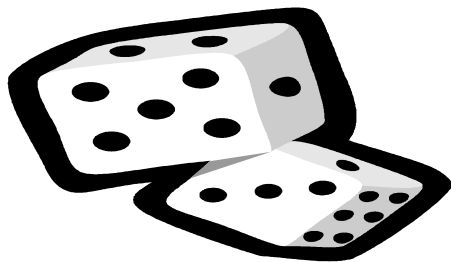


FEBRUARY 2014



Friends
for Hope



Friends for Hope Bunco Fundraiser

February 23rd from 1pm to 4pm
(Bunco starts at 2pm)

at

Senor Iguanas
9424 Shelbyville Rd.
Louisville Ky. 40222

\$20 ticket includes:

Door Prizes

Snacks and Non-Alcoholic Drinks

Prizes: 1st, 2nd, 3rd, 4th, 5th, Last Place and Floater

Tickets will also be sold for Raffle Items

For Tickets please call Carol Hudson @ 614-7062

Friend for Hope is a non profit cancer support group
www.friendforhopecancersupport.org

Cancer Support
Group
(502)451-9600
P.O. Box 5575
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40255

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Friends For Hope Support Group

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Feb 26

March 26

April 23

May 28

June 25

July 23

Gilda's Club is graciously doing dinner before the meeting from 6pm to 6:30pm. If you can join us for dinner please call ahead to let them know how many will be coming with you so they will be prepared.

502-583-0075

Then meet in Emily's Room for the meeting.

Also if you have young children ages 2 to 5 and need to bring them with you they are welcome to a supervised program at Noogieland at 6:30 to 8 pm during the meeting.

Please call 48 hours in advance.

They cannot accommodate children who are not registered in advance.

Thanks and hope you can join us!

We had 33 people in attendance at the Christmas Party this year

MEMBER UPDATE

Let us keep these members as well as all of our Friends for Hope members in prayer.

Ed Causey —recently got the all clear from his PSA test! Yeah

Maurice LeFevre—had surgery on his shoulder and is recouping

Cathy Reising—had knee surgery and is doing well

Bette Williams—had a new pacemaker before Christmas and hardly ever stopped moving!

Carol Phipps—is struggling with heart and lung issues

Tammy Shields—is still having problems with her leg not healing. She will need more surgery sometime after March if she starts to heal.

Could take a couple surgeries. Spirits are good, just bored and tired.

Joe Slack— is doing good still eating lots of tomato soup and pudding ensure. He stays busy taking care of Tammy..

Karen Blake—chemo is working—doing well

Janice Kelly—doing great

Angela Ratterman —is currently in active radiation treatments every day and has 6 more weeks to go. She is hating it—says her chemo was better than the every day stuff but says it will be over before she knows it—what a great attitude.

Kendall Maurer—she fell on Fri. Jan. 24th and hit her head but says she is doing ok—she has 2 girls coming in to help her out during the day.

Friends for Hope

**extends a huge thanks to the following
who made a monetary donation to the
group**

July 2013 through December 2013

**Donations are used for
scholarships and to purchase what is
not donated.**

**\$300 Anonymous
Bev Cunningham
MH Equipment
JRM Foods LLC
Regina Gallagher &
Allstate Giving Campaign
Sandra Robinson**

In Memory of Linda Zay

Daniel Zay

In Memory of Joe Crosser

Martha Simpson

Golfing for a Cure-\$2250

From Kevin Blake—WOW

**We appreciate
our donors!!!**

***Friends for Hope is endorsed by
The Kentucky Cancer Program
& Hosparus***

***Kentucky Cancer Program has
been supportive of our group
since it began. They do our
mailings for us, our contact
sheets, and print our newslet-
ters. They save us a bundle in
postage. We appreciate them
very much.***

***Hosparus, too, has been a great
support allowing us usage of
their meeting rooms for our
board meetings and our memo-
rial services. In the past they al-
so allowed us the use of rooms
for our support group meetings.***

Thanks to both!

A Huge Thank You to our Donors from the Fall 2013 retreat!

