The Kyle Pease Foundation
Together WE Wheel!
www.kylepeasefoundation.org

Our History:
What began as a fairly simple question: “Can people in wheelchairs do Ironman?” has morphed into a 9-year-old foundation that supports hundreds of people annually.

Brothers Kyle and Brent Pease are the co-founders of The Kyle Pease Foundation. Kyle has cerebral palsy, is a spastic quadraplegic, and is confined to a wheelchair. Brent is your typical big brother who has always found a way to include his kid brother. With Kyle’s heart and Brent’s legs they have competed in countless races including the 2018 Ironman World Championships in Hawaii and qualified for the 2020 Boston Marathon. Their teamwork is undoubtedly special but more impressive than their individual accomplishments is what their foundation has done for others!

In 2010, immediately after Brent and Kyle completed their first triathlon together, Kyle declared that there must be a way for others like him to experience the joy of true competition with no special accommodations or rules. This was the beginning of the Kyle Pease Foundation (KPF).

Our Mission of INCLUSION:
Improve the lives of people with disabilities through Sports. Sport for KPF focuses on endurance events such as 5Ks, marathons, triathlons, and even obstacle events.
Why It Matters:
It isn't about the race shirt or medal. Research has shown that an in-chair athlete experiences the same rush of endorphins their push-assist athlete does. More significant is that they and their families get to be like everyone else for a moment! Parents and loved ones get to cheer on their athlete just like everyone else. In-chair athletes get to say, “I did that!” KPF provides a sense of normalcy that these families do not get anywhere else in addition to social networking opportunities that families with disabilities often struggle to find.

Did you know that the majority of programs that exist to support individuals with disabilities have an age limit of 21? When an individual with special needs turns 21, they lose their access to public education and the programs that go with it. KPF offers opportunities for individuals with disabilities to stay active, make friends, and attend social events with no age limit. Inclusion has no age limit.

Beyond the Finish Line:
In 2018, KPF expanded their mission to inclusion “beyond the finish line.” KPF sought and continues to seek ways in which we can provide inclusion opportunities outside of racing.

- KPF awards The Jake Vinson Family Grant annually. This grant supports families in various ways, from purchasing equipment and making home renovations to acquiring wheelchair accessible vans.
- In response to the Covid-19 crisis, KPF established an Emergency Fund to assist our socioeconomically disadvantaged families with groceries, rent, and other emergency needs.

Be Part of the Process!
KPF's expenses vary from $35 for a 5K to $15,000 for a customized bicycle. Your donation will be impactful!

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