

## A Letter from our Board President and Executive Director...

Richland Newhope Industries, Inc. (RNI) continued supporting people with disabilities in a variety of ways throughout the last year of the pandemic. Even though we were able to return many people to previous services, RNI continued to operate under various restrictions until June 2021.

Despite these changes, RNI was able to provide employment, day services, and transportation to many people over the last year, finding different ways to meet their needs in the safest environment possible.

Throughout these shifts, we were able to maintain high customer satisfaction throughout the organization, from our business customers and employers to the people we support. During the summer of 2021, we were able to provide a variety of opportunities for youth preparing to transition from school to the workforce. RNI continued to operate the City Garden Café in the Mansfield Municipal Building, the Trillium Event Center in Bucyrus and the lawn and cleaning crews throughout the area. In addition, we were able to restart classes for artists at the Element of Art Studio/Gallery.

Once again, we saw extraordinary dedication from RNI staff and board members, as well as from our other community partners. RNI remains dedicated to moving forward, supporting people with developmental disabilities to live their best life. Thank you for your continued support.



Executive Director



Board President

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# Community Employment

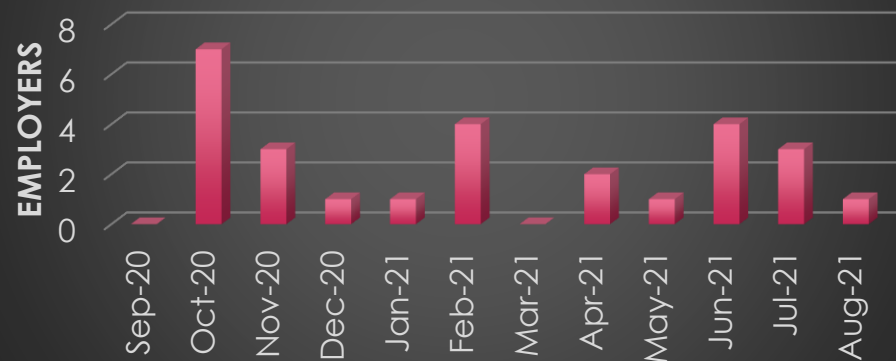


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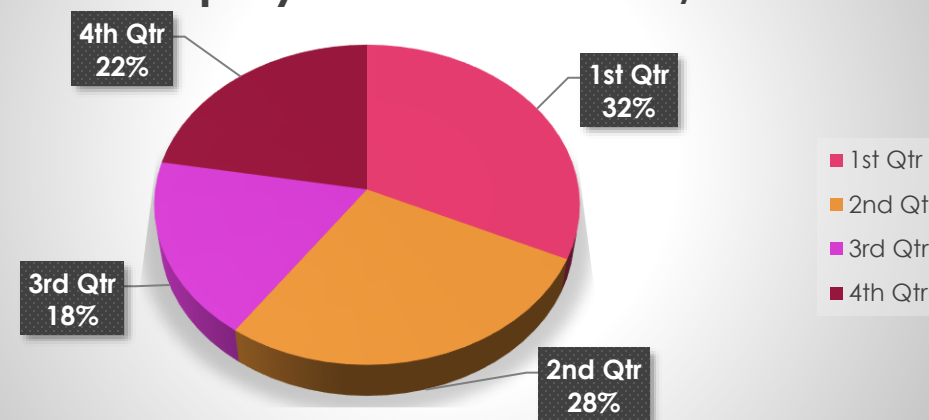


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## New Community Employers per Month for FY 2020/2021



