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STREET PARTY!

AGENDA

- 5:30 PM COCKTAIL RECEPTION
6:30 PM PROGRAM
8:00 PM STROLLING DINNER
11:00 PM EVENT CONCLUDES

CIRCLE OF FRIENDS COMMITTEE

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ABOUT CHILD SAFE MICHIGAN

WHAT IS CHILD SAFE MICHIGAN?

Child Safe Michigan is a foster care, adoption and mentoring agency that works with abused, neglected and at-risk children. As a Michigan-based 501(c)(3) nonprofit organization, we make a direct difference in hundreds of children's lives every year.

OUR MISSION

Our mission is to provide expert, comprehensive services in Southeast Michigan that support children and families impacted by abuse and neglect so they are able to make unique contributions in their communities.

ABOUT OWLEE

The Child Safe Michigan mascot is named Owlee. He represents the shared characteristics of Child Safe Michigan and an owl which are:

- exceptional vision
- acute hearing
- wisdom
- protection
- bravery
- longevity
- knowledge
- insight



The individual pieces that complete Owlee also stand alone to represent each of the core services we provide.



FOSTER CARE

- New beginning
- Growth
- New opportunities
- Renewal



ADOPTION

- Love
- Forever
- Commitment
- Unconditional



MENTORING

- Guidance
- Wisdom
- Learning
- Reflection



A WORD FROM OUR LEADERSHIP...

Dear Friends,

It is with great pleasure that we welcome you to the Legends of Tomorrow **STREET PARTY!**

We have much to celebrate this evening as we look back on a year unlike any other we have ever experienced. Our front line staff in foster care, adoption and mentoring maintained services throughout the entire pandemic to ensure that at-risk children in our community were placed in safe and loving homes.

We are also celebrating a very special person, Elizabeth Brazilian, founder of Child Safe Michigan. Many, if not all of you, know Elizabeth and know that over the last 20 years her heart and passion have ensured that at-risk children in our community are living the safe and happy lives they deserve. Elizabeth celebrated her 80th birthday last weekend and will begin the next chapter in her life when she officially retires at the end of the year.

As we gather tonight, please know we are changing lives and making a difference. Through your sponsorships, ticket purchases and support during the evening, you are raising funds for programs that are providing at-risk children with stability, safety, strength and the knowledge that they can achieve their dreams. You are helping us create the legends of tomorrow.

Since 2015, Child Safe Michigan has been a part of the Judson Center family, and during this time, has continued to make a huge impact in the lives of abused and neglected children who have been placed in the foster care system at no fault of their own

In 2019, the Michigan Department of Health and Human Services awarded Child Safe with the Child Welfare Team Excellence Award for our outstanding commitment to Michigan's children and families.

We are proud to share that even throughout a world health crisis, we were able to match 17 new children with mentors, completed 27 adoptions and licensed an additional 36 foster homes, bringing our total to 80 licensed homes.

In addition, many thanks to Child Safe and Judson Center Board Members and staff for their contributions in helping our most vulnerable citizens, and much gratitude to everyone who is joining us this evening.



Lenora Hardy-Foster

Lenora Hardy-Foster
President & CEO
Judson Center



Keith Pomeroy

Keith Pomeroy
Board Chair
Child Safe Michigan

A NOTE FROM ELIZABETH

Dear Friends,

As I think about the past 22 years of my concern and commitment to help abused children, I remember a quote from Margaret Mead, "Never doubt that a small group of thoughtful committed individuals can change the world. In fact it's the only thing that ever has."

I am so grateful for all of the thoughtful and committed people that joined to carry forward our cause. No one person accomplishes their goals on their own. We are all supported by each other. Good/great ideas are born of love and nurtured by love. Every one of us here, and those that came before, has had a singularly important contribution to make to the success of Child Safe Michigan.

Every one of us has made possible a child's life saved. Every one of you, from the founding five friends, to the first and present day committees and event chairs, to our boards, sponsors and donors, and all of our Angel Award recipients, you are the ones that showed up and made it possible for us to save over 1,000 children from abuse and neglect. You have made it possible for us to continue to grow and help more and more children that need us!

