

6th Annual Golf Outing and Auction

August 4, 2008



Karen's Story

Karen was a gift to all those who knew her. She carried herself as a beacon of hope and inspired everyone she came in contact with. She was a champion of the underdog, generous to a fault, and among the most caring people anyone would ever meet. Regardless of her own circumstances, Karen always took time for others. Until her death, many who knew her had no idea she was ill. She desired to be defined by the content of her person, rather than the disease that inhabited her.

About The Foundation

The Karen P. Nakon Breast Cancer Foundation was established on February 22, 2003, Karen's 38th birthday and the date of her death, to honor her graceful and courageous five-year battle against breast cancer. Because Karen was concerned about the lack of funding for research and some families' inability to endure the high cost of treatments, it was Karen's wish, and therefore the mission, that a foundation be created to help families in financial crisis due to a breast cancer diagnosis.

The primary objectives of the Foundation are to help families endure the staggering cost of treatment, as well as fund breast cancer research. With tremendous community support, the Foundation has assisted hundreds of Northeast Ohio breast cancer survivors and their families with grants.

Foundation Recipients

The Foundation is honored to have assisted and touched the lives of hundreds of women and their families all over Northeast Ohio. The bravery and grace with which these women have handled their diagnoses and treatments is truly inspirational.

Here are just a few words:

"Your assistance to me was pure serendipity! I only hope I'm able to emulate your kindness and ease the hardships of others in this predicament one day . . . may you all be able to retire your efforts for breast cancer and divert your energies elsewhere someday."

Kathy

***"I can't thank you enough"* Lisa**

"This has been so hard on us. Each month we get further and further behind. We are so grateful." **Kristie and Family**

"It is organizations such as this that make fighting this uphill battle a little easier. The rent assistance is a true gift from above and at just the right time." Family of Patricia

"Thanks so very much for the financial assistance of helping out with our mortgage this will give us a chance to get caught up. I fell like my medical condition has put such a burden on my family." **Pamela and Family**





Don't Forget The Silent Auction!

Your Support Makes a Difference

Proceeds from this event go directly to financial assistance for families who are impacted by the staggering costs of breast cancer treatment.

Despite the efforts of doctors, researchers, caregivers, and all supporters in the fight against breast cancer, this indiscriminate disease continues to rage onward. Over 250,000 Americans will be diagnosed with breast cancer this year. Although significant progress has been made, the task will not be completed until a cure is found.

The Nakon Foundation is proud to partner with Northeast Ohio foundations, institutions, and individuals in this fight. Your support through the Annual Golf Outing joined with support from organizations such as Susan G. Komen for the Cure, The Andrews Foundation, University Hospitals, The Cleveland Clinic, St. John West Shore Hospital (and many more), allows the Foundation to grow and makes it well positioned to serve women and their families right here in Northeast Ohio.

Proceeds from the Annual Golf Outing go directly to this financial assistance.



35765 Chester Road
Avon, OH 44011
440-933-7621
www.nakonfoundation.org

\$175.00 Registration Fee per player includes:

- 18 holes of Golf & Cart
- Buffet Lunch
- Complimentary On-