## 74 Individuals Hired in Community Employment for FY 2020/2021





# Summer SLICE Program

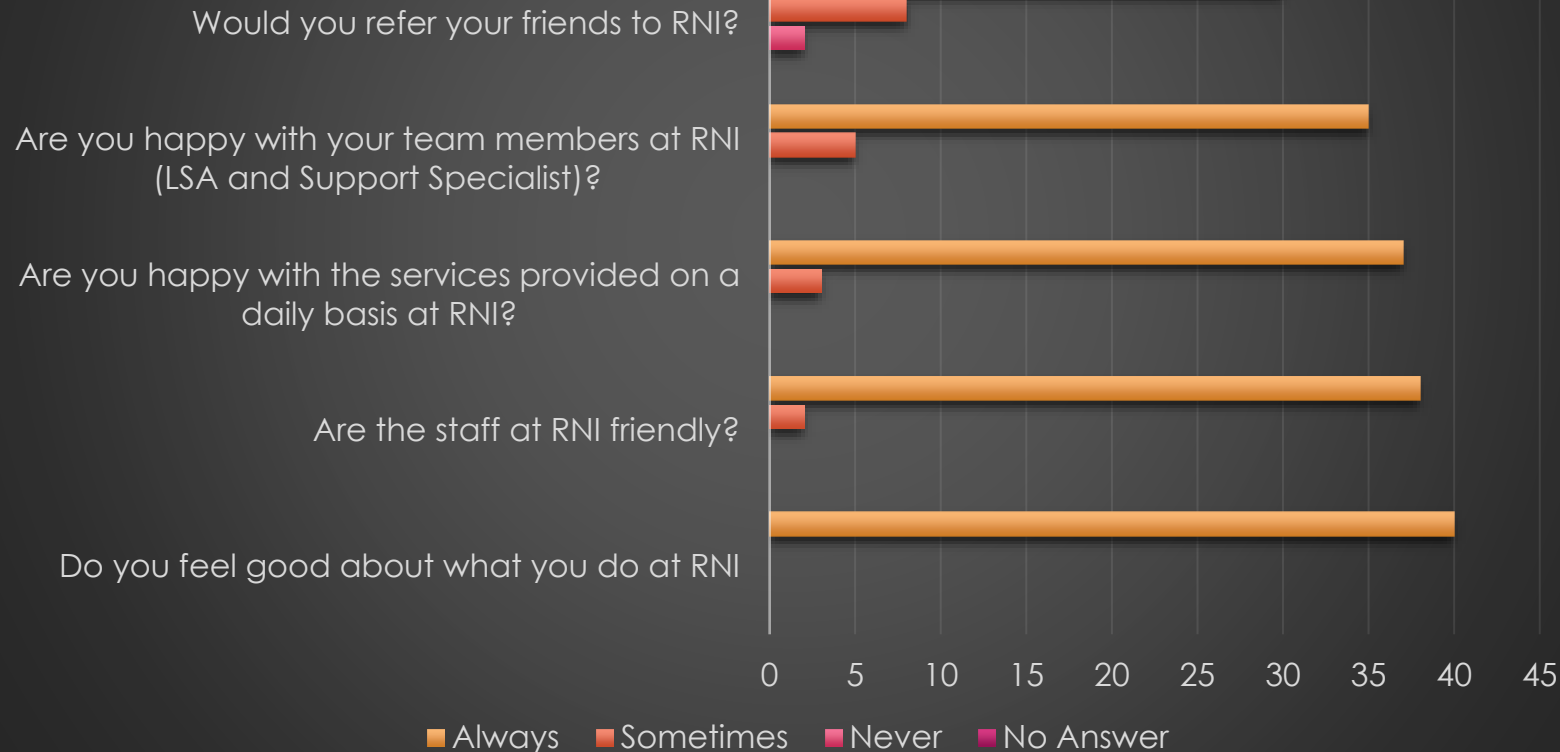
The program is designed for area middle school and high school students to work with numerous local businesses in the area. This program has youth working as volunteers in the community, learning life skills and engaging them in community recreational activities.





# Manufacturing/ Subcontract

## Survey – Individuals receiving Facility Based Services September 2021



Above: Heith  
Below: Terri



Above: Donnie and Gary  
Below: Ontario







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**RNI, Inc. acquired the event center in  
September of 2019**





# Social/Integration Services Department



**Leona**



**Jeff**



**Gina**



**Sandy**



**Robbie**



**Mark**



**Dale and David**



**Amanda**



**Jeremy**



**Susie**

# Social/Integration Services (SIS) FY 2020/2021 Highlights

Sept. 2020

- Operating one facility-based group at both RNI 4<sup>th</sup> St. and Crawford locations.
- RNI staff provide services at Richland County Board homes.
- STEP/Community Integration services and Homemaker Personal Care (HPC) are on-going.

Oct. 2020

- RNI staff participate in a caravan for Halloween at all the County Board homes.

Nov. 2020

- STEP/Community Integration becomes limited due to COVID cases rising in Richland County.

Dec. 2020

- STEP/Community Integration stops and facility-based services in groups decline due to extremely high cases of COVID.

Jan. 2021

- RNI resumes limited STEP/Community Integration and some in-person HPC services.

Feb. 2021

- The SIS department begins adding more STEP/Community Integration people. Facility-based services start to increase again.

March 2021

- Majority of staff from SIS department are still in the Richland County Board homes.

April 2021

- Richland County sends Harding home back with RNI staff and they return to facility-based programming.

May 2021

- Planning begins for groups to return to 4<sup>th</sup> Street.

June 2021

- Richland County sends Woodville home individuals back with RNI staff and they return to facility-based programming. Nursing begins to prepare for Raintree's return.

July 2021

- Richland County sends Raintree people with RNI staff back to facility-based programming in two groups a few weeks apart. All SIS department staff have returned from Richland County homes.

Aug. 2021

- Additional people are returning to services. Community Integration is now increasing. We continue to increase attendance in all areas.



