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# 2023 Annual Recap

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As we begin a new year, the Coates Kokes B Keepers are locked in on preparing for our B Corp recertification in 2025. That noted, we would like to use this opportunity to look back and share our goings on from the past year.

As in every year, our client base is the heart of who we are as a B Corp. We are honored to partner with the following new clients:

- **988 Suicide and Crisis Lifeline**
- **Eastern Oregon Center Independent Living**
- **Oregon Project Firstline**
- **Northwest Power and Conservation Council**
- **Portland Fashion Institute**
- **St. Johns Boosters**

Enjoy reading our annual recap and feel free to reach out to comment, collaborate and share in the Portland B Corp community.

— Steve



### Food for Thought

CK continued with our employee-led “Food for Thought” lecture series, expanding our group understanding of a variety of topics. In 2023, the series explored sustainability, including recycling and regenerative agriculture, diversity, equity and inclusion, such as intersectionality and ableism, and topics specific to our clients including storytelling and trauma-informed approaches. We also made a conscious effort to continue to elevate the entire staff’s B Corp I.Q.

**525.25 hours**  
of internal training and conferences

### Health Care Assessments and Improvements

We value the health and wellness of our employees. To encourage them to think proactively about their health, each employee took a personal health assessment with customized recommendations for them. Then CK shared the easy-to-forget preventative care available to them, like wellness coaching, help to quit smoking or getting an annual checkup.

CK also expanded its benefits to include family and enhanced vision options. Half of the office enrolled in the vision coverage this year.

## Community Contributions

CK continued to engage with its community through volunteering, pro bono work and charitable donations with employer matching.

### Community Contribution Clients:

- **Community for Positive Aging**
- **Catholic Schools Endowment Foundation**
- **Health Share of Oregon**
- **Oregon Department of Education**
- **End HIV Oregon**
- **St. Johns Boosters**



### Volunteer Time:

- **Oregon Spinal Cord Injury Board**
- **Grant High School Career Fair**
- **Blanchet House**
- **BLD PNW Conference**
- **Rosewood Initiative**
- **Multnomah County Mobile Dental Clinic**
- **Compassion Through Literature**
- **Store to Door**
- **Path Home**
- **Eco School Network**
- **Growing Gardens-B Corp Day of Service**

**140.75 hours**  
of volunteer time



### Donations:

- **Portland Center Stage**
- **Oregon Food Bank**
- **Marcus Thomas Scholarship Fund**
- **Juvenile Diabetes Research Foundation**
- **Wells Youth Baseball**
- **NW Children's Theater**
- **Oregon Spinal Cord Injury**

