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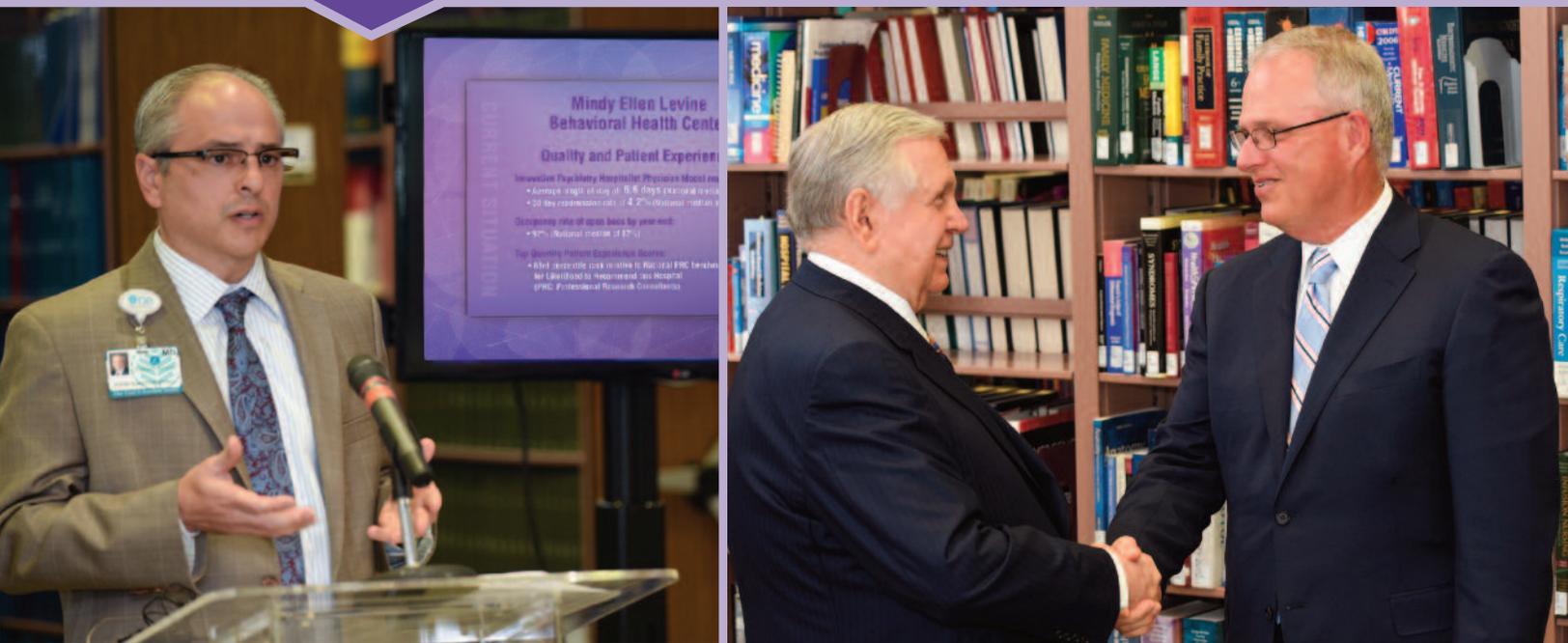
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The Leon Levine Foundation Donates \$3 Million to Initiate Psychiatry Residency Program

Carolinas HealthCare System to build accredited psychiatry residency program to increase the supply of psychiatrists, enhance quality.



On August 26, Carolinas HealthCare Foundation announced that The Leon Levine Foundation has committed \$3 million to initiate a new psychiatry residency program at Carolinas Medical Center. As a result of the grant, Carolinas HealthCare System will further develop the most comprehensive, integrated behavioral health delivery system in the region, offering inpatient, outpatient, school-based, crisis, and residential treatment programs.

