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Minnesota Public Benefit Corporation / Annual Benefit Report

The Annual Benefit Report covers the 12 month period ending on December 31 of the previous year.

Minnesota Statutes, Chapter 304A

Read the instructions before completing this form

Must be filed by March 31

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Notice: Failure to file this form by March 31 of this year will result in the revocation of the corporation's public benefit status without further notice from the Secretary of State, pursuant to Minnesota Statutes, Section 304A.301 1. File Number 11\8989300030 Can Wonderland, SBC 3. The public benefit corporation's board of directors has reviewed and approved this report. 4. In the field below, enter the information required by section 304A.301 subd. 2 or 3 for the period covered by this report, (see instructions for further information): Note: Use additional sheets if needed. (Required) Please see attached file 5. I, the undersigned, certify that I am the chief executive officer of this public benefit corporation. I further certify that I have signed this document no more than 30 days before the document is delivered to the secretary of state for filing, and that this document is current when signed. I further certify that I have completed all required fields, and that the information in this document is true and correct and in compliance with the applicable chapter of Minnesota Statutes. I understand that by signing this document I am subject to the penalties of perjury as set forth in Section 609.48 as if I had signed this document under oath, Signature of Public Benefit Corporation's Chief Executive Officer Date (Must be dated within 30 days before the report is delivered to the Secretary of State for Filing) **Email Address for Official Notices** Enter an email address to which the Secretary of State can forward official notices required by law and other notices: roblecancanwonderland, com Y Check here to have your email address excluded from requests for bulk data, to the extent allowed by Minnesota law. List a name and daytime phone number of a person who can be contacted about this form: Entities that own, lease, or have any financial interest in agricultural land or land capable of being farmed must register with the MN Dept. of Agriculture's Corporate Farm Program. Does this entity own, lease, or have any financial interest in agricultural land or land capable of being farmed?



Annual Benefit Report

Of

Can Can Wonderland, SBC

A Minnesota Specific Public Benefit Corporation

December 31st, 2024

Highlights of the Year

One of our most exciting highlights of last year was commissioning a brand new golf hole concept for our new course, which will be debuting in 2025, from Jelle Bakker of the world renowned Jelle's Marble Run to design and build a new concept for a marble run golf course. Jelle Bakker is the genius behind Jelle's Marble Runs. Jelle is autistic and his passion for marbles started at a very young age. Despite many challenges, he has created the number one marble racing channel on the internet and has been featured on many shows including John Oliver. Launching his own marble brand is the culmination of lots of hard work and he hopes to inspire the next generation of STEM thinkers!

Steve Solkela - Finnish 24 Piece 1 Man Band from The Iron Range. He travels the world performing comical songs while riding a unicycle, playing accordion with cymbals on his head and many other instruments! Our guests were captivated by his bizarre act each time he performed. Some were visiting from out of state and were so entranced by him that they opted to stay in the entertainment room for his entire show instead of playing mini golf!

Count Spookula - Local Halloween musician who wears a jack-o-lantern for a face and is accompanied by guitarist, Wet Spider and bassist Man Witch. Their costumes are as intricate as their music and our guests enjoyed them so much we had them for a Friday The 13th Show, AUGtoberfest and our annual Halloween party. They have a huge following and kept our entertainment space packed with guests each time.

Drumeoke - Karaoke with a percussionist twist, hosted by Zac & Ski! Pick a song any song and drum along! These guys earned a monthly residency and pack the room every first Thursday of the month! Our guests love Drumeoke and often call and email to let us know they are coming.

Marimba Matt - Matthew Silverberg, a percussionist, composer and educator performs video game music on a marimba! His music is the perfect ambience to a quieter day and our guests trickle in and fill the room when he plays. He puts together fun video game tournaments, organizes Pokemon Day and Mario Day for us as well! He has ties to VGM con and has traveled the world performing at video game conventions. Our relationship with Matt and the video game community is beneficial for business as they draw in lots of gamer fans!

HUNNY BEAR - A Jazz Funk Fusion Quartet from Minneapolis. They put together a bi-monthly show here with a variety of musicians and visual artists. They are all so kind

and professional with their own fan base and promote their shows well. They are all very talented and draw our guests into the room with their easy going soulful tunes.

With regard to the period covered by this report, January 1st 2022 to December 31st 2022, Can Can Wonderland, SBC pursued the specific benefit purpose stated in its articles in the following ways:

In 2023 we hired a new Programming Manager, Regina Bailey, and in 2024 she really shined in finding new talent, utilizing both of our stages all year, and reaching out to new artists and performers that we have never worked with before to continue our reach of support to the artist community.

The following is a description of how we believe we succeeded in achieving the goals of our specific benefit purpose:

Can Can Wonderland proudly paid out \$228,432 to all of our artists we have worked with in 2024.

The following is a description of what prevented us from achieving the specific benefit purpose stated in our articles:

We were not prevented from reaching our goals, 2024 was our highest payout to artists so far!

Certification by the Board of Directors

The undersigned, being all the Directors of Can Can Wonderland, SBC, hereby acknowledge and certify that we have reviewed and approved the enclosed Public Benefit Report.

Robert Clapp

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Date



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