



RIVER LEGACY FOUNDATION
January - December 2024

WE ARE WILD FOR WILDLIFE!



RIVER LEGACY
FOUNDATION



The background image shows a scenic view of a river, likely the Trinity River, with a large number of green lily pads floating on the water in the foreground. To the left, there is a stone wall, and in the background, there are lush green trees and a clear blue sky with some white clouds. A sign with the word "DISCO" is visible on the left side of the river.

RIVER LEGACY FOUNDATION

EST. 1988

MISSION

***TO PRESERVE AND ENHANCE THE LAND ALONG THE
TRINITY RIVER AND ITS TRIBUTARIES AS AN
EXTRAORDINARY RECREATIONAL, EDUCATIONAL,
AND NATURAL RESOURCE.***

VISION

***TO PRESERVE A LIVING LEGACY
FOR FUTURE GENERATIONS.***

A MESSAGE FROM THE EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR

The past year's accomplishments are a testament to the ongoing support and commitment received from the community and our partners for River Legacy Foundation's environmental mission. Significant progress has been made in protecting the natural world and encouraging a stronger community connection with the outdoors.

This year saw an expansion of outreach, with more individuals and families participating in environmental education and outdoor activities. Programs aim to inspire environmental stewardship and address the growing concern of nature-deficit disorder. Providing opportunities for the community to spend more time outdoors is crucial for physical, mental, and emotional well-being.

The focus has been on creating accessible and engaging opportunities for people of all ages and abilities to connect with nature, including:

- Expanded Nature Education Programs: These immersive programs help participants learn about local ecosystems and cultivate a sense of responsibility towards the environment.
- Partnerships and Advocacy: Collaborations with local schools, community organizations, and healthcare providers advocated for increased access to green spaces and promoted nature-based health interventions.

“SIGNIFICANT PROGRESS HAS BEEN MADE IN PROTECTING THE NATURAL WORLD AND ENCOURAGING A STRONGER COMMUNITY CONNECTION WITH THE OUTDOORS.”

The goal is to create a New Nature Movement – one that goes beyond traditional environmentalism and connects people to the lives around them, fostering a sense of kinship and wholeness. Research supports that spending time outdoors can reduce stress, improve mental health, and even help manage conditions like ADHD.

Looking ahead, the commitment includes:

- Deepening impact: Continuing to evaluate the effectiveness of programs and refine strategies to ensure the greatest reach.
- Building a resilient and nature-connected community: Envisioning a future where the community thrives, embracing the outdoors as a source of health, healing, and joy.

Continued support and collaboration is deeply appreciated as the work continues toward a future where all children and their families can connect with nature and become passionate stewards of our planet.



Sincerely,

Shannon Porter

Executive Director



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2024 ANNUAL SPONSORS



A photograph of three children looking at a reptile exhibit in a museum. The exhibit is a glass terrarium containing green anole lizards. A sign on the terrarium reads "reptile Green Anole Lizards". Another sign on the wall above the terrarium reads "Please do not touch my home." The children are standing around the terrarium, looking at the lizards. The image has a green tint.

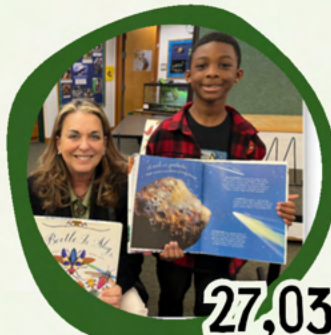
“CHILDREN SHALL HAVE THE
OPPORTUNITY TO DEEPEN THEIR
UNDERSTANDING OF THE ENVIRONMENT
AND THEIR RELATIONSHIP TO IT.”

*RIVER LEGACY FOUNDATION
EDUCATION PHILOSOPHY*



2,937 OUTDOOR HOURS

were accumulated by students in our paid education programs, with a minimum of 30 minutes of outdoor play per day! Learning in a natural environment enhances a child's imagination and inborn sense of wonder.



27,038 VISITORS

came to the Nature Center and learned about the environment through a regular day visit, community festival, exhibit, or public program at the Nature Center.



4,713 GUESTS

gained a deeper understanding of our natural environment thanks to our public programs and outreaches. Our ability to teach in and away from the Nature Center helps us reach further into the community!