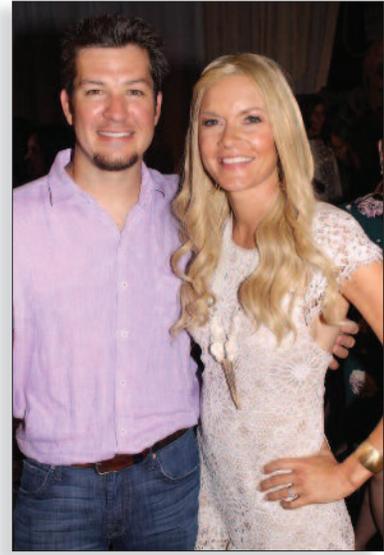
“This new initiative presents us with an exciting opportunity to comprehensively educate and train talented young psychiatrists for our expanding behavioral health programs,” said Michael Tarwater, CEO of Carolinas HealthCare System. “We are deeply honored to have Leon and Sandra Levine associated with this initiative as well as some of the most distinctive healthcare facilities within Carolinas HealthCare System.”

The four-year accredited program, which will be named the Sandra and Leon Levine Psychiatry Residency Program, will instruct 12 medical residents, helping meet a pressing need for talented physicians providing behavioral health services in this region. The program embodies the steadfast commitment by Carolinas HealthCare System and The Leon Levine Foundation to expand mental health services and education, as well as to address the behavioral health crisis in this region and build a model for healthcare organizations across the country. “We are pleased to support Carolinas HealthCare System and their vision to expand critically needed behavioral health programs for patients and families in our area,” said Leon Levine.

Martin Truex Jr. Foundation

The Martin Truex Jr. Foundation is a loyal and longtime friend of Levine Children's Hospital. Their generosity has helped make the Ryan Seacrest Studios a reality, and established The Martin Truex Jr. Pediatric Special Needs Fund at Levine Children's Hospital. This fund, made possible in part by the Foundation's annual charity event, *Catwalk for a Cause*, provides financial assistance to hospitalized families in need. In addition, the Martin Truex Jr. Foundation recently committed \$300,000 to support a new nursing position that will expand cancer research efforts at Levine Children's Hospital's Torrence E. Hemby Jr. Pediatric Hematology and Oncology Center.

When he's not walking the catwalk with NASCAR friends Dale Earnhardt Jr., Danica Patrick, and Kasey Kahne, Martin extends his support beyond the walls of Levine Children's Hospital to impact the lives of patients at Levine Cancer Institute as well. Ovarian cancer awareness is a cause that hits close to home for Martin and his long-time girlfriend, Sherry Pollex, who was diagnosed with the disease last year. This September, the Foundation sponsored the annual Stiletto Sprint, which benefits ovarian cancer research, patient support programs, and education at Levine Cancer Institute.



*Martin and his long-time girlfriend,
Sherry Pollex*



Members of the Charlotteans 4 Cancer Cure

Charlotteans 4 Cancer Cure Funding Local Research

Charlotteans 4 Cancer Cure (C4CC) held its annual golf tournament on October 1 at Carmel Country Club, raising nearly \$35,000 to benefit Carolinas HealthCare Foundation's Cancer Research Innovations Fund. The fund supports clinical trials and related research conducted at Levine Cancer Institute. C4CC was established in 2012 by a group of women in the 18-Hole Ladies Golf Association at Carmel Country Club. Many of these women and their families have been touched by cancer, and their combined efforts have now raised nearly \$100,000 to help bring cutting-edge cancer treatment to Charlotte. Last year, Charlotteans 4 Cancer Cure was recognized with a special plaque in the hospital's Phase 1 Clinical Trials Family Waiting Room, honoring their advocacy and partnership with Levine Cancer Institute.

GIVING LARGE

A Positive Experience, A Generous Gift

After her son received excellent care in the emergency room at Levine Children's Hospital, Kelly Hughes was compelled to give back generously. She reached out to Carolinas HealthCare Foundation and asked about options for giving. Her family, through the Elsie & Marvin Dekelboum Family Foundation, committed to a gift of nearly \$350,000 to fund a pediatric critical care ambulance. Thanks to one child's experience, now thousands will benefit from the enhanced resources at Levine Children's Hospital.



