



Next meeting
 Tuesday, Nov. 22nd,
 at 5:30 p.m. at
 Trinity Lutheran
 Church, Bryan

American Cancer Society Relay For Life of Williams County Team Captain Meeting - Oct. 25, 2016

Welcome Teams!! And thank you for all your work and support for the 2016 Relay for Life of Williams County. Our official donation total was \$248,260.13

Mission Moment — Samantha Miller, ACS staff partner gave a **Mission Quiz: Your Dollars at Work**. [Click here](#) to see how many answers you know.

Register Your Team Online — The website has changed and hopefully registration will be easier. Any 2016 team member can register your team. You'll need last year's user name (probably your email address and password). Go to: <http://www.relayforlife.org/williamscounty> and click "Join This Relay".

2017 Survivor of the Year Nominations — We are looking for your nominations for both the Youth and Adult Honorary Survivor of the Year. Please submit to Ashley Hamman, 01321 County Road 13, Bryan, OH 43506 or email to: afry1222@gmail.com Download [Survivor Nomination form](#).
 Deadline: November 22 team captain's meeting.

2017 Sponsors — Kelsey McDade offered teams a chance to personally contact their previous sponsors with the new Sponsorship packet rather than it being mailed. Teams also were allowed to select from the mailing list of potential sponsors any they would like to personally contact. (Full list will be emailed to team captains.) Those remaining "unclaimed" on the list will receive a mailing. **SPONSORSHIP CHALLENGE** — Kelsey announced a challenge to teams to increase their team's sponsorship by 10% over their 2016 total. The team with the largest gain will get a pizza party overnight at Relay. There will be a separate challenge for new teams.

ACS-CAN Renewals — **Team Matsu** became our first CAN team by turning in at least 10 memberships. When renewing your membership in the American Cancer Society — Cancer Action Network ... please turn in the money and form to Samantha Miller at our meeting so that our Williams County Relay will get the credit. Download [ACS-CAN Membership form](#).

Committee updates


- **Luminaria** — Contact Deb Gordon (debg@alliedmoulded.com) if you would like a demo sample of luminaria to display at your fundraisers.
- **Photomemorials** — Kylie Powers (chadkylie@gmail.com) is in charge

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**Look Good, Feel Better
 Monday, Nov. 7 at Bryan Hospital**

The American Cancer Society and Community Hospitals, Wellness Center, Bryan, will be hosting a Look Good, Feel Better session on **Monday, Nov. 7th from 6 - 8 pm**. Do you know a woman going through cancer treatment that could use a little extra TLC? Our Look Good Feel Better facilitators will address how to take care of skin, applying makeup, nail care and head coverings. Women also get a great bag of makeup - FREE! Registration is required. Help us spread the word! **Call 1-800-227-2345**.

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IMPORTANT DATES:

- ★ Thursday, Nov. 17- 5:30 p.m. - **Committee Meeting**, Room 2108A, Bryan Hospital
- ★ Tuesday, Nov. 22 - 5:30 p.m. - **Team Captains' Meeting**, Trinity Lutheran Church
- ★ Thursday, Jan. 19 - 5:30-7:00 p.m. **2017 Kick-Off**, K. of C. Hall, Buffalo Rd., Bryan
- ★ June 16 & 17, 2017 - **Relay For Life of Williams County** at the Williams Co. Fairgrounds.

**TEAM
 DEVELOPMENT
 & RETENTION**

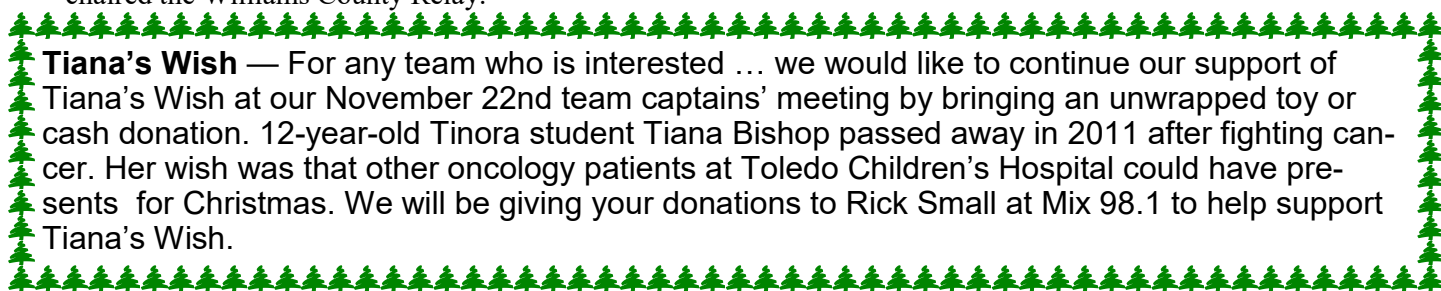
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More Committee Updates ...