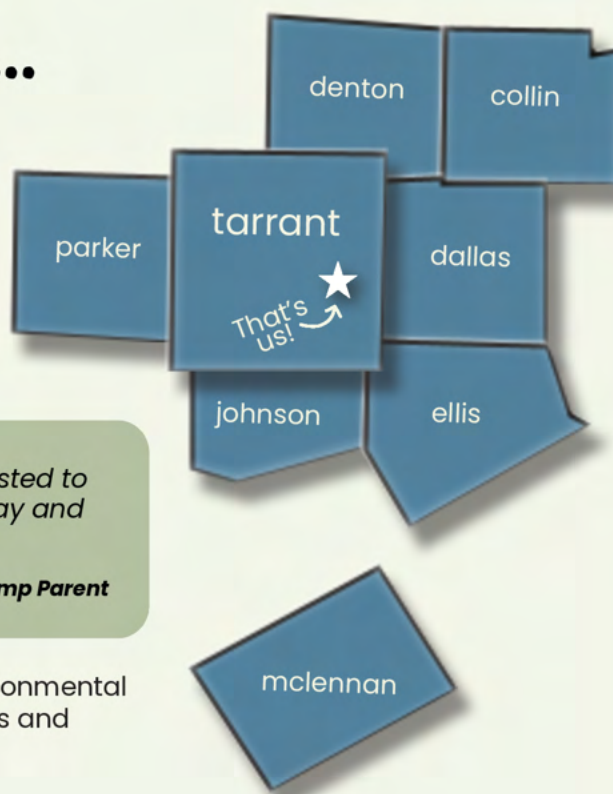


7,203 STUDENTS

made a connection to nature during a STEM related field trip. Hands-on activities, animal encounters, and naturalist-led hikes are just a few of the many tools offered to inspire connections to nature.

OUR STUDENTS COME FROM...

River Legacy Nature Center offers Arlington and surrounding communities a unique opportunity for environmental education and outdoor exploration in a rapidly growing urban area. The quality of our programs is unmatched... just ask the families that travel every week, month, and summer to take part in our programs!



"This is the first camp my daughter has ever requested to go back to! She is fully engaged and learning all day and comes home excited to tell me what she learned."

- Anonymous, Summer Camp Parent

We've built a reputation for offering high-quality environmental education, and we hope to continue to reach students and families across Texas and beyond.

“RECREATIONAL ACTIVITIES WITHIN RIVER LEGACY PARKS SHALL NOT ENDANGER THE ENVIRONMENTAL INTEGRITY OF THE PARKS OR THE SAFETY OF PARK USERS. POTENTIAL ACTIVITIES MUST BE MEASURED AGAINST A NATURE STANDARD, AS WELL AS AN URBAN STANDARD.”

RIVER LEGACY FOUNDATION RECREATION PHILOSOPHY

VOLUNTEERS

Our volunteers support education, recreation, and conservation—helping with trail cleanups, plant removal, front desk, and summer camps—expanding River Legacy’s reach and impact along the Trinity River and inspiring the next generation of environmental stewards.



807
VOLUNTEERS



5374.5
HOURS



\$150,486
OF VALUE

FEATURED EXHIBITS

As River Legacy Foundation endeavors to inspire the next generation of environmental stewards, sparking an interest in wildlife, the forest, and conservation is an important first step. Visiting exhibits, like Forever Forest and Bug Squad, both created by Omaha Children’s Museum, are just a few of the ways the Nature Center facilitates such moments through interactive exhibits.

PERMANENT EXHIBITS

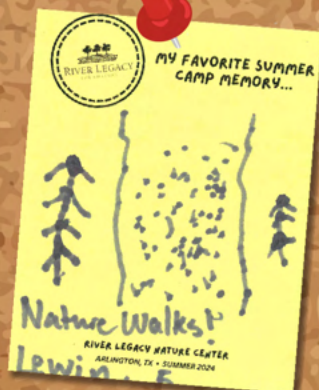
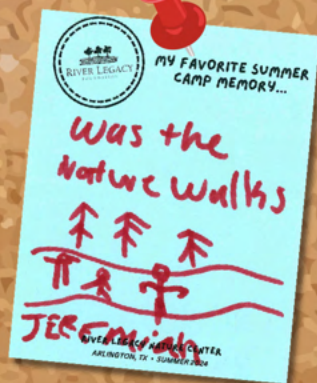
In 2024, we welcomed a new animal ambassador to our team, a Diamondback Terrapin turtle named Dragonfruit.

These ambassadors are at the heart of our educational programs, helping us inspire visitors to love, appreciate, and protect Texas’ native wildlife and natural habitats.



