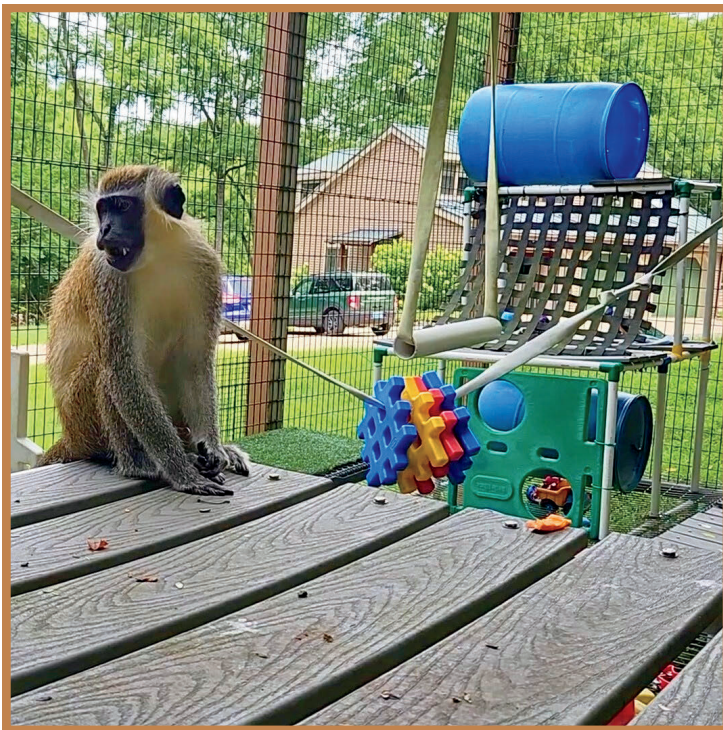


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Maintaining staff buildings and primate enclosures at the sanctuary is an ongoing and critical element of providing our residents with the safe, efficient and reliable care they need and deserve.



*Leaking skylights in our workshop and garage were replaced with newer, eco-friendly options that will last for decades.*



*PVC pipe multi-level platforms were constructed in Mowgli's and Nikki's outdoor enclosure, replacing dated climbing structures and enhancing spacial enrichment.*



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Our crew of caregivers, associate caregivers and administrative staff provide year-round, highly specialized care to the sanctuary residents and support our mission through outreach, education, fundraising and facility management. We are incredibly proud of the work we've accomplished this year and the team we have assembled to continue providing a lifetime of care to primates in need.



*With the addition of Caregivers Elle Beery in October 2023 and Sydney Schwarz in September 2024, we continue to elevate and expand our primate care programs with focus and intention. Elle and Sydney have backgrounds in biology and animal studies, and primate care experience through previous employment or internships at animal sanctuaries and zoos. Our team boasts a combined 61 years experience caring for primates.*



*Executive Director Eileen Dallaire marked two decades with the Primate Rescue Center in January 2024. Her passion for primates was sparked by an internship at the PRC in 2003. Joining the staff as a caregiver in 2004, Eileen's dedication, hard work and vision for the sanctuary's future proved invaluable. Eileen has served as Animal Care & Staff Supervisor, Sanctuary Manager, and Assistant Director. She was named Executive Director in September 2017 upon former Executive Director and PRC Founder April Truitt's retirement.*



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Individuals in the PRC's Volunteer Program play a major role in the sanctuary's daily routine, and beyond. Opportunities include on-site animal care or administrative volunteer positions, off-site enrichment-making, enrichment workshops for small groups of volunteers, and event volunteers who provide support during our annual Member Event.



Our Internship Program immerses students in the daily operation of a primate sanctuary. Interns learn about primate husbandry, nutrition requirements, veterinary care and enrichment needs of primates as well as about safety standards and practices. Interns Emma King (Jan. - May 2024) and Emilie Dixon (May - Aug. 2024) contributed a combined 718 hours of service.





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We were thrilled to welcome a record-breaking number of guests to this year's Member Event, making it our most successful gathering yet! It was wonderful to see so many of our supporters in person — we are truly grateful for the sense of community that membership brings.