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Latin Radiothon Scores Milagros (Miracles) For Kids

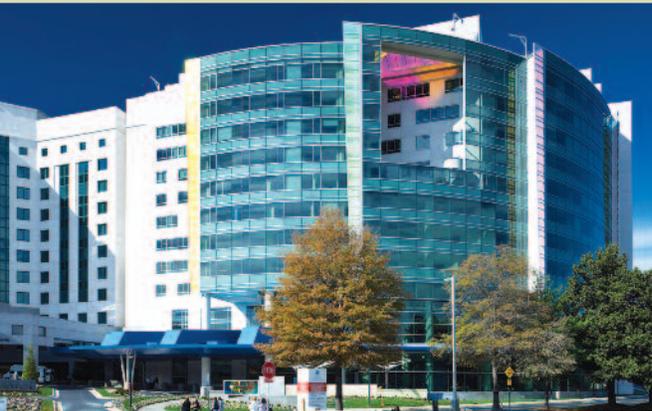
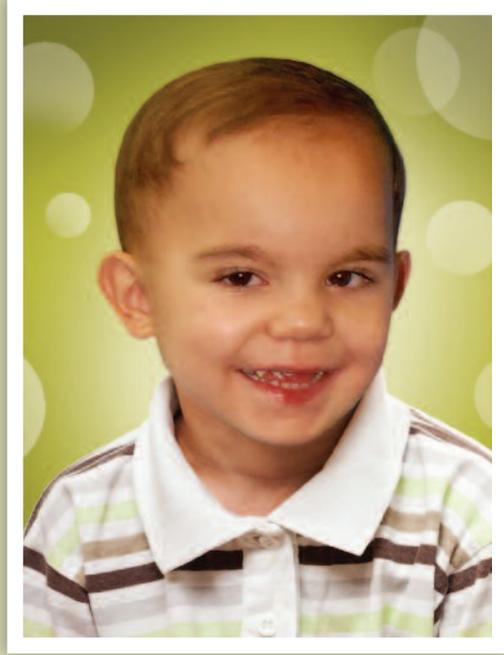


Thanks to generous community support, the *Milagros Para Los Niños* Radiothon (held by Norsan Media and broadcast on La Raza 106.1) raised \$93,000 for Levine Children's Hospital. Donations will fund critical equipment, services, and research to improve the lives of children in the Charlotte area. La Raza 106.1 listeners were moved by stories of hope shared by families of current and former patients, including many from the Hispanic community.

Norsan Media presented Levine Children's Hospital with a check for \$93,000.

Donors Have a Heart for Nolan

Like any normal 2-year-old, Nolan Perez wants nothing more than to play with his toy trucks and his twin brother, Grant. But Nolan's life has been anything but normal. While Grant was born healthy, Nolan was born with Hypoplastic Left Heart Syndrome (HLHS), a congenital heart disease causing the left heart chamber to be severely under-developed. Nolan has already undergone two open heart surgeries in his short life to correct the defect. Thankfully, the Perez family was able to find this care close to home at Levine Children's Hospital. "Not every hospital is equipped to adequately handle congenital heart disease," said Nolan's father, Chris. "Many kids are transported to hospitals hours away...so we're lucky to have one of the best right here."



Levine Children's Hospital, recognized as one of the nation's best by *US News and World Report* for Cardiology and Cardiac Surgery, houses the preeminent pediatric cardiac center in the region—thanks in large part to the support of generous donors. Philanthropy ensures that patients receive life-saving care from birth to adulthood by funding cutting-edge technology and providing patient support programs to meet the unique needs of families facing a congenital heart condition.

CHS Teammates Give Back

Millions of smiles and tremendous thanks go out to Carolinas HealthCare System teammates, who once again proved their dedication to children in the Carolinas through the 2015 CHS Community Giving Campaign. Gifts totaled over \$1.5 million, making Carolinas HealthCare System the lead contributor, locally, to Children's Miracle Network Hospitals.



The Duke Endowment Awards \$800,000 to Enhance Behavioral Health Programs

In September, Carolinas HealthCare Foundation announced an \$800,000 grant from The Duke Endowment to fund the integration of behavioral health services into pediatric primary care practices serving both North and South Carolina. The gift was one of the largest Carolinas HealthCare System has received from the organization and will enable the System to greatly extend its existing behavioral health model.

