Rally Tennis Tournament for Cancer Care Fundraising Event

Please join the Siteman Cancer Center and Beginner’s World Tennis in raising awareness and money for the Rally for Cancer Care Fundraising Event while playing an entertaining form of tennis called Rally Tennis.

Saturday morning, August 25, 2018

We will start playing at 9:30 a.m. and expect to conclude the tournament around 12:30 p.m.

You! Alone or as a team with 7 friends

The cost is $25 per player. Refreshments will be provided for participants. See additional information for details and rules.

Frontenac Tennis Club

Just north of Highway 40 on Lindbergh Boulevard and German. Frontenac has eight indoor air-conditioned courts. Parking is available adjacent to the club.

Find us on the web at http://oncology.wustl.edu or on Facebook. Search for Rally Tennis for Cancer Care.
To participate, please complete and return the registration form below to:

Washington University-Oncology
660 South Euclid Avenue
Campus Box 8056
Care of: Alla Bernatskaya
St. Louis, MO 63110
314-747-2155

Or to register online go to
https://commerce.cashnet.com/RallyForTennis

Cancer patients go through tremendous physical, emotional, and psychological pain in their fight against this disease, and of course, their families suffer with them. What is not often recognized is the financial toll that cancer can take on patients and their families. Many patients, as a result of their cancer, must reduce their workload, or sometimes must stop working altogether, and lose their jobs. These patients may not be able to afford copays, or COBRA insurance coverage, and some may lose their insurance coverage altogether. Cancer treatment is very expensive. Combined with the impact of reduced or complete loss of income, cancer patients often find themselves also dealing with very serious financial issues that can threaten their access to care. The Patient Care Fund provides a source of relief to cancer patients when all other resources have been exhausted. We at the Siteman Cancer Center use this fund to help patients with insurance coverage, and issues like getting transportation to treatment, and keeping their gas and electric on in their homes. The need is great and far exceeds our ability to provide assistance, but the Rally for Cancer Care fundraiser is our effort to help cancer patients address these serious financial issues. 100% of the proceeds of this event go directly to benefit cancer patients.

To participate, please complete and return the registration form below to:

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Register

Sign up as an individual for $25 or an eight-person team for $200

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Tennis Preference
C = Competitive
F = Fun, K = Kids

Enclosed is my check payable to “Patient Care Fund” in the amount of $ 
All proceeds benefit funding for cancer patients.

Siteman Cancer Center and Beginner’s World Tennis have partnered to help raise funds for cancer patients in need of financial help in order to receive treatment. Beginner’s World Tennis has been active in the St. Louis area since 1984, developing an interest in tennis as a lifelong sport in which anyone can participate. This event not only will help raise money for cancer patients in need, but everyone has fun playing Rally Tennis.

In Rally Tennis, there are eight players on each team. The ball is put into play (no serving) and the teams, in doubles format, hit back and forth until one team loses the point. Another team member is then “subbed” for the player who lost the point. Play continues until one team gets eleven points and wins the game. You can participate as an individual player and be assigned to a team, or you may sign up with seven of your friends to play as a team. In addition you may solicit friends, family members, and coworkers to sponsor you or your team in the event. All event participants, sponsors, and donors that contribute $25 or more will receive a t-shirt with the Rally for Cancer Care logo, free food and drink, and the positive feeling of knowing that each participant has helped support cancer patients in financial need. You do not have to be a tennis player to participate. You can even borrow a tennis racket from us if you don’t have one. Everyone, from beginners to experienced players, can have fun in Rally Tennis. Sign up now while slots are still available for this worthy and fun event. Please keep in mind that each competitive team must consist of a minimum of 3 women players. Adult registration will begin at 9:00 a.m., and rally play will proceed from 9:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m., with an awards ceremony immediately following. This year we are also adding a kids’ bracket in the afternoon. Kids’ registration is at 1:30 p.m., and play is from 2:00 – 4:00 p.m. Please indicate below if you would like to play in the “competitive” or “fun” adult brackets, or the kids’ brackets.