I would like to share a message from the children as written by my mentor Erma Pounds, "We are the children of the world. Sparkling, shining, radiant forms and come in all sizes. We are love manifested, mind clarified. Come play with us and we shall teach you the game of harmony. Our bodies are small, our mission is great. We come from a heavenly place where all live in integrity. Please hear our words and together we'll change your world."

If the world is to be made safe and whole, it is my belief it will be in part because we cared for all children as if they were our own. If "Life is but a dream" as the song says, let's make it a good dream for the children rather than a nightmare.

As I retire from my position as Director of Development of Child Safe Michigan at the end of 2021, I will join the Board of Child Safe in order to help continue the work! With your help the work will and must continue.

My deepest gratitude to each and every one of you for all you have done and continue to do for Child Safe Michigan. Please hear our words and do all you can! Help us help the children become the Legends of Tomorrow.

God Bless Us All and God Bless the Children.

Elizabeth Brogilia



ANGEL AWARD



ELIZABETH BRAZILIAN

Child Safe Michigan 2021 Angel Award Recipient

The Angel Award is presented to individuals whose caring, compassion and dedication to the children of Child Safe Michigan elevates to Angel stature.

Someone who we appreciate beyond words.

Who is truly an Angel for the Children.

Elizabeth Brazilian brought Child Help USA, a national organization based in Phoenix, AZ, to the Detroit area in 1998 and established the Greater Detroit Auxillary of Child Help. From that beginning, the decision was made to become a Michigan non-profit in 2012 and Child Safe Michigan was born.

Elizabeth has dedicated her life to ensuring that at-risk children are supported, loved and kept safe. It is because of her compassion and dedication that Child Safe Michigan has been able to help more than 1,000 children find foster care placements and forever homes through adoption.



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LOT #1

INDULGE IN DOWNTOWN BIRMINGHAM

- 8-person dining experience at Bella Piatti in Birmingham. Dinner will include a shared appetizer course, a shared pasta course, individually selected main course and shared dessert course. All courses accompanied with different wines to compliment the meal. Gratuity not included. Expires August 1, 2022.
- Overnight stay for 2 at The Townsend Hotel in the luxury Presidential Suite that is fully stocked with a deep soaking tub and plush bathrobes. There you will be greeted with champagne and chocolate covered strawberries. Breakfast at the Rugby Grill and valet included. Expires September 17, 2022.
- \$100 gift certificate to Beach House Day Spa.
- 4-6 hours babysitting services donated by Little Seedlings.
- Cocktail Gift Basket compliments of Lori Karbal

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LOT #2

TRIP TO ANGUILLA

- 4 night stay for 2 adults at Quintessence Hotel, a tropical Grand Mansion on the Caribbean Island of Anguilla in the British West Indies in a luxury king suite, including breakfast
- Ultra luxury accommodations await you overlooking pristine white sand beaches including a five-star restaurant, spa, infinity pool, fitness center, yoga pavilion with around-the-clock butler and concierge service
- 10 years in the making, Keenie & Geoffrey Fieger have built an architectural masterpiece with a priceless Haitian Art Collection and an incredible wine cellar.
- Expires September 30, 2022; Airfare not included. Hotel is a non-smoking property not suitable for children under 12.

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LOT #3

PURE MICHIGAN GOLF WEEKEND

- 2-night stay at Little Bay Cottage in downtown Petoskey. Enjoy this converted farmhouse offering four one-bedroom apartments, each with private entrances, separate kitchens and cozy living spaces.
- Includes 18 holes of golf at Birchwood Farms Country Club. Birchwood is located 30 minutes north through the scenic tunnel of trees and is home to 36 holes of spectacular golf. July dates unavailable.
- \$100 gift certificate to Chandler's Restaurant in Petoskey.
- Expires September 17, 2022. Mutually agreed upon date excluding weekend stays in the months of July and August.

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LOT #4

BARCELONA IN A GLASS

- Host an amazing wine tasting in-person or virtually with Elie Wine Company and Vin°Vi&Co.
- You will take a trip to northeastern Spain. From breezy Mediterranean shores to Barcelona cafés to the towering peaks of the Pyrenees, the autonomous community of Catalunya is a land of diversity. These places and cultures have inspired poets, artists, and winemakers.

