

## **Monday Coffee Break**-we finally got out from under the boxes, registrations and donations- hooray!

### **Welcome to Monday Coffee Break Report from WV Susan G Komen for the Cure-05-19-08**

Let's see how many ways I can report Details from May 3rd Race for the Cure information:

1. 11 states were represented by participants in the event.
2. 45 states were represented in the event as donors- so hats off to everyone that got the word out and brought donations in from all over the states and yes we had 1 donation representing JAPAN.
3. There were 252 Breast Cancer Survivors at the event.
4. 250 Kids for the Cure onboard.
5. 161 'Sleep Ins' registered and we still have 1 dozen to mail out.
6. There were 734 registered RUNNERS...no wonder it was busy on the Blvd.
7. The tee shirt voting based on donations brought in almost \$800.00. Thank you for your creativity and support to the teams that bring so much to the event.
8. There were 183 Teams and they represented \$172,695.00 in revenue and \$111,223.00 of that was in donations.
9. 4564 participants were registered and add in the volunteers, spectators and vendors on site we probably had close to the 5000 event expectation.
10. \$245,986.00 is the total figure as of today...with outstanding matching gifts from companies and pledges still arriving by mail, I can only hope to update this figure in future Coffees. Thank you for the participation YOU brought to this mission, whether it was financial or physical, your time and enthusiasm has provided a wonderful step toward "A World Without Breast Cancer".

### **Race Results**

The individual and age group race results are extensive so I would ask you to go to our web site [www.komenwv.org](http://www.komenwv.org) and click on event and then race and click the link to breakdowns you choose.

There is one note; Team Dawn actually moved up in the Team scoring based on a Team member Pat Galloway with 21.57.10....that should make them #5. This will be noted online shortly.

### **Race Awards**

**Largest Corporate Team; WV Radio V100 Steve & Jenny**

**Largest School Team; South Charleston High School**

**Top Fundraising Team; WVU Internal Medicine Docs with \$11,505.61 just in donations, not bad for a team of 65 members.**

**Most Spirited; West Mane and it may have had something to do with pink hair.**

**Best Team Tee Shirt; and it was your donations that picked the winner...South Charleston High School...fly high Eagles!**

**Top Fundraiser Individuals;**

**1<sup>st</sup> place w/\$2,589.00= Cindy Snyder....her enthusiasm and imagination are now part of our Team Captain meetings "how to" instructions. Ticketmaster and Friends, where it is about the Mission. She will be getting a "Day at the Spa and Dinner for Two".**

**2<sup>nd</sup> place w/ \$2,560.00= Scott Powell....not many business owners or managers would take the pies in the face or dunking in cold water for the Team and Cause, but Scott brings home the message. Working with the community and employees to find A Cure. Scott will get tickets for two with Class VI River Runners.**

**3<sup>rd</sup> place w/\$2,245.00= Greg Rosencrance....The new Team on the block, WVU Internal Medicine Docs. What excitement they brought to the Race with some good competitive fun. He takes home Dinner for Two.**

**Additional Runner Awards;**

**Top Time Team: Kohler Insurance brings in the winning team score again 4 years in a row. In order of times; Travis Epling, Bill Carney, Brad Kohler, Jennifer Ginsberg, Chelsey Houchins, Debbie Kohler.**

**Special Recognition to the women that crossed the line in pink. These three represent Winner/Survivor, what a wonderful example of perseverance and attitude. They achieved and gave back all in the same action. 1<sup>st</sup> place: Deborah McHenry. 2<sup>nd</sup> place: Janie Goetz. 3<sup>rd</sup> place: Janet Proctor in the top three again.**

Donations have continued to pour in after the event, so here is a Team & Individual report on donations up to today.

(As a reminder prizes were based on what was received before 9am race day ) Also you can still claim prizes that were unavailable at the event-please contact the office 556-4808)

***Team fundraising efforts and recruitment; recognizing all teams raising over \$1,000. in donations***

WVU Internal Medicine Docs	\$12,997.61	65	\$11,845.61	Charin Hanlon
Ticketmaster and Friends	\$10,609.00	122	\$8,610.00	Cindy Snyder
WV Desk and Derrick Club	\$5,195.00	32	\$4,645.00	Kathy Tawney
V100's Steve & Jenny	\$7,663.00	161	\$4,644.00	Steve Bishop
Jazzercise	\$4,105.12	32	\$3,589.12	Robert Bane
McJunkin Red Man	\$3,161.00	25	\$2,670.00	Sarah Evans
Charleston Postal REC Center	\$3,630.32	56	\$2,657.32	Pamela Cummings
Our Girl Cheryl	\$3,075.00	33	\$2,501.00	Christy Day
CARE for the Cure	\$2,630.00	18	\$2,350.00	Tonya Kyle
Jackson Kelly	\$2,592.95	17	\$2,279.95	Rena Seidler
CASCI	\$2,839.00	37	\$2,223.00	Robbin Hill

