



AMERICAN CANCER SOCIETY RELAY FOR LIFE

Celebrate.

Remember.

Fight Back.

The American Cancer Society Relay For Life of Carlmont is returning to Carlmont High School on July 18-19, 2015! Last year, 40 teams joined together and raised approximately \$35,000 to help the American Cancer Society provide much needed services, education and research funding to fight cancer. Relay For Life, the American Cancer Society's signature fundraising event, is a fun-filled overnight experience where people from within the community gather to celebrate survivors, remember those lost to cancer, and to fight back against this disease. Relay participants help raise money and awareness to support the American Cancer Society. Much of this money is returned to help fund our own community programs.

During Relay, each team pledges to keep one member on the track, walking or running laps, for the entire 24-hours. The events are held overnight to represent the fact that cancer never sleeps and neither will the people fighting this disease. Throughout the 24-hours there are activities and events to keep the teams entertained and motivated.

But, Relay isn't about taking laps -- it's about coming together in the fight against cancer. We hope that you will want to join us in the opportunity to build hope for a future where cancer no longer threatens the lives of the people we love.

How can you help? Join us! This is a huge effort, run by volunteers and their ACS staff partner. Last year we had over 100 people relaying and 20 survivors! This year we hope for the same spectacular turn out. But we really need your help. We are looking for donations of \$50 to \$100 or more for all participants involved in this Relay For Life event. Any amount donated would be greatly appreciated.

We sincerely hope you join us in this event. If you have any questions, would like more information or would like to arrange for donation pick up for this year's Relay For Life, please contact us. We'd be happy to hear from you.

Sincerely,

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Visit www.RelayForLife.org



How Can I Help?

(Please don't feel like this is an all or nothing request. If you can only provide a portion of one of these items, we are thankful -- Just let us know what you want to do and we'll make arrangements)

Join the Relay

- Start a team!
- Join the planning committee
- Support a team
- Become an event sponsor (please ask us about the different levels available!)
- Dedicate a Luminaria
- Promote fundraisers and survivor registration

Donate Incentives and Raffle Items

- Donate gift cards/certificates or items to be raffled or used as incentive and activity prizes

Survivor Celebration (Survivor Lunch)

- Sponsor food for the survivor luncheon
- Sponsor beverages for the Survivor's lunch
 - Coffee, cream and sugar
 - Iced Tea / Lemonade
 - Water / Ice
- Sponsor dessert for the Survivor's lunch
- Sponsor centerpieces (door prizes)
- Help set-up the Survivor's lunch
- Help serve lunch
- Provide napkins, utensils, plates, and cups
- Provide table cloths
- Pass out an invitation to a survivor
- Help sign-in and greet survivors at Relay
- Donate paper towels and cleaning supplies
- Help clean up after the lunch

Luminaria

- Provide sand for the luminaries
- Provide glow sticks
- Help set out the Luminaria, Sat evening
- Clean up the Luminaria at 8 a.m. Sunday
- Donate Art Supplies for luminary decoration

Entertainment

- Share with us the name of a person or group who would like to provide entertainment.
- Kids Entertainers (Puppeteers, Balloon Animals)
- Sponsor a theme lap, activity game or contest

Help With Logistics

- Sponsor the printing of the event program that will be distributed during Relay
- Arrange for garbage bin and recycling cans for the Relay
- Help Mark off Campsites, Friday
- Help set up the Relay, Saturday AM
- Help clean up after the Relay, Sunday AM
- Donate Art Supplies/Crafts for kid area
- Donate helium balloons, purple streamers or other decorations
- Provide Sound System
- Electrician to make sure that hooking up the sound system runs smoothly
- Donate boxes of Trash Bags (72 gal)
- Photography

Hospitality Tent (keep the walkers fueled up and going all night long)

- Provide beverages for the hospitality area
 - Coffee, cream and sugar
 - Hot Chocolate
 - Iced Tea / Lemonade
 - Water / Ice
- Donate snacks (cookies, bars, fruit, nuts, chips & salsa etc)