IN-PERSON

- Enjoy a Spanish wine-tasting in your home for a group of 10 guests.

VIRTUAL

- You can invite 4 other households to join you for Zoom wine tasting! 10-12 bottles of Spanish wine will be delivered to the winner to be shared with others attending.
- If you're feeling especially ambitious, recommended recipes will be provided to pair with the wines. Food is not included.
- Expires September 17, 2022.

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LOT #5

GLEN ARBOR GETAWAY FOR 2

- 3 day/2 night stay for 2 at the Thyme Inn in Glen Arbor, MI.
- Includes French cooking classes taught by Carol Worsley, who is French trained and has taught cooking classes with Simone Beck and Julia Childs.
- Enjoy a progressive French picnic while touring 3 award-winning wineries along the Leelanau peninsula traveling by vintage Rolls Royce.
- Visit the Sobran Gallery in Glen Arbor and enjoy a private meeting with artist Greg Sobran. You can pick your favorite oil painting up to \$1,400 value OR use the \$1,400 credit towards your purchase.
- Also enjoy a beautiful gift basket from Fleur Detroit including a \$500 gift certificate.

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LOT #6

PONY PARTY!

- Two-hour children's pony party for up to 10 kids with Beans the Magical Pony at a private barn in Milford
- Party planning services as well as all food, beverage and décor provided by former Child Safe Event Director, Ashley Hudson
- Date must be mutually agreed upon. Expires September 17, 2022.
- Also included are 4 passes for laser tag at MI-Combat in Rochester Hills.

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LOT #7

AN AMAZING NIGHT IN THE 'D'!

- Check in early on July 18, 2022 at the luxurious Element Hotel in the heart of downtown Detroit within walking distance of Comerica Park.
- 2 VIP tickets to Elton John's Farewell Tour at Comerica Park.
- \$100 gift certificate for the Monarch Club on the rooftop of the Element Hotel.

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LOT #8

FOX THEATER

- 4 Tickets to an event of your choice at the Fox Theatre in Detroit.
- Dinner included. Date must be mutually agreed upon.

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LOT #9

ULTIMATE SWEETEST DAY WEEKEND!

- One month from today you could be enjoying a weekend you won't soon forget.
- 2 nights at the Luxurious Bellagio Hotel in Las Vegas (Arriving October 16, 2021 and departing on October 18, 2021).
- \$150 resort credit (can be used for spa services or meals), PLUS a reservation for 2 at the Mayfair Supper Club at 7:00 p.m. on October 17, 2021 where you can use the \$300 gift card included.
- Also, on October 17, 2021, a limousine will pick you up at the hotel and take you to the local helipad where you will experience an exhilarating helicopter tour over the iconic Hoover Dam, Lake Mead and Fortification Hill.
- You will enter the Grand Canyon and land 3,500 feet below the rim and champagne will be served atop Maverick Helicopters' private bluff deep within this natural wonder. The limousine will have you back to the Bellagio at 4:00 p.m.
- Airfare is not included.

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LOT #10

2022 US OPEN GOLF

- 2 guests on Sunday, June 19, 2022 to witness the world's top golfers at The Country Club in Brookline, MA.
- Package includes access to climate-controlled chalet on the course where food and beverage is available for purchase.
- Plus, 2 night stay in the Hilton Boston Back Bay Hotel.
- Airfare not included.



DEDICATED GIVING

Through unique fundraising events, Child Safe Michigan is able to provide programs and services that help abused, neglected and at-risk children in Southeast Michigan have the safety and protection they need to live the healthy and happy lives they deserve.

The Legends of Tomorrow Street Party will help children in our own communities overcome the enormous obstacles they face. Not only do the funds raised tonight support our mentoring program but they are also used to provide important items, services and activities such as eye glasses, orthodontics, school field trips, tutoring, and much more for all the children in our care.