"Our organization is dedicated to expanding programs that promote health and help prevent disease," said Mary Piepenbring, Vice President of The Duke Endowment. "This is an opportunity to make a tremendous impact on the delivery of behavioral healthcare for children and adolescents in our region, and to establish a model that others may emulate."

Funding from The Duke Endowment will be used to provide salary support, conduct onsite research into best practices, underwrite training and educational programs, and provide technology support. It will also enable Carolinas HealthCare System to further develop its integrated behavioral health delivery system, which currently offers inpatient, outpatient, school-based, and crisis treatment programs.

"This generous investment by The Duke Endowment will help us to identify and address behavioral health issues in young patients at an early stage, before emergency treatment is required," said Martha Whitecotton, Senior Vice President for Behavioral Health Services, Carolinas HealthCare System.



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Hurricane Doesn't Stop Hickory Rotarians From Fighting Kids Cancer

Although Hurricane Joaquin caused the 3rd Annual Carolina Cycle Challenge to cancel its cycling events on October 4, it didn't dampen the spirits of those who are committed to raising funds for pediatric cancer research at Levine Children's Hospital. Generous sponsors and other local supporters still pulled together to raise \$30,000!

The event, formerly known as Brett's Ride, honors the memory of Brett Gosnell, a Hickory teenager who lost his battle with cancer in 2006. Today, five area Rotary Clubs—in partnership with the City of Hickory, the Hickory Foundation YMCA, and the Hickory Velo Club—continue the volunteer-driven event under its new name, Carolina Cycle Challenge.



PROFILE

The Right Choice for Kids

Charlotte Pipe and Foundry is known as a company that puts people first. Levine Children's Hospital is fortunate that Charlotte Pipe puts our patients first. Since 2010, local employees of the family-owned company have opened their hearts for children at Levine Children's Hospital, raising nearly half a million dollars through their Choice Campaign. This campaign gives employees the option to select their charity of choice. When they choose Levine Children's Hospital, 100% of Charlotte Pipe and Foundry's gifts go to support special programs and life-saving equipment at the hospital. *Leaders in plumbing and industrial systems – and leading the way as a loyal partner for Levine Children's Hospital.*



PROFILE

CAVU Wealth: Investing in Children's Health

As an independent wealth advisory firm with offices in Walnut Creek, CA and Charlotte, NC, CAVU Wealth Advisors has become an important partner of Levine Children's Hospital. As the presenting sponsor for Dreamcatcher Society 2015 events, CAVU has come through to support this giving society for a second year. Through their philanthropic partnership with Levine Children's Hospital, CAVU Wealth Advisors is reinforcing its commitment to the Charlotte area. Leading the charge in the company's support of the hospital is Nick Foy, Portfolio Manager in Charlotte, who is also a parent of a former patient and serves as a member of the Levine Children's Hospital's Family Advisory Council. Levine Children's Hospital is honored to call CAVU Wealth Advisors a champion for children's healthcare in our community.



WCNC, Community Give from the Heart

On August 14, representatives from local television station WCNC-TV had a strong presence at Levine Children's Hospital, where they spent 17 hours creating awareness and raising funds for Levine Children's Hospital. During the inaugural Give Here for Kids Here Telethon, reporters shared heartwarming stories of patients, families, and caregivers and encouraged the community to give generously in support of the hospital. Throughout the day, young patients, former patients, and other guests helped fill a giant fundraising thermometer with brightly colored balls, watching it fill to the top as the telethon concluded.

With the support of Morris-Jenkins, phone bank sponsor, and generous contributions from hundreds of community supporters, the Telethon raised over \$100,000 for Levine Children's Hospital.

WCNC has been a partner with Levine Children's Hospital since its inception, hosting telethons, promoting fundraising events, and broadcasting stories of hope.

Isabella Santos Foundation Paints the Town Purple

This September, the Isabella Santos Foundation was at it again—painting the town purple for pediatric cancer awareness. On September 17, they teamed up with Woody and Wilcox from iHeartRadio's 106.5 The END to lead their third annual radiothon to support pediatric cancer research at Levine Children's Hospital. Broadcast live from the Ryan Seacrest Studios at Levine Children's Hospital, the event raised over \$12,000 in support for patients fighting cancer. The same month, the Isabella Santos Foundation's 5K/10K Race for Kids Cancer raised additional funds for cancer research. Special thanks go to Erin and Stuart Santos, and the entire Isabella Santos Foundation team, for their continued support of pediatric cancer research at Levine Children's Hospital.