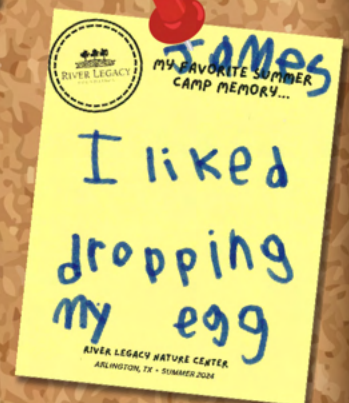
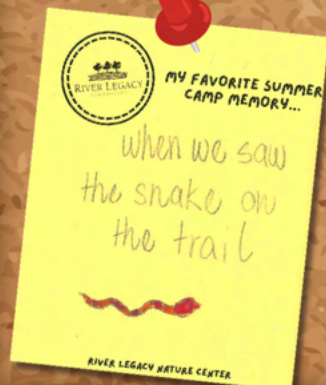
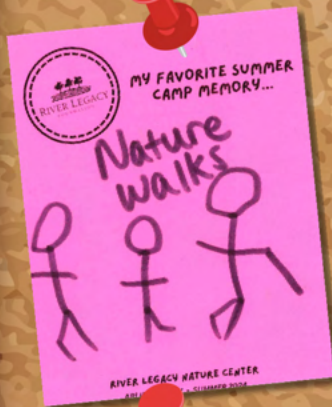
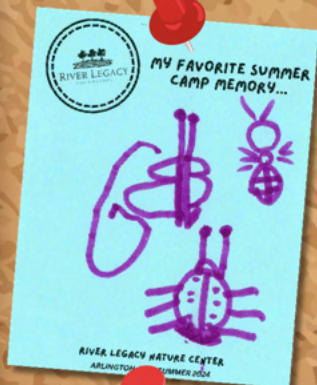
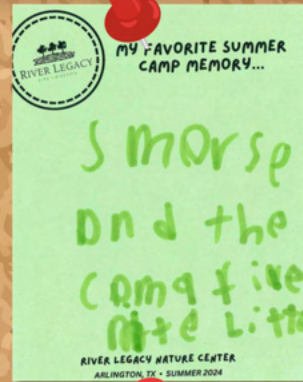
KIDS SUMMER CAMP

Time spent in nature has many benefits; however, the greatest impact may come from nature education. At River Legacy Nature Center, we offer a wide range of educational programs designed to inspire and engage nature lovers. Our **Nature School** provides preschoolers with an experiential curriculum that includes opportunities to encounter various native plants and animals, helping them understand nature's diverse life forms. Our **Summer Camps** present interactive and engaging ways to learn about our natural world. For those interested in additional learning experiences, our **Enrichment Classes** feature a variety of science, art, and outdoor activities tailored for different age groups, such as guided hikes, wildlife tracking, and botanical studies. In our **Homeschool Clubs**, topics draw on our extensive collections and specimens, bringing science to life. Our **Field Investigations** give students hands-on, field-based learning opportunities that deepen their understanding of ecology and conservation. Each program is carefully designed to foster a lifelong love for the environment and promote stewardship of our natural resources through experiential outdoor learning.



MEMORY

NOTES



“RIVER LEGACY PARKS SHALL BE PRESERVED,
MANAGED, AND RESTORED IN A MANNER THAT
PROTECTS THE PARKS RESERVOIR OF
BIOLOGICAL DIVERSITY.”

RIVER LEGACY FOUNDATION PRESERVATION PHILOSOPHY

EDUCATION | RECREATION | PRESERVATION

2,200 PRIVET PLANTS REMOVED

Privet (*Ligustrum*) is an invasive plant that grows at an astounding rate, adapts easily, and will take over and kill native plant life that is beneficial to our ecosystem. Privet Patrol meets once a month to remove privet from River Legacy Park in an effort to control growth and help our local flora and fauna.



350+ NATIVE PLANTS FOR THE NATURE CENTER

Thanks to the pollinator crew from the North Central Chapter of the Native Plant Society of Texas (NPSOT), the Nature Center's ecosystem thrives and provides an exceptional habitat for butterflies, bees, birds, and other local wildlife.



COMMITTED TO OUR COMMUNITY

By actively embracing a nature movement, you invest in your own health and well-being, cultivate stronger communities, and contribute to environmental protection.

At a critical point, the well-being of both people and planet requires attention. A "nature-movement" - one that champions reconnecting with the natural world - has the potential to create a healthier, happier, and more sustainable future.

"We had a very positive experience with the summer camp program. It is difficult to find programs for kids under five and we are so lucky we found this place. Our son looked forward to each day. Well priced. Great communication. Easy registration process."

- Courtney C.
Summer Camp Parent

IN THE NATURE CENTER

- Scholarships for Nature Education.
- Subsidized admissions for 1st responders, military and veterans
- Field trips for all Arlington ISD 4th graders and Title 1 2nd graders.
- Internship opportunities for college students.