Some examples of what your generous donations are accomplishing:

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| \$25,000 | Covers the annual cost of recruiting and providing specialized training to foster and adoptive parents who provide loving homes to children and youth with behavioral or mental health challenges |
| \$10,000 | Covers the cost of all Child Safe sponsored activities for all our mentoring program participants for one year |
| \$5,000 | Allows 20 youth the chance to participate in life enriching activities enjoyed by their peers such as having senior pictures taken, going to prom or joining the football team |
| \$2,000 | Provides 40 youth in foster care with new backpacks stocked with school supplies |
| \$1,000 | Gifts to unwrap for 30 kids in foster care during the holidays |
| \$500 | Provides pajamas for 25 children in foster care |
| \$250 | Allows 2 foster or adoptive families to spend time having fun together at the movies or going bowling |
| \$100 | Provides a “comfort and care package” filled with items like a blanket and stuffed animal for a child entering foster care |



Child Safe Michigan Foundation



The Child Safe Michigan Foundation was established in 2020 to provide a sustainable stream of income to support the operations and strategic growth initiatives of Child Safe through prudent management of the Foundation's investment assets.

Foundation Purpose

- Income from the Child Safe Michigan Foundation is critical to ensuring that at-risk children who have suffered abuse and neglect will continue to receive the services and support they need to live the happy and healthy lives they deserve.
- The Foundation Board and Investment Committee, together with assistance from the Foundation's investment consultant, Plante Moran Financial Advisors (PMFA), are responsible for developing reasonable and consistent investment objectives, policies, and guidelines which will direct the investment of the Foundation's assets.
- PMFA is an independent, registered investment advisor (RIA) and acts as a Fiduciary in its role to the Foundation.
- PMFA meets with the Investment Committee to review the investment portfolio on a quarterly basis and with the Foundation Board annually.
- Each \$1M in the fund generates \$50,000 annually to support our operations.

Ways to Give

Gifts directed to the Child Safe Michigan Foundation can take the form of cash, marketable securities, or through a planned gift such as bequests or life income gifts. Contact us today to discuss your personal goals.

Donations to the Child Safe Michigan Foundation are deductible to the extent provided by law.



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**Congratulations Elizabeth
on your retirement!**

**We are forever grateful for
your passion and dedication
that have brightened the
futures of at-risk children.**

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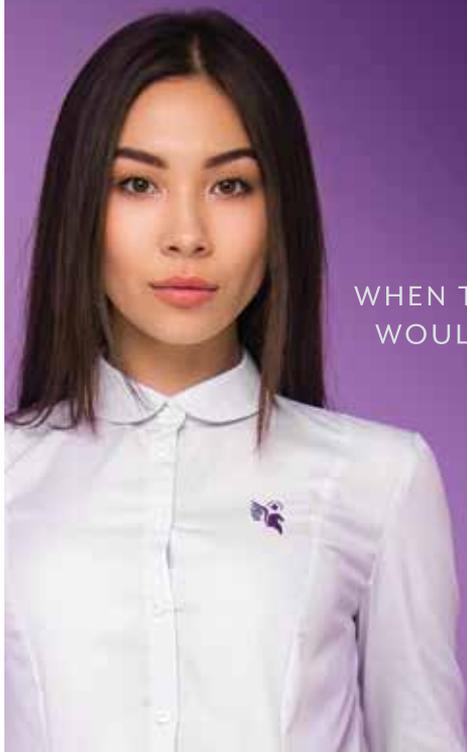
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Thank you to all of the staff, board, and volunteers of Child Safe Michigan & Judson Center for all that you do.

Thank you to all of the sponsors and donors of this year's 2021 Gala. Without your support, we could not afford to keep these children safe.

A special thank you and our heartfelt best wishes to an amazing lady and our dear friend, Elizabeth Brazilian. You have done miraculous things and answered numerous prayers for so many children. Bravo to you!