Joshua was diagnosed at age 1 with leukemia and is now a happy, healthy 5-year-old! Watch out, Woody and Wilcox, this budding radio personality loved his moment on-air!



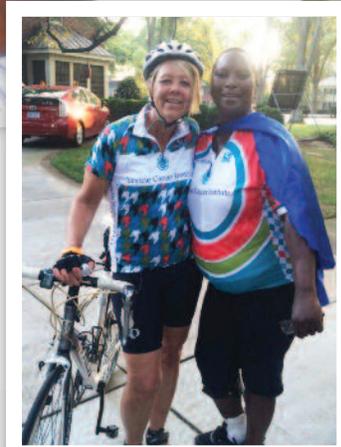
Left: Morris-Jenkins' Bobby and owner, Dewey Jenkins, join WCNC-TV's Larry Sprinkle for the day-long telethon at Levine Children's Hospital. Right: Bobby brings smiles to Levine Children's patients throughout the day.

STORIES OF HOPE

Meet Daras *Survivor Finds Strength in Cycling*

This year has marked more than one milestone for bladder cancer survivor Daras Butler. Not only has she celebrated “five years, cancer-free,” she has cycled in her first 24 Hours of Booty event. The ride represented more than just a personal triumph over cancer; Daras also wanted to honor the memory of her mother, who lost her own battle with cancer earlier in 2015.

After her diagnosis in 2005, Daras fought cancer with the help of a dedicated team of physicians at Levine Cancer Institute. She continues to regain her strength and credits her recovery to the Levine Cancer Institute Cancer Wellness Program, which is powered by 24 Hours of Booty.



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24 Hours of Booty: More than Just a Ride

To Charlotte-area cyclists and cancer advocates—including many survivors, patients, and staff from Levine Cancer Institute—the 24 Hours of Booty charity cycling event is much more than just a ride. Now in its 14th year, the 24-hour cycling event held in Myers Park represents a movement in our community to impact cancer survivorship and patient programs at Levine Cancer Institute. From July 24-25, over 1,000 avid cyclists, cancer advocates, survivors, and hospital staff rode side-by-side in solidarity for a cure for cancer. The event raised \$1.3 million to support local research and patient resources, including those offered by Levine Cancer Institute’s Survivorship and Wellness Program.



LCI team members and survivors at 24 Hours of Booty

20th Annual Hopebuilders 5K Tops \$200,000

On October 10, despite occasional rain, close to 1,000 runners, walkers, stroller-joggers, and community supporters gathered to celebrate the 20th anniversary of the Hopebuilders 5K benefiting Levine Children's Hospital. For two decades, families and friends have joined Hopebuilders in honor or memory of special children in their lives, raising millions to support children's healthcare.

Event co-founders Gigi and William Harris joined WSOC-TV's Vicki Graf to kick off the race. They were joined by Babson Capital Management, which has served as the Hopebuilders 5K Presenting Sponsor since 2008. Their team again led the charge, raising more than \$52,000 in addition to their sponsorship commitment. In addition, UTC Aerospace Systems, Morris-Jenkins, and teams led by CHS physicians Amina Ahmed, Niraj Patel, and Rebecca Usadi, were out in full force. For the fourth year, Parent Financial sponsored the event's Stroller Roller. Thanks to the outpouring of support from sponsors, teams and individuals, net proceeds from the event topped \$200,000.



Former Levine Children's patient, Davis Flohr was honored as the top young fundraiser by WSOC-TV team captain, Vicki Graf.

Thank You!