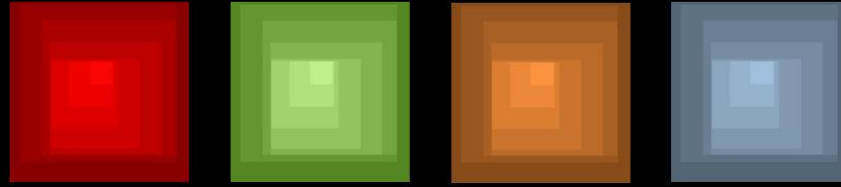


Element of Art Studio/Gallery supports artists with developmental disabilities by encouraging self-expression, developing artistic skills, generating opportunities throughout the local and global community, offering an alternative income, enhancing quality of life and having a wonderful time! Element of Art is a place where artists achieve and belong.



Dottie

# Element of Art



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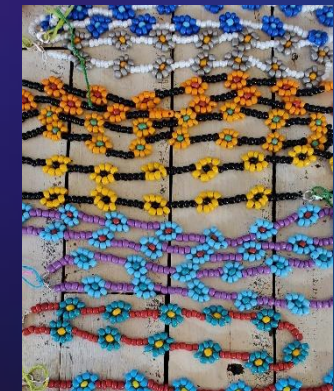
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The Element of Art Studio/Gallery is located right in the heart of the charming Carrousel District in downtown Mansfield



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Our studio provides the public an opportunity to connect and work with the amazing and professional artists. Whether you are interested in learning how to paint or take up jewelry-making, we provide many different classes and unique opportunities including painting, photography, jewelry, functional pottery and sculptures.





# Transportation

- ❑ 47,884 total miles traveled by RNI recreation vehicles
- ❑ 222- Individuals transported
- ❑ RNI installed plexiglass dividers in all route vehicles
- ❑ RNI purchased a transit in December 2020







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# RNI, Inc. Locations

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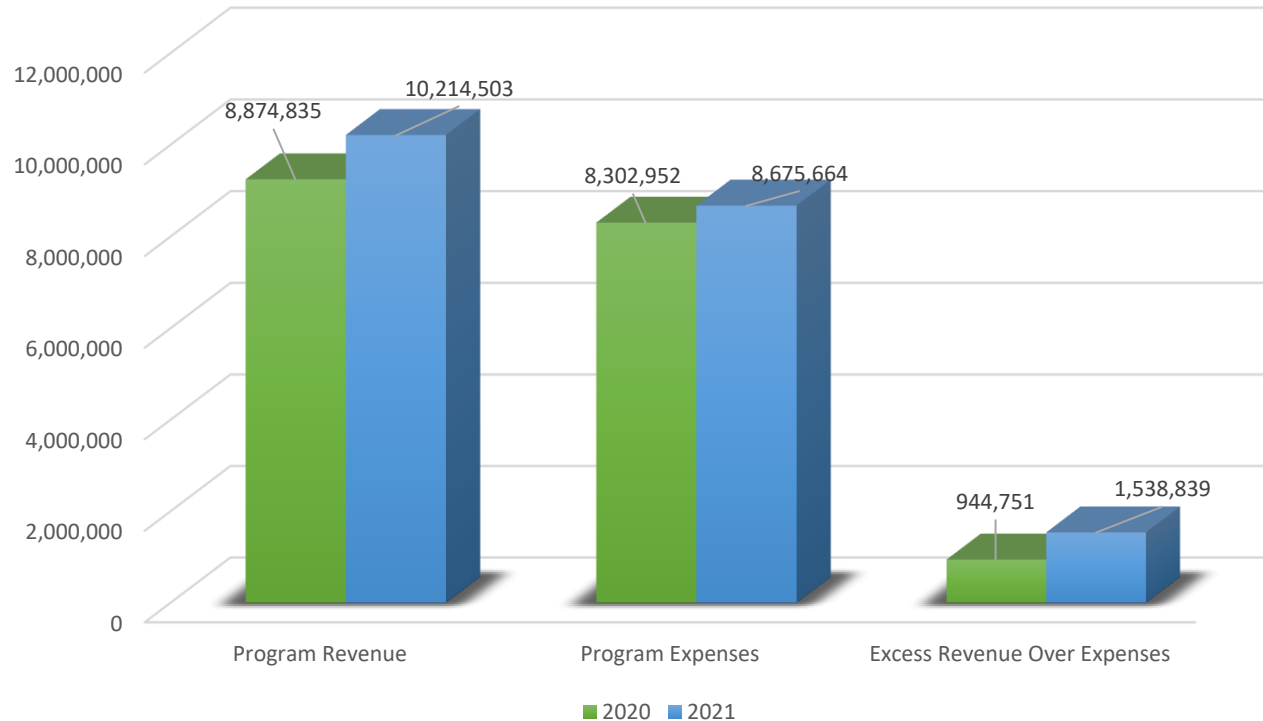
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