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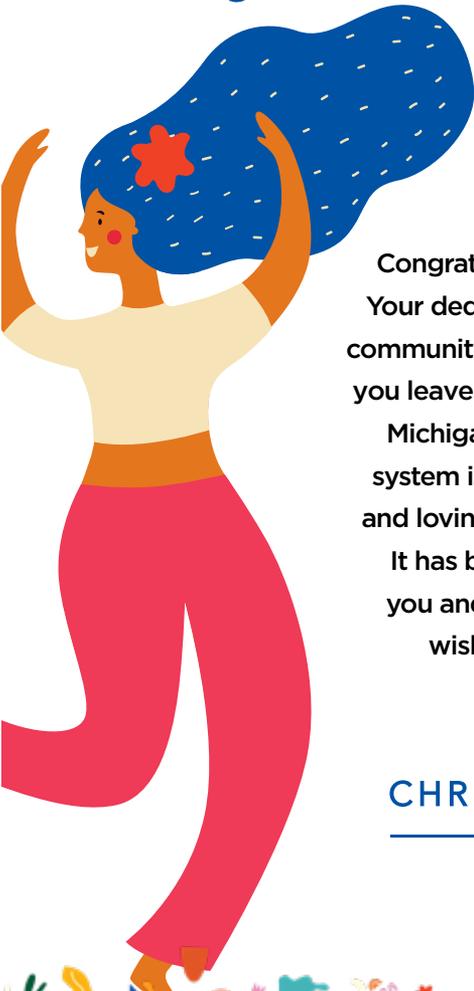
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CONGRATULATIONS ELIZABETH BRAZILIAN!

You have championed a mission and ignited a passion in others for this work. Retirement will be another new and exciting chapter for you.



THANK YOU, ELIZABETH!

Congratulations on your retirement! Your dedication to the children of our community will shine through the legacy you leave behind. In creating Child Safe Michigan, you have ensured that a system is set in place to provide safe and loving homes for children in need. It has been an honor to work with you and your team, and our family wishes you well on the next chapter in your life.

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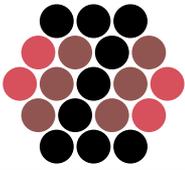
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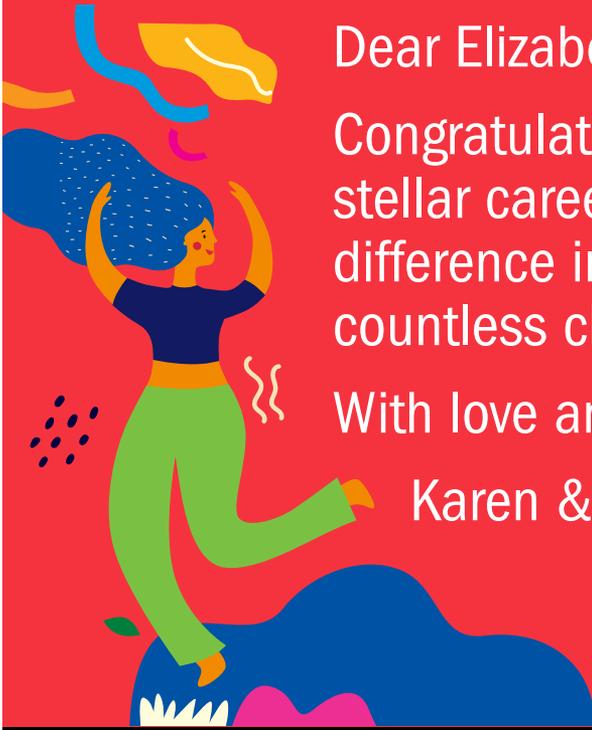


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WITH LOVE,

Andi & Larry Wolfe





Dear Elizabeth,

Congratulations on a stellar career making a difference in the lives of countless children!

With love and admiration,
Karen & Rick Williams

Elizabeth, your devotion has changed the lives of many children and your efforts will continue to change many more lives in the future. Congratulations.

Brian Manoogian



WE ARE PROUD TO SUPPORT THE AMAZING WORK OF CHILD SAFE MICHIGAN AND KEITH & SONIA POMEROY.

