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**Kelly Brush Foundation
Invites Applications from People with
Spinal Cord Injuries to
Active Fund Scholarship Opportunity**

The Fall Active Fund Open Until 5 PM EST on September 18.

The Kelly Brush Foundation is dedicated to making active

lifestyles a reality for those who have experienced a spinal cord injury. To that end, KBF is inviting applications for its Active Fund. Through the fund, the Foundation will provide grants to individuals with paralysis caused by spinal cord injury for the purchase of adaptive sports equipment.

For more information, go to [The Active Fund](#)



Many thanks to the women of the GKWC who gave a generous donation to help NAF provide independence for all of our spinal cord injured citizens. The GKWC fundraises all year to help local non-profits and students. What an amazing community of selfless women! Thanks from the bottom of our hearts! Their biggest fundraiser - Garden of Roses - is on **March 21, 2025**. Please mark your calendar and save the date.

**ACRM REHAB
EXP NIGHT**

OPEN to the PUBLIC FREE ADMISSION
Advanced sign-up recommended

FRIDAY 1 NOVEMBER 2024

An exhibition of innovative rehabilitation technology, products & services.
Discover the future of physical medicine and rehabilitation.

The exhibit hall will be open to the public for a special reception.
Registration is free and all who are patients, caregivers, family members or work in the PM&R field but are not necessarily attending the conference are welcome.

November 1, 5:30 - 8PM

Hilton Anatole in the EXPO hall - 2201 N Stemmons Fwy, Dallas, TX
Light hors d'oeuvres and a cash bar

Click [Registration](#) - You can register in advance or onsite FREE

Huge thanks to the Southlake Women's Club for the generous donation to NAF.
This year's Art in the Square was an

amazing event and proceeds were given to twenty-eight nonprofits in our community. Thanks to all the volunteers and participants who made it a success.



Delta Airlines demonstrates new seat concept, larger lavatory for passengers who use wheelchairs



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Engineers at Delta Air Lines' product development arm think they've found a solution that could make air travel a safer, more seamless and more dignified experience for passengers who use wheelchairs for mobility. [Photos and full story courtesy of Sean Cudahy - The Points Guy.](#)

Palo Pinto Mountains State Park offers the Action TrackChair!

Thanks to the work of their friends group, Palo Pinto Mountains State Park Partners, the Palo Pinto Mountains State park now offers accessibility to all 12.5 miles of their trails system when they open. This chair, along with their two GRITT Wheelchairs, will be free to borrow when visiting.



IN SEARCH OF:

RIGID FRAME MANUAL WHEELCHAIR

Do you have an extra wheelchair collecting dust? Please consider donating that RIGID FRAME wheelchair to NAF. We have many client requests for these types of chairs. Examples of rigid frame wheelchairs are below.



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Introductions



\$1,800

Meet Gianna...

Gianna, age 13, has neuromuscular scoliosis. Her physician applied for a Convoid Cruiser stroller. Insurance does not provide strollers. This stroller provides support and folds like an umbrella making it easy to transport between appointments.

Meet Fabrizio...

Fabrizio, age 16, has congenital neuromuscular scoliosis and cerebral palsy with significant developmental delays. He has no health insurance and recently had a g-button placed while in the ICU. His father is unemployed with limited resources. NAF provided a feeding pump and associated consumables.



\$1,100

Meet Said...



\$1,700

Said, age 65, had a traumatic spinal cord injury due to a fall. His social worker applied to NAF for financial assistance with copay for fully electric bed with alternating pressure pad and fully electric hoist lift.

Meet Isaac...

Isaac, age 24, is uninsured with young children. He is a victim of a gun shot. His crime victim advocate applied to NAF for a manual wheelchair and assistance with his incontinence supplies.



\$1,500



\$800

Meet Tabitha...

Tabitha, age 27, had a traumatic fall while visiting family. Her social worker applied for assistance transporting her home, and making her home accessible. NAF paid for a round trip accessible van rental to help mom get her home.

Meet Nathaniel...

After Nathaniel, 22, was paralyzed in a motorcycle accident, he needed hand controls to be able to drive his vehicle. NAF was honored to be able to purchase and install them in his truck.



\$2,300

**Meet Board Member
David Smith**



David Smith currently serves as the Chief Executive Officer at Baylor Scott & White Institute for Rehabilitation - Dallas, where he directs the nationally recognized hospital's inpatient and specialized outpatient neurological services. In addition to his role as CEO, he is the founder of Questora Coaching LLC, an executive coaching company dedicated to guiding and empowering leaders on their professional journeys.

Originally from Australia, David pursued his education in Physiotherapy at the University of Sydney before establishing roots in Texas in 1993. He began his clinical career specializing in orthopedic and spine disorders as a Physical Therapist, later transitioning into hospital executive roles starting in 2006. David's career has also spanned continents, including rehabilitation hospital consulting roles in Southeast Asia and the Middle East.

In addition to his Physiotherapy degree, David holds a Master of Health Science along with Manual Therapy Certification from the University of St. Augustine, an MBA from TCU, and a Professional Certificate in Executive and Professional Coaching from the University of Texas at Dallas.

David and his wife, Amy, recently celebrated their 30th anniversary in Dallas, TX, where they have raised their two adult children.

Beyond his professional roles, David enjoys an active lifestyle that includes exercise, international travel, photography, and an appreciation for great bass guitar playing. He also finds fulfillment in serving his community through his church involvement.

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8AM - 23PM



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We Need Your Help

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Your \$25 donation will help provide clean catheters to a paralyzed child for one month when their insurance won't cover the expense.

Your \$100 donation will help build a wheelchair ramp so we can get our clients out of rehab and through their front door at home.

Your \$200 donation will help widen the doorways in their homes so their wheelchair can fit through the bathroom door. Insurance doesn't covers home modifications.

Your \$500 donation will help provide life-changing medical equipment: wheelchairs and specialized shower chairs, etc. Most insurance only covers a small part of wheelchairs, if any, and no "bathing aids" are covered.



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