A Trusting Touch

Arvin Corbett

Bernheim Forest

Bette Williams

Blondie's Produce

Bob Miller

Carl Logsdon

Cindy Anderson

Cracker Barrel-Crittenden Dr

Country Garden Florist

Debbie Minton

Donna Dedas

Gertrude Meredith

Gina Bottom

Jamie Link

Jeff Bohn

Jerry & Cathy Reising

Karen Parker

Kim Venegas

Krispy Kreme-Bardstown Rd

Lee's Famous Recipe-Main office

Louisville Science Ctr

Louisville Zoo

Mark's Feed Store-Dixie Hwy

Marriott—Embassy Square Blvd

Milestone Fitness

Newport Aquarium-Newport,Ky

Outback Steak House-Bardstown Rd,

Signature Dr. & Brownsboro Rd

Pizza Hut—headquarters

Rooster's-Dixie Hwy

Ruth & Mick Pearson

Skyline Chili

Sports Clip—Dixie Hwy

Sue Kunsch

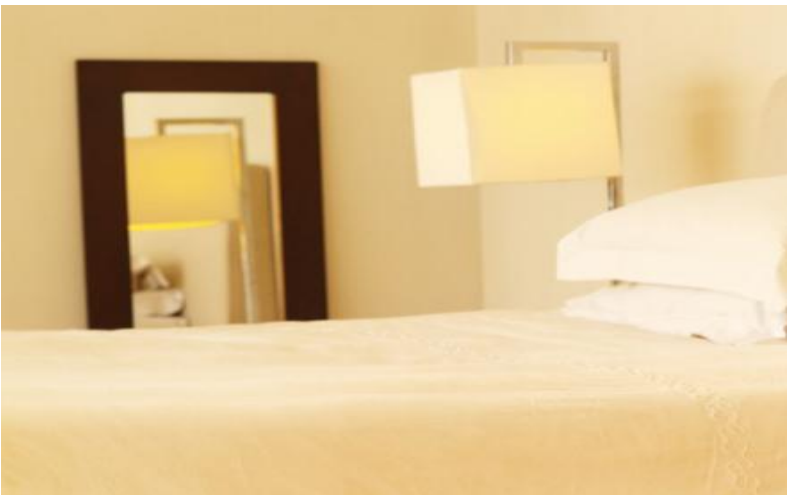
Swift Meats

Tinsletown

Tumbleweed—River Rd

**DON'T FORGET TO BRING YOUR BED SHEETS, BATH
TOWELS, WASH CLOTH, ETC.**

**THESE WILL NOT BE INCLUDED AT THIS RETREAT OR
THE ONES TO FOLLOW**



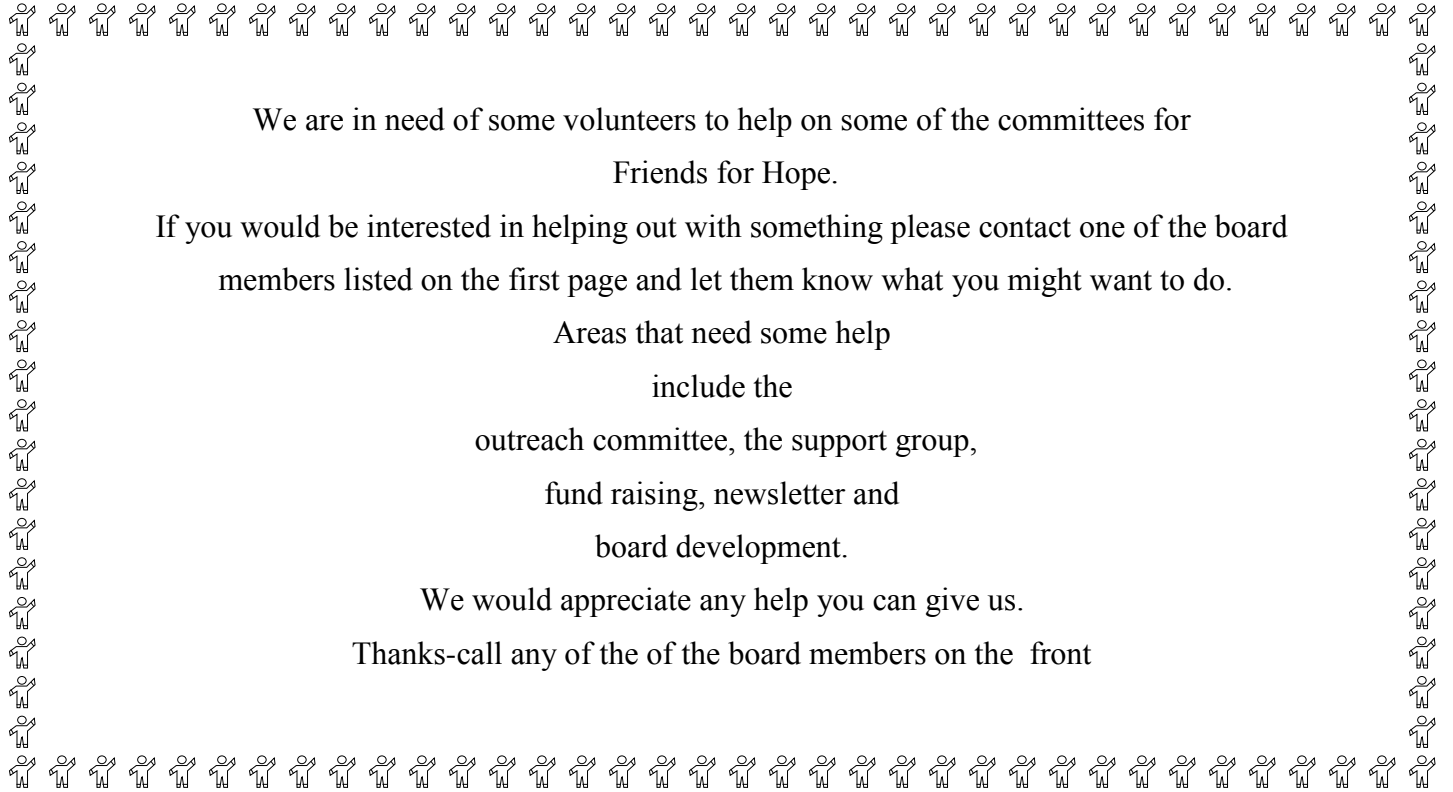


Our heartfelt sympathies go out to
the families of

Ray Graves May 2013

John Adams Hertle 8-17-2013

Bridget Cutler 12-11-2013



We are in need of some volunteers to help on some of the committees for
Friends for Hope.

If you would be interested in helping out with something please contact one of the board
members listed on the first page and let them know what you might want to do.

Areas that need some help
include the
outreach committee, the support group,