TOP INDIVIDUAL FUNDRAISER

Thomas Finke
CEO of Babson Capital Management

TOP FUNDRAISING TEAM

Babson Capital Management

YOUNG AMBASSADOR AWARD

9 year-old Davis Flohr



Joedance Film Festival: An Enduring Tribute

Each summer, a quaint neighborhood garden in the Historic Fourth Ward of Uptown Charlotte is transformed by the magic and talent of Charlotte filmmakers, producers, writers and directors who share their talents with supporters of the Joedance Film Festival. This year alone, Joedance Film Festival fundraising events, as well as the highly-anticipated film screening in August, raised \$25,000 for research and clinical trials involving rare pediatric cancers at Levine Children's Hospital. This enduring tribute to the life of Joe Restaino, who lost his battle to osteosarcoma in 2010, continues to grow each year. We are ever-grateful to the Restaino family for continuing to honor Joe's memory by spreading awareness and rallying community support for local pediatric cancer research.

Joedance founder Diane Restaino.



Photograph by SEED20

Hyundai Hope on Wheels Boosts Spirits...and Funds



On August 12, Hyundai Hope On Wheels® awarded Levine Children's Hospital with the \$50,000 Hyundai Impact Award. The award was presented to Dr. Javier Oosterheld for his proven track record in providing excellent patient care to families affected by pediatric cancer and to support his continued research efforts. Levine Children's Hospital has now received \$475,000 in funding from Hope On Wheels since 2010.

The award was presented during a ceremony at Levine Children's Hospital, during which children affected by cancer commemorated their brave battles with the disease by placing their handprints on a Hyundai Santa Fe Sport.

Now in its 17th year, Hyundai Hope On Wheels® remains committed to helping children fight this disease through funding life-saving research and innovative treatments.

Cancer patients at Levine Children's had a special hand in Hyundai Hope On Wheels®.

Carolinas HealthCare System Pineville Hits the Green

On October 12, Carolinas HealthCare System Pineville hosted its seventh annual golf tournament at Providence Country Club. Led by honorary chair and local businessman Felix Sabates, the tournament has raised over \$400,000 since its inception. Top sponsors this year included Carlisle Companies, Wright McGraw Beyer, and Levine Cancer Institute. Funds from the 2015 event will help fund a nurse navigator position at Levine Cancer Institute's Pineville campus.

RE/MAX Executive Hosts Link Up For Kids

Since 2006 RE/MAX Executive has hosted Link Up For Kids, a charity golf event benefiting Levine Children's Hospital. RE/MAX Executive is the largest RE/MAX contributor to CMN in the Carolinas region, with Link Up For Kids Golf Tournament donations totaling just over \$135,000 since the event's inception. All of these funds will help provide the resources necessary to introduce and maintain high quality medical programs, equipment, and facilities for local pediatric patients.

Eastwood Homes Tournament Benefits Seacrest Studios

Eastwood Homes held its 3rd Annual Golf Tournament on September 28 at Raintree Country Club. Since 2013, the event has raised over \$150,000 to benefit the Ryan Seacrest Studios at Levine Children's Hospital. Special thanks to Stephanie Cox, Bryan Degabrielle, Mike Conley, Joe Stewart, Clark Stewart, and the entire Eastwood Homes team for their loyal support.

Hospice Volunteers Lead to Success of Fundraiser

Hospice of Union County held its 19th Annual Golf Tournament this spring at Providence Country Club. The success of the event was due in large part to Hospice volunteers, Rob and Jean Kreisher, founders and directors of the tournament. Special thanks go to Griffin Motors for their sponsorship of the annual fundraiser, which has raised \$1.3 million since its inception to support Hospice of Union County.

Tee Up!

Adam Faulk Tanksley Foundation Transforms Tragedy into Hope

Six years ago, Adam Tanksley was fighting for his life. He was diagnosed with cancer – Stage IV, Anaplastic, Wilms Tumor – just 6 weeks before his 4th birthday. But today, Adam has the strength to give back. The bright 11-year-old is actively involved in the pediatric cancer foundation established in his honor: the Adam Faulk Tanksley Foundation. Since Adam's time at Levine Children's Hospital, the Tanksley family has shown tremendous dedication to advancing the Developmental Therapeutics Program at Levine Children's Hospital—raising more than \$80,000 in 2015 alone through their annual summer golf tournament and related fundraising efforts. We are grateful to the Tanksley family and their supporters for their continued commitment to the fight against cancer in the Charlotte area.



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Sprint Hits Milestones for Ovarian Cancer Research

Patients, advocates, caregivers, and more turned out for the 5th Annual Stiletto Sprint held September 19 at SouthPark Mall. Participants turned out in record numbers to raise funds for ovarian cancer research at Levine Cancer Institute and to create awareness for the disease.

