

FASHION FOR HOPE

Silent auction bidding number:

Silent auction bidding opens at 6:00pm and closes at the end of intermission. No bidding will be allowed once the second half of the show begins.

Silent auction winners will be posted on bid sheets near each auction item at the end of the style show. Raffle winners will be posted on signs near the front entrance of the Design Center.

5th Annual
FASHION FOR HOPE
Style Show

October 4, 2012



The Sheboygan County Cancer Care Fund

In 2000 a group of concerned community members came together at the request of local oncologist Dr. H. Marshall Matthews to discuss his vision of creating a fund to assist local cancer patients meet the many financial challenges of a cancer diagnosis. In 2001 the Sheboygan County Cancer Care Fund (SCCCF) was incorporated and approved by the IRS as a 501(c)(3) Exempt Organization. The mission of the SCCCf is to offer financial assistance, known as gestures, to cancer patients to help them cope with the many physical, emotional, and financial challenges of a cancer diagnosis. Since its inception, the SCCCf has distributed almost \$500,000 in approved financial gestures to local cancer survivors.

The SCCCf is unique amidst the many cancer organizations in several ways. The SCCCf helps those cancer patients right here in our own community. The SCCCf is made up entirely of volunteers to insure that the most of every dollar donated goes directly to those in need. Unlike the many cancer-related organizations that fund important medical research, the SCCCf chooses to help those who are living with the disease today to address their most immediate needs and concerns. For more information visit www.scccf.org or call Tim at 920.458.7433.

Kacia

Kacia is a women's boutique located at the Shops at Woodlake. Nancy Matthews is the owner and initiator of the Fashion for Hope Style Show, an oncology nurse and the wife of SCCCf founder, Dr. Matthews. When asked about her thoughts on why she started this event, Nancy shared the following:

“Sometimes I have felt that everything important in life I learned in the chemo room from my patients. I just wanted to give something back to all of those special people who taught and/or gave me so much. After buying Kacia, I missed my nursing life so I decided to mix fashion (fun) and my favorite local cancer fund. I wanted to have a fashion show and have the proceeds go to the SCCCf. Once the seed was planted, I talked to my manager, Kim Schmidt, Tim Renzelmann at the SCCCf and the ladies of the Pink Brigade. It was an amazing effort of work, cooperation and generous donations from many whose lives have been touched by cancer. Truly a community effort for a community fund!”

The Pink Brigade

We are a group of breast cancer survivors and supporters of all cancer survivors. Together, we care, we share. We laugh, we cry. We cheer, we jeer. We worry, we pray. We are linked together in support of each other and in support of all cancer survivors and their families. It is our intention to inform, encourage, celebrate and live! Anyone is welcome to join us!



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A Beacon of Hope

Kacia & The Pink Brigade thank you for your support and generosity this evening. We invite you to help us illuminate the beacon of hope that the Sheboygan County Cancer Care Fund provides for all cancer survivors in our community to see!