fund raising, newsletter and
board development.

We would appreciate any help you can give us.

Thanks-call any of the of the board members on the front

REMINDER

If there is a death, please notify
Jeff Bohn 773-4645 or JuneBug Head 510-1560
for the
telephone tree to make calls.
Thanks

MISSION STATEMENT

Friends for Hope is a non-profit organization

Created for the purpose of supporting adult cancer survivors, family members and caregivers through friendship, love and laughter.

Our mission is to provide support through monthly meetings on the fourth Wednesday of every month from 6:30— 8:00p.m.

At Gilda's Club, 633 Baxter Ave , Lou., Ky. 40204

Trained professionals facilitate these meetings where you can meet new friends, share experiences, and express feelings.

Friends for Hope also offers two weekend retreats, one in the Spring and one in the Fall.

The relaxing, informative and fun-filled retreats are a time for those affected by cancer to enjoy fellowship and support in a beautiful natural surrounding.

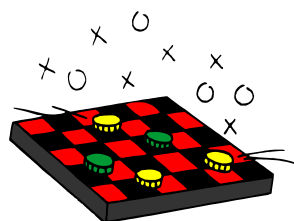
Our hope is to make living with cancer the most positive experience possible

THE DATE FOR THE

Spring Retreat is
April 11-13, 2014

The Theme is
Life's A Game,
Let's Play

PLEASE SAVE THIS
DATE AND
PLAN TO JOIN US



Discount for early
registration is
March 21, 2014

The final
registration date is
April 4, 2014

*The fall retreat is
September 5-7, 2014*