WBTV evening anchor Maureen O'Boyle returned for the fifth straight year as event host, representing her station's longstanding commitment to the cause. She kicked off the Sprint with a moment of silence and a balloon release to honor cancer survivors and the memory of loved ones. This emotional moment was followed by an inspirational survivors' walk prior to the competitive 70-yard sprints.

The I Heart CF team was both the largest team and the top fundraising team, raising over \$15,000. The team was created in memory of Carolyn Finegan, who passed away in August after a lengthy battle with ovarian cancer.

Carolyn Finegan helped create the Stiletto Sprint, along with survivor Pamela Boyajian and other members of the Teal Magnolias, a support group for survivors and women who are undergoing treatment for ovarian cancer. Boyajian earned the title of top individual fundraiser at the event.

Hope, strength, and passion prevailed during the Sprint, which raised a record \$110,000 for Levine Cancer Institute. Support from the Bissell Companies, Belk, and the Institute's gynecologic oncology team were crucial to this success.



Photograph by Carolina Sports Photography

Left: L-R: Teonia Williams with her mother, Valorie, an ovarian cancer survivor. Right: Glittering stilettos were awarded to top finishers at the Stiletto Sprint.



November 24 Secret Santa Radiothon

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NOVEMBER 24 6AM-6PM

RYAN SEACREST STUDIOS AT LEVINE CHILDREN'S HOSPITAL

Tune in to the KISS 95.1 Morning Show broadcast live from Levine Children's Hospital, as we take callers' pledges to support patients and families this holiday season. KISS951.com

November 26 Pounding the Pavement for Parkinson's

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THANKSGIVING DAY, THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 26
CHARLOTTE TURKEY TROT | SOUTHPARK MALL

Sara and Andy Salisbury will again participate in the Charlotte Turkey Trot to honor their father, Andy Salisbury, Sr., and raise funds for The Carolinas Parkinson Disease and Movement Disorders Endowment. poundingthepavement.org



November 26 - December 24 Adam Faulk Tanksley Foundation Christmas Tree Lot

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NOVEMBER 26 - DECEMBER 24 (THANKSGIVING TO CHRISTMAS EVE)
CORNER OF NEW TOWN ROAD AND MARVIN SCHOOL ROAD, WAXHAW, NC 28173

Proceeds from each purchase of a Christmas Tree benefit pediatric cancer research at Levine Children's Hospital. chompchildhoodcancer.org

December 1 #GiveCarolinasHope on #GivingTuesday

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DECEMBER 1 | WWW.GIVECAROLINAS.ORG/GIVINGTUESDAY

Join us in supporting adult and pediatric cancer on "Giving Tuesday," December 1. Your gift will support Levine Cancer Institute or the Torrence E. Hemby Jr. Pediatric Hematology & Oncology Center at Levine Children's Hospital.



December 10-27 The Ballantyne Annual Gingerbread Lane

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DECEMBER 10-27 | THE BALLANTYNE HOTEL & LODGE
10000 BALLANTYNE COMMONS PARKWAY

Visit The Ballantyne to view an enchanting display of gingerbread creations this holiday season. Visitors may "vote" for their favorite gingerbread house design with a donation to support Levine Children's Hospital.





December 27 & December 30

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Belk Bowl 5K & 14th Annual Belk Bowl

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 27 | BELK BOWL 5K | WELLS FARGO PLAZA | 310 S. TRYON ST.
WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 30 | BELK BOWL | BANK OF AMERICA STADIUM

Join Belk this December in support of Carolinas HealthCare System's Levine Cancer Institute and Levine Children's Hospital.

