

Outline for Donor Video

Visual starting out showing the logo of BBF, video name Creating Possibilities. Celebrating Abilities. A still shot of a baby (cover of BBF book Audrey?) some still shots of other babies.

Script:

Every child's development is crucial during the first five years; it is even more so when a child is born blind or visually impaired. Blind Babies Foundation has been providing critical early intervention and education services to infants and preschoolers who are blind or visually impaired since 1949.

Visual: Photo of founders (will have names on image),

Visual of map showing areas served

Our professionally trained VIS work closely with families in 14 Central and Northern California Counties.

Visual:

Staff photo, PAC photos, Gail photo

Script:

Gail Calvello, one of our program directors and a VIS for over 25 years, will share some of her insights about BBF.

Gail talking...Hi, I'm Gail...

Home visit images

Gail on orientation and mobility...

Footage with Tyler and Jeri

Video of Beeper Egg Hunt

Segue happens just as Gail starts saying...

script:

"Seeing the children grow and develop...

Gail..."The most important partis to see the parent begin to relax and enjoy the child's development." Then segue into this script:

Word GRAPHIC (plus images):

Blind Babies Foundation

- Provides information and resources to the community
- Accompanies families on medical visits
- Performs assessments
- Refers clients to other agencies and
- Advocates for children and families

Video of Beeper Egg Hunt continues

BBF hosts several annual events, where families enjoy games, activities, good food and a chance to spend time together. Our Beeper Egg Hunt is a favorite and is shown in this video. We also host an annual golf tournament, a celebration with Guide Dogs for the Blind, a Harvest Festival and more.

[golf images](#)

[Guide dogs images](#)

[Harvest images](#)

Having a baby with special needs can be an isolating experience for new parents.

Visual of Alessandra as a baby and her family

When Alessandra was born, her parents Nick and Betty Lituano found help and support for their family through BBF.

When reflecting on her experience as a new mother, Betty said:

"When I found out that there was such a service as Blind Babies, it allowed me to realize that I wasn't alone—that there was a whole world of children and families that were needing help—that were getting it."

Photo of Alessandra at 7

[Alessandra's dad, Nick had this to say about Blind Babies Foundation,](#)

"They fill a need that you don't know exists until it touches your life."

We invite you to join us in filling this need as we continue our work.

visit our website to learn more

www.blindbabies.org

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