**527** Guests in Attendance **55** New Members



**34**

## Silent Auction & Raffle Prizes

New Primate Pal Sponsorships **11**



## 22 Event Supporters

Alternative Jewelry; April Truitt & Clay Miller; Ashlyn Osborne; Barrel House Distillery; Cheesecake Factory; Cincinnati Reds; Cundiff Chiropractic; Darlene Nall; Darlene Parker; Dennis Parrish; Hayden Company; Jake Wiseman; Kathy Parrott; Keeneland; Kendra Scott Jewelry; Kentucky Horse Park; Laura Gooch; Michael Dixon; Michler's Florist; Poe Pottery; Ramsey's; Red Barn; Talon Winery; Sayre Christian Village; World's Apart



## Thank You



Jake Wiseman

Bluegrass | Sotheby's INTERNATIONAL REALTY

## Event Sponsors





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## SHARING OUR MISSION WITH THE LOCAL COMMUNITY... AND BEYOND!

From hosting events at the sanctuary, to conducting educational presentations and interviews with various media programs, schools, and businesses, as well as expanding our organization's website, Primate Pal Program and social media platforms, we aim to create awareness, inspire compassion, and foster advocacy for primates in need. Our outreach programs are designed to encourage compassion for all species, especially in children and young adults, to raise awareness about the accomplishments and needs of the sanctuary and to teach about primate behavior, exploitation and rehabilitation.



Left to Right, Top to Bottom:

Caregiver and Caregiver Associate Elizabeth and Tanner Gatlin promote the PRC at a local vineyard 4K Run. 1922 House Vineyards and Winery hosts the annual run on their beautiful property, with a percentage of the proceeds supporting the PRC

Teen Night educational presentation at the Scott County public library, with a primate enrichment-making workshop for the participants.

Students from Eastern Kentucky University's Animal Studies Class, led by Professor Bob Mitchell, tour the sanctuary and learn about primate behavior and care.

Residents of Sayre Christian Village, a senior living facility, who are members of the organization's Nature Club, spend a beautiful day at the sanctuary visiting the primates they support.

Staff members and friends of the PRC participate in the Bluegrass Sotheby's International Realty Charity Bowling Event to support the PRC.

	9,357 Followers	
	3,205 Followers	
	2,290 Followers	
	2,090 Subscribers	
	59 Followers	
		268 Primate Pal Sponsors



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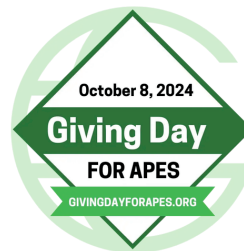
## ACCOLADES



## BUSINESS SPONSORS



## FUNDRAISING EVENTS and WORKPLACE GIVING



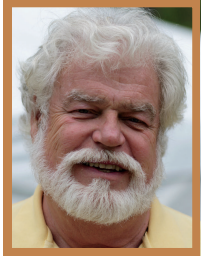
## AFFILIATES





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**GOVERNANCE** - The Primate Rescue Center, Inc. is governed by an all-volunteer Board of Directors who receive no compensation for their services.



J. Clayton Miller, Chairman  
Executive • Lockmasters, Inc.  
Co-Founder • Primate Rescue Center, Inc.  
Board Member since January 1998



April D. Truitt, Secretary  
Co-Founder • Primate Rescue Center, Inc.  
Board Member since January 1998



Lynn Osborne, Treasurer  
Owner • M & E Specialty  
Board Member since September 2016



Wyn Morris, Director  
Owner • Morris Bookshop  
Board Member since September 2017



Dr. Ellen Furlong, Director  
Associate Professor in Psychology • Transylvania University  
Board Member since August 2022



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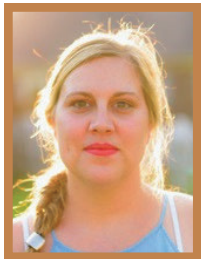
## ADMINISTRATIVE AND CAREGIVING STAFF



Eileen Dunnington Dallaire  
Executive Director  
Staff Member since 2004



Tanner Gatlin  
Caregiver Associate  
Staff Member since 2022



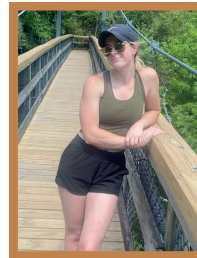
Melanie Parker  
Volunteer Program Coordinator  
Primate Pal Program Coordinator  
Social Media Associate  
Staff Member since 2006



Michelle Meeker  
Caregiver  
Staff Member since 2023



Caitlyn Hume  
Senior Caregiver  
Safety Officer  
Staff Member since 2018



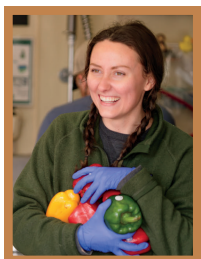
Elle Beery  
Caregiver  
Staff Member since 2023