March 11 In the NIC of Time

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FRIDAY, MARCH 11, 2016 | THE FILLMORE CHARLOTTE

This event returns with a BANG! Get ready for a night of dancing, good food, an awesome auction, and more. Buy your tickets today at www.givecarolinas.org/cottie-and-cake



FUNDRAISING IN ACTION

Cycle to the Sea-Charleston: 230 Miles in 3 Days

Imagine riding a bike 230 miles across the Carolinas in just three days. Now, imagine pedaling that distance using only your arms or without sight. That is what a group of extraordinary cyclists set out to do from October 16 – 18. Cyclists and volunteers participated in the premier Cycle to the Sea – Charleston, a unique ride that raises funds and awareness for the Adaptive Sports and Adventures Program (ASAP) at Carolinas Rehabilitation. Funded primarily through philanthropic support, ASAP is truly a gift to the Charlotte community and surrounding area. By offering a variety of programs for local youth and adults with physical challenges at little or no cost to the participants, ASAP helps its members lead active and fulfilling lives.



Carolinas HealthCare System employees gather before the start of the 230-mile ride to Charleston.

In Memoriam

This summer, Carolinas HealthCare Foundation shared in the loss of two advocates for Levine Cancer Institute: Former Carolinas HealthCare System executive Russ Guerin, who lost his 11-year battle with melanoma; and Dr. Teresa Flippo-Morton, a distinguished breast cancer expert and skilled surgeon who lost her battle with pancreatic cancer. They both leave behind a tremendous legacy of support for cancer research and treatment advancement.

In 2013, the *Russell C. Guerin Melanoma Research Fund* was established through generous gifts from Molly and Banks Bourne, Mandy and Todd Houser, and Sherrard and John Georgius, Jr. in honor of their dear friend. To date, this fund has raised over \$100,000. givecarolinas.org/russell-c-guerin



Russ Guerin



This year, the *Teresa Flippo-Morton, MD, Surgical Oncology Fund* was created to honor Dr. Teresa Flippo-Morton's career as a surgeon and mentor to medical residents and fellows. The Fund, which supports an array of educational and research opportunities for residents and fellows in the surgical oncology specialty, has received contributions totaling nearly \$70,000.

Teresa Flippo-Morton, MD

The Robert W. Fraser, M.D., Endowed Lectureship

Dr. Robert W. Fraser, III, who was instrumental in the growth of the radiation oncology department at Carolinas Medical Center, was recognized at a retirement reception in his honor on September 17. At the reception, *The Robert W. Fraser, M.D., Endowed Lectureship in Oncology at Levine Cancer Institute* was announced. This annual



lectureship will feature a notable practitioner in the field of radiation oncology.

Dancing for Miracles All Night Long

On November 7-8, UNC Charlotte students put on their dancing shoes to bring hope to patients and families at Levine Children's Hospital during their annual Charlotte Dance Marathon. The University has become a leader of this national, growing movement, raising over \$100,000 for Levine Children's in three short years. UNC Charlotte students are setting an example to their peers by serving the community and demonstrating the power of philanthropy—at any age.



UNC Charlotte students leading the Charlotte Dance Marathon spend time with 11-year-old Keegan, a long-time patient at Levine Children's Hospital.



BE A PART OF THIS LEGACY GIVING CIRCLE ...

Carolinas HealthCare Foundation is excited to announce the founding of the 1940 Society, a legacy giving circle established to recognize and celebrate those who have generously and thoughtfully included Carolinas HealthCare System in their estate plan.

1940 SOCIETY

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For more information visit:
givecarolinas.org/legacygiving

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The Gift of Hope

The holiday season offers the opportunity to provide hope – to invest in the health and well-being of others in our community. Whether you wish to honor a loved one, thank caregivers for their compassion and expertise, or support the latest advances in medicine, Carolinas HealthCare Foundation offers many ways to give back.

Community support has played a tremendous role in enhancing the services Carolinas HealthCare System offers for our patients including early stage clinical trials; blood and marrow transplants for children and adults; survivorship and educational programs; and the latest technology for rehabilitation.

You may direct your gift to the program that is most meaningful to you, and 100% of your tax deductible donation will go to that program. Gifts may range from personal checks to gifts of securities and charitable bequests. The following are some of the many areas you may be interested in supporting.

- Carolinas Rehabilitation
- Levine Children's Hospital
- Sanger Heart & Vascular Institute
- Levine Cancer Institute
- Neurosciences Institute
- Behavioral Health

Give the gift of hope! Visit givecarolinas.org/holidaygiving for details or call 704-355-4048.



Carolinan HealthCare Foundation