IN OUR NEIGHBORHOOD

- Free access to our Discovery Trail App which helps families learn about the environment and get connected to nature.
- Free community festivals that provide families a chance to enjoy family fun activities, games, crafts and demonstrations while learning about the environment.

BEYOND OUR WALLS

- Outreach programs delivered directly to under-served students.
- Provide technical assistance and funding to schools for outdoor classroom development and enhancements.



Discovery Trail mobile app available on Apple App store with release on Android expected for 2025



The iOS App is made possible through the generous funding from Women Inspiring Philanthropy.



The Android App is made possible through the generous funding from Sid W. Richardson Foundation.

2024 LEADERSHIP NEW BOARD MEMBERS

In 2024, the River Legacy Foundation Board of Directors welcomed two new members, Laura DiStefano (*Nonprofit Fundraiser*) and Kelly Geer (*Urban Tree Merchants*). Bringing the current total to 19 River Legacy Foundation Board Members.



LAURA DISTEFANO

Laura has been living in the Arlington-Fort Worth-Grand Prairie area since 1976. After high school graduation I went to Kings County School of Nursing. I met my husband there and moved around while he completed his medical training. I spent most of my time caring for our first-born son, Mathew, who was born with cancer.

After moving to Texas, we had four other children and I enjoyed helping their schools raise funds. I worked on fundraisers for Country Day School of Arlington and Nolan Catholic high School.

As my children got older and I had more free time I became involved in Not-for-profit fundraising on a larger scale. I was on the Board of Directors of the Multiple Sclerosis Society; The Cancer Research Foundation of North Texas (10 + years); and the Boys and Girls.-Club of Arlington (10 years).

I have been involved in many fundraising projects including Fundraising for the CRFNT through the Silver Spurs Gala, raising over 2 million dollars in 10 years for cancer research. I was involved in yearly fundraising for The Oakridge school. The year I chaired the event we raised \$250,000. For the boys and Girls Club of Arlington I co-chaired the event 1150 on the 50~ This celebrated the 50-year anniversary of the Boys and Girls club and involved the fundraiser on the Field at ATT Stadium on the 50-yard line.

I am excited to elevate my involvement in fund raising for River Legacy which includes two of my favorite things: children and Nature.



KELLY GEER

Kelly is the Director of Communications and Business Development for Urban Tree Merchants, an urban-sourced sawmill, lumber supplier, and custom woodworking company she co-founded with her husband, Caleb, in January 2019. Drawing from her extensive background in catering, event management, social media marketing, and operations management at Tree Shepherds Tree Service, Kelly skillfully leads communications, operations, and strategic growth for the business.

In addition to her work with UTM, she also serves as the Business Resource Specialist at the Greater Arlington Chamber of Commerce, where she supports local businesses with the valuable resources they need to grow and succeed. Kelly holds a degree in Communication Studies with an emphasis in Rhetoric and Persuasion, along with a minor in Spanish, from Texas State University. Passionate about travel, she has visited 18 countries and enjoys photography, exploring new restaurants, and attending events. In her spare time, she prefers to be on the beach.

THANK YOU FOR MAKING A DIFFERENCE!

Last year, River Legacy Nature Center facilitated more than 35,000 experiences for individuals across all age groups— children, teens, adults, and seniors—to explore nature. The Nature Center is a fantastic community resource, offering educational programs and a place for those seeking a tranquil retreat. River Legacy's Mission only becomes a reality because YOU work alongside us.

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Anonymous Fund at the North Texas Community Foundation

Gary and Judi Martin Charitable Fund

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honor of Becky Gerro

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Becky Gerro

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Becky Gerro

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of Becky Gerro

Sylvia & Richard Greene In
honor of Elzie Odom's 95th
Birthday

Sylvia & Richard Greene In
honor of Laurie Bianco's 60th
Birthday

Terry and Teresa Gaines In
honor of Becky Gerro

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honor of Becky Gerro

William Sierra In honor of Luke,
Liam, Piper, Blake & Olivia, My
Grandkids

Kathy Goodrich In honor of
Becky Gerro

Scott and Cathy Russell In
honor of Becky Gerro

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Dog Training Club of Dallas County In memory of Kendall Lake