Michael Staples  
Caregiver Associate  
Staff Member since 2020



Sidney Schwarz  
Caregiver in training  
Staff Member since 2024



Elizabeth Gatlin  
Animal Care Staff Supervisor  
Caregiver  
Staff Member since 2021



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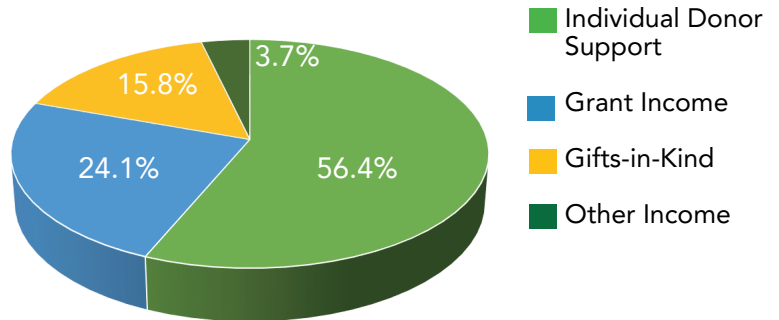
## REVENUE & EXPENSES

Fiscal Year Ending September 30, 2024

Based upon Independently Audited Financial Statements from 10/1/23-9/30/24

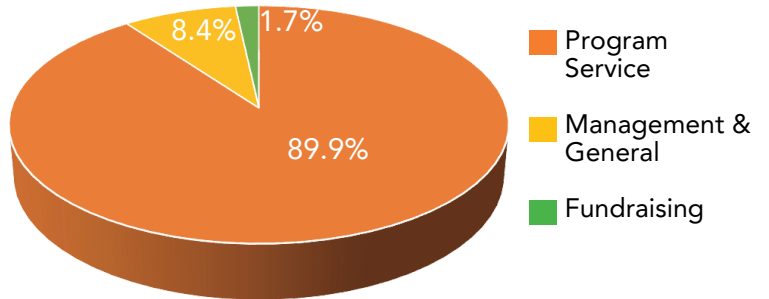
### Revenue

Individual Donor Support	\$283,329
Grant & Foundation Support	\$121,036
Gifts-in-Kind	\$79,666
Other Income	\$18,627
<b>Total Revenue</b>	<b>\$502,658</b>



### Expenses

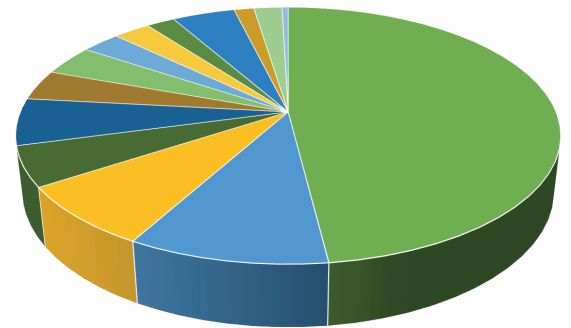
Program Service	\$559,266
Management & General	\$52,252
Fundraising	\$10,797
<b>Total Expenses</b>	<b>\$622,315</b>



<b>Net Assets – October 1, 2023</b>	<b>\$576,113</b>
<b>Net Assets – September 30, 2024</b>	<b>\$456,456</b>

### Expense Category

Animal Care Salaries & Benefits	\$298,836	48.0%
Animal Care Programs	\$62,609	10.1%
Depreciation & Amortization *	\$47,976	7.7%
Utilities	\$31,288	5.0%
Facility	\$36,722	5.9%
Professional Fees	\$23,699	3.8%
Insurance	\$23,776	3.8%
Supplies	\$17,159	2.8%
Publicity & Outreach	\$16,268	2.6%
General & Administrative	\$12,553	2.0%
Veterinary & Medical Program	\$27,589	4.4%
Vehicle Expense	\$8,754	1.4%
Special Events	\$12,385	2.0%
Dues, Publications & Education	\$2,701	0.4%
<b>Total Operating Expenses</b>	<b>\$622,315</b>	



\*Depreciation & Amortization Expense Requires No Cash Funding



# Thank You

FOR MAKING A DIFFERENCE  
IN THE PRIMATES' LIVES