

All Charities Proceeds Distributed to Partners

A record total of \$3,110,601 was raised from the Ocean Reef community's participation in the 2014 All Charities Weekend and the Charity Check Off, double that which was raised in its first year, 2008. The All Charities program was established in 2008 to enable members to consolidate their support for charities community-wide over a single weekend and has resulted in record setting giving. The 2014 funds were distributed to the leaders of Ocean Reef's Medical Center, Cultural Center, ORCAT, The Academy, Art League, Conservation Association and the Ocean Reef Community Foundation (ORCF). Perhaps even more remarkable, points out All Charities Partners Co-Chair **Mike Berman**, "Since the inception of the combined All Charities initiative 7 years ago, we have now reached \$15,263,627 in total funds raised."

Combined Charity Check Off & All Charities Auction Results

	2014	7 Year Total
Medical Center	\$809,311	\$3,960,299
Cultural Center	\$668,525	\$3,224,292
The Academy	\$408,329	\$2,193,825
Art League	\$239,729	\$1,224,901
OR Conservation Association	\$216,019	\$935,369
ORCF	\$718,375	\$3,601,686

In a recent survey by All Charities Partners, 100% of the participants said that they prefer the combined charity effort vs the dozens of individual fundraising events that existed prior to 2008. Furthermore, over 97% said that All Charities Weekend was "Very" or "Extremely Valuable" to the Ocean Reef community.

"With our 2015 chairs **Nick Lanni** and **Gayle Tallardy** working diligently, **Mike Jones** and **Sarina Kinney** preparing for 2016, we have never been better prepared for a successful future," says Berman, who was named Co-Chair of All Charities Partners and joins **Tom Davidson** and **Alan Goldstein** at the helm.

The All Charities Auction Weekend continues to distinguish the Ocean Reef community each year and is slated for February 6 & 7, 2015. For more information, please call 367-5996.



All Charities Partners (left to right): back row, Tom Davidson, Sr. (All Charities Partners Co-Chair), Keith Young (Medical Center at Ocean Reef CEO), Mike Berman (All Charities Partners Co-Chair), Alan Goldstein (All Charities Partners Co-Chair and Ocean Reef Cultural Center Chairman); front row, Frank Patterson (ORCAT Vice President), Graham Brown (The Academy at Ocean Reef Headmaster), Karen Waite (Ocean Reef Art League President), Gayle Tallardy (2015 All Charities Weekend Co-Chair with Nick Lanni, not pictured), Cynthia Lee (2014 All Charities Weekend Chairperson), Jack Curlett (Ocean Reef Conservation Association President), and Steve Markel (Ocean Reef Community Foundation President).