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Anything Goes

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The Melting Pot

The Southlake Hotel

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UTA Planetarium

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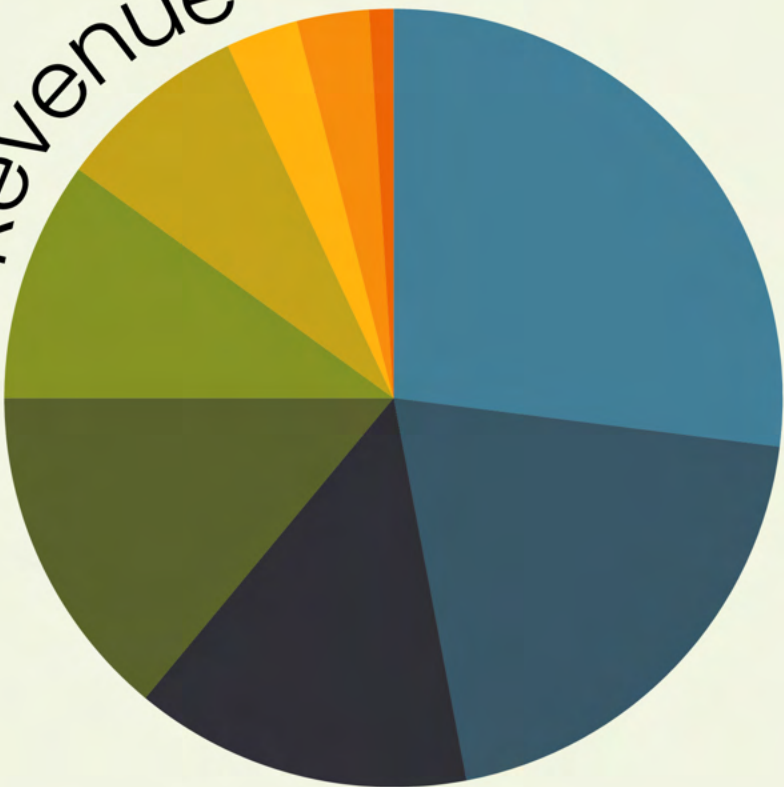
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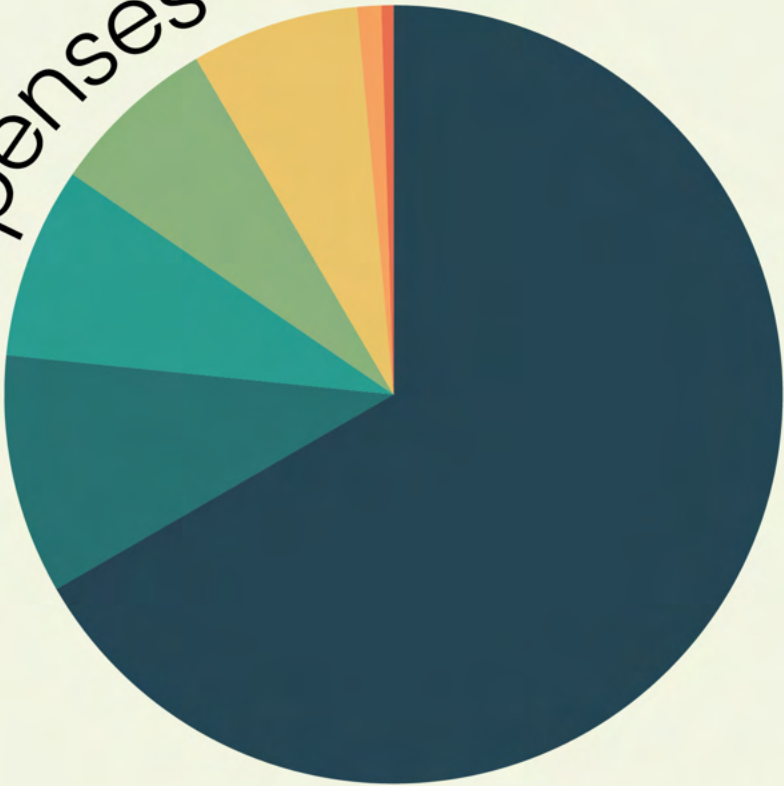
2024 FINANCE REPORT

Revenue



- Education Programs - 27%
- Special Events - 20%
- City of Arlington - 14%
- Grants - 14%
- Interest Income - 10%
- 2024 Campaign - 8%
- Discovery Room - 3%
- Venue Rentals - 3%
- Gift Shop - 1%

Expenses



- Personnel - 67%
- General Operating - 10%
- Special Events - 8%
- Nature Center - 7%
- Programs & Services - 7%
- Gift Shop - 1%
- Marketing - 1%

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CONNECT



DONATE



VOLUNTEER

River Legacy Foundation is a 501(c)3 nonprofit organization formed in 1988 to preserve and enhance the land along the Trinity River and its tributaries as an extraordinary education, recreational, and nature resource.

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