John Adams	\$2,665.00	21	\$2,185.00	Lois Greene
BrickStreet For The Cure	\$3,514.00	81	\$2,093.00	David Walker
Wells Fargo Insurance Services	\$2,299.20	25	\$1,895.20	Patty Mangus
saint francis hospital	\$2,634.00	50	\$1,828.00	Anne Wheeler
Cabot Oil & Gas	\$2,031.00	12	\$1,780.00	Stu Hirsch
APS Healthcare	\$2,239.00	39	\$1,624.00	Helen Snyder
CDI	\$2,092.00	26	\$1,606.00	Holly Bailey
Double D's	\$1,775.00	12	\$1,585.00	Judy Lowe
POTESTA	\$1,766.78	11	\$1,573.78	Sarah Burdette
Planet Dorsey	\$1,703.00	8	\$1,565.00	Kelly Dorsey Napier
All Med LLC	\$1,848.00	19	\$1,550.00	LAURA MALLETT
Jackson County Schools & ADK	\$1,664.63	14	\$1,454.63	Kerynn Sovic
Surgeons for the Cure	\$2,063.00	33	\$1,430.00	John DeLuca
Debbie	\$1,480.00	7	\$1,355.00	debbie myers
Appalachian Power Headquarters	\$1,486.00	11	\$1,321.00	Sonora Murphy
Maccorkle, Lavender & Sweeney PLLC	\$1,646.00	18	\$1,310.00	Debra Brogan
Team Blue	\$1,949.00	40	\$1,303.00	Cathy McAlister
Team Cyndi	\$1,752.00	27	\$1,245.00	Melissa Dailey
Poca High	\$1,547.50	18	\$1,187.50	Ellen Vannoy
All 4 Others	\$1,579.00	28	\$1,149.00	Jennifer Thornton
Nazarene Angels	\$1,259.00	11	\$1,091.00	Deborah Collins
Dow WINs Against Cancer	\$1,619.00	34	\$1,085.00	Reem Kayali
CHERI	\$1,643.00	38	\$1,035.00	Christina Musgrave
Christ Church United Methodist	\$1,976.00	57	\$1,005.00	Tricia Clark

***Top Individual Fundraising efforts; recognizing all fundraising over \$1,000.00***

Cindy	Snyder	\$2,738.00
Scott	Powell	\$2,560.00
Greg	Rosencrance	\$2,255.00

Lois	Greene	\$2,175.00
Robert	Bane	\$2,150.00
Michael	Hanlon	\$1,990.00
Birdie	Lipscomb	\$1,940.00
Jessica	Law	\$1,645.00
Suzanne	Mathis	\$1,477.00
Marilyn	Hall	\$1,473.00
Debra	Brogan	\$1,210.00
Jim	Tippie	\$1,000.00
Myra	Simmons	\$1,000.00

Runner updates:

There is a correction in the Team timing numbers, a runner was unlinked to his team and in making the link it does elevate the team to 5th position. Pat Galloway 21.57.10 a member of Team Dawn. Please accept our congratulations to the Team and an apology for any confusion.

Also please accept our humble apologies for any course confusion. We will strive to excellence in next year's race, building on the experiences of this and prior years.

Please return any stray chips found on shoes to the Racing System Company, you may have been contacted. Any outstanding chips will result in a billing to the foundation.

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Memorial Note: So we are ever reminded of what brings us together each year. These are special notes of remembrance;

1. As one team left the race they went on to the services for not only a team member but a reason to go ahead and show up and participate because she would have wanted them to. Our thoughts and prayers

go out to the family, friends and team of Christ Church United Methodists in memory of Nina Robertson.

2. On May 10th "Our Girl Cheryl" Team lost their namesake. She was able to come to the race and support the team in her honor, as they supported her in grand fashion. Again our thoughts and prayers go out to the family and friends of Cheryl Day.

May we stay ever strong in our efforts to bring awareness to this disease that affects not just one person but communities. Please remember that each one of us is the voice for the underinsured, uninsured and the direction of treatment and research. I am always certain that as we make great strides forward we must be vigilant to complacency. As we stand together in this race, we hold the keys to a better future for daughters and sons. The finish line will open a new day in all cancer survival. So as we remain focused on this cancer and it's impact, we can rest assured that one cure will lead to all cures.

It was indeed a Great Race Day and will impact the lives of many as the proceeds become the Community Grants we will award next cycle and the research that will be done. If one young woman walked away with more knowledge and sense of personal responsibility toward early detection. If one person made a commitment to that mammogram put off for too long, If one survivor was honored. If one memory was stirred for a loved one lost- We will have accomplished our mission on that day. And each of YOU are the WE. Thank you for your participation, this event was and remains YOURS.

Look to future Monday Morning Coffees for information on Committee descriptions and opportunities for volunteering, as well as shared information on treatment supplies and networking toward information sources. I would ask anyone with information or ideas to better serve our efforts, please contact me at the return email address.

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