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<p>Meet... Javon Apr. 29 Grade: 7th Cathy Wynn mentor</p> <p>Could you be the friend, advocate and supporter Javon is waiting for? By becoming a mentor you can make a lasting impact in the life of a young person in foster care. Learn how you can change a young person's life today. Free training is provided.</p> <p>Mentoring Matters!</p> 	<p>Meet... DeAnthony Apr. 11 Grade: 5th Cathy Wynn mentor</p> <p>Could you be the friend, advocate and supporter DeAnthony is waiting for? By becoming a mentor you can make a lasting impact in the life of a young person in foster care. Learn how you can change a young person's life today. Free training is provided.</p> <p>Mentoring Matters!</p> 	<p>Meet... Tori Apr. 18 Grade: 9th Cathy Wynn mentor</p> <p>Could you be the friend, advocate and supporter Tori is waiting for? By becoming a mentor you can make a lasting impact in the life of a young person in foster care. Learn how you can change a young person's life today. Free training is provided.</p> <p>Mentoring Matters!</p> 	<p>Meet... Thomas Apr. 12 Grade: 7th Cathy Wynn mentor</p> <p>Could you be the friend, advocate and supporter Thomas is waiting for? By becoming a mentor you can make a lasting impact in the life of a young person in foster care. Learn how you can change a young person's life today. Free training is provided.</p> <p>Mentoring Matters!</p> 
<p>Meet... Aiden Apr. 13 Grade: 7th Cathy Wynn mentor</p> <p>Could you be the friend, advocate and supporter Aiden is waiting for? By becoming a mentor you can make a lasting impact in the life of a young person in foster care. Learn how you can change a young person's life today. Free training is provided.</p> <p>Mentoring Matters!</p> 	<p>Meet... Dasia Apr. 15 Grade: 6th Cathy Wynn mentor</p> <p>Could you be the friend, advocate and supporter Dasia is waiting for? By becoming a mentor you can make a lasting impact in the life of a young person in foster care. Learn how you can change a young person's life today. Free training is provided.</p> <p>Mentoring Matters!</p> 	<p>Meet... Qytavious Apr. 29 Grade: 6th Cathy Wynn mentor</p> <p>Could you be the friend, advocate and supporter Qytavious is waiting for? By becoming a mentor you can make a lasting impact in the life of a young person in foster care. Learn how you can change a young person's life today. Free training is provided.</p> <p>Mentoring Matters!</p> 	<p>Meet... Maddie Apr. 17 Grade: 6th Cathy Wynn mentor</p> <p>Could you be the friend, advocate and supporter Maddie is waiting for? By becoming a mentor you can make a lasting impact in the life of a young person in foster care. Learn how you can change a young person's life today. Free training is provided.</p> <p>Mentoring Matters!</p> 

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CHANGING LIVES



Mr. Pearce became a foster parent for a great reason, to help out older children as they were aging out of the foster care system. There is always a severe shortage of foster homes for teens, and Mr. Pearce stepped in to help fill that void.

Shortly after becoming licensed, Child Safe was in a placement emergency with two brothers, Thomas and Tim. Mr. Pearce was only licensed for one child so he took in the older of the two, Thomas, without hesitation. Mr. Pearce made him feel at home and participated in a very difficult reunification foster care case. Mr. Pearce also saw that Thomas and Tim missed each other. He took it upon himself to buy a second bed and requested placement of Tim so that the brothers could be reunited.

He participated in their treatment plan, advocated for them endlessly and when the opportunity arose, he applied to adopt them.

Nearly 18 months later, Child Safe was struggling to find a home for Simon, a 14 year old teenager. Simon had been through several different placements. Mr. Pearce was asked if he would consider increasing his license capacity to take in a third teen.

Mr. Pearce invited Simon over for the weekend so the boys could get to know each other. Before Mr. Pearce could bring it up, the boys asked if Simon could live with them. With a unanimous vote, Simon was welcomed into his new home.

Since taking placement of all three boys, Mr. Pearce has continued to meet their needs, advocate for them and give them a solid, fun, safe and stable family life. It is unknown where these boys would be if Mr. Pearce did not step in to help them.

Many times teens end up in residential facilities or shelters due to the lack of homes willing to accept them. Child Safe is lucky to have Mr. Pearce as a foster parent and many others like him.

"I honestly don't know if I could have ever taken in 3 kids, if it wasn't for the support I have received from Child Safe. There has always been someone I could reach out to when I have needed an ear or resources, either for myself, or for my kids. I am blessed to have randomly chosen one of the best agencies in Michigan." --Mr. Pearce.





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