- **Survivors** — Chris Vasquez (crochetingqueen62@gmail.com) stated the Survivor Dinner is scheduled for Thursday, May 18 at the Veterans Memorial Hall in Montpelier. She asks that additions or corrections to the Survivor Mailing List be sent to her.
- **Accounting** — Jenni Koch (jkoch@first-fed.com) reminded Team Captains that all deposits should be checks. (Cash deposits are only allowed at Relay). Deposits can be made at Team Captain meetings or dropped at the Montpelier or Bryan branches of First Federal. Address your envelope to Jenni Koch / Relay For Life, Montpelier branch.
- **Silent Auction** — Angela Hillard (Angela.Hillard84@gmail.com) is in charge. Silent auction items should have a value of at least \$10.
- **Live Auction** — Kate Semer (KSemer@chasebrass.com) is in charge. Live auction items should have a value of \$50 or more. Kate mentioned that Black Friday specials (or gift cards you receive during the holidays) make good items for the auction or fundraisers throughout the year.
- **Candy Bars / Group Fundraisers** -- One of our most popular fundraisers, year after year, are candy bar sales. There are four varieties: Roasted Almond, Soft Caramel, Peanut Butter and Crisped Rice. They are purchased by the case of 180 bars for \$90. When you sell them for \$1 each, you earn \$90 for Relay. Janice Govin places the order when teams have ordered at least 10 cases so we can get free shipping. You must pay Janice at time you pick up your order. Contact Janice Govin between meetings at jgpaintbox@yahoo.com or call 419-680-3892.
- 2016 Event Chair Jean Carlin thanked the group for the overwhelming support she received during the 3 years she chaired the Williams County Relay.

 **Tiana's Wish** — For any team who is interested ... we would like to continue our support of Tiana's Wish at our November 22nd team captains' meeting by bringing an unwrapped toy or cash donation. 12-year-old Tinora student Tiana Bishop passed away in 2011 after fighting cancer. Her wish was that other oncology patients at Toledo Children's Hospital could have presents for Christmas. We will be giving your donations to Rick Small at Mix 98.1 to help support Tiana's Wish.

2017 Relay For Life Fundraising Clinic

Saturday, January 14th 2017

Time TBD

St. Mark's Lutheran Church

315 S. College Drive

Bowling Green, Ohio 43402

(Inclement weather date will be scheduled for Feb. 11th, 2017)

We are pleased to provide you with a fun day of round tables to learn about fundraising and team recruitment to help you be the best you can be in the fight against cancer!

What to expect at the Fundraising Clinic:

Year Round Fundraising, Fundraising at Relay For Life, Online fundraising, how to set up your campsite, Individual Fundraising Club information, Hope Club, ACS CAN, team engagement, Team Member Recruitment ideas, sharing time, door prizes, and much more!

We are offering one date to all Northwest Ohio Relay team captains and participants to attend.

Team Captains - please share with your teammates to save the date! Your official invitation with the registration link will be coming in the mail soon.

***** FUNDRAISERS *****

Team Marshall is selling *Texas Roadhouse Gift Cards* through **November 7**. \$15, \$25 and \$50 cards are available. This makes a great Christmas gift and they are good at all locations in the United States. Contact Mandi McClain
Email at: MandiMcClain13@gmail.com

Euchre Tournament Monday, Nov. 14 — Team Foster and Yanfeng Cancer Warriors co-host a Euchre Tournament from 6-9 p.m. on the 2nd Tuesday of each month at the Center Township building, 04266 Co. Rd. C, Bryan.

Arrow Tru Line team is sponsoring a *Snowman Welcome Canvas Painting Party* on **Tuesday, Nov. 15th**, from 6 to 8 p.m. at Stoney Ridge Winery. \$40 per person, includes appetizer bar. Reservations are required and can be made at www.artselfexpressions.com or by calling 419-572-0796

Team Courageous will be participating in the *Montpelier Craft Show* **Saturday, Nov. 19** at Superior School., Montpelier

Viva Vickie is offering personalized *Letters from Santa* for kids. For a donation of \$5 Santa will write an extra special letter to your child and mail it for him or her to receive before Christmas. Contact Kelsey McDade for more information (419-202-9547). Deadline is Nov. 22.

Pies Orders for Thanksgiving -- Counting Our Blessings team is holding their 2nd annual Thanksgiving Pie Sale and are accepting pre-orders for pies for Thanksgiving. Flavors available are Pumpkin, Pecan and Apple. The pies are available for a free will donation and will be baked the weekend before Thanksgiving. Pickup and delivery will be arranged. Orders can be made by contacting Lyn Willinger rwillinger@att.net or Marie Wolff macwolff@hotmail.com