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“Puttin’ on the Pink”



A 5K Race & Two-Mile Fun Walk Promoting
BREAST CANCER AWARENESS, SUPPORT & SURVIVORSHIP

October 5, 2024 – 4 PM – Morey Park – Patterson, LA

Calling All Teams:

Roots & Ribbons Foundation is a 501(c)3 non-profit corporation dedicated to serving St. Mary Parish residents (and anyone within the 70380 postal code) who are undergoing screening and treatment for breast cancer. Our mission is to spread awareness about the benefits of early detection and to offer some financial support to our residents who are living with a breast cancer diagnosis. To raise funds and awareness and to CELEBRATE our breast cancer survivors, we will be hosting “Puttin’ on the Pink,” a fun and “fancy” 5K Race/2-Mile Walk at Morey Park in Patterson on Saturday, October 5, 2024, beginning at 4 PM. This will not be your average 5K or 2-Mile Walk: We are dressing it up as only south Louisiana can by asking participants to be “Puttin’ on the Pink” to raise awareness and celebrate survivorship during October’s Breast Cancer Awareness month.

Breast cancer affects one in eight women (and men too) and so many of us know someone fighting the fight. Recruit your family, friends and co-workers and get your team together to join us at this event to honor, celebrate and support. Have fun with it; pick a theme, dress up and recruit as many as you can as we will have prizes for the best dressed, biggest team and best theme. We are enclosing a team form and individual registration forms to help you get your team registered. Remember, survivors participate free. We ask that you appoint a team captain (notify Dee Hymel at 985-518-6118 by call or text with the Team Name and Captain) to assist in registering the team members online or have the team members complete and mail in a registration form. The attached team form can be completed up to race day and will be turned in the day of the event to help us award the top team prize. You are welcome to make copies of the registration form. To assist us in tracking teams, please have them write the name of their team and/or team captain on the top of the registration form.

If you have any questions or need additional information, please email us at rootsandribbonsfoundation@gmail.com or call/text our Race Director Dee Hymel at 985-518-6118.

We hope you will join us to honor, celebrate and support all our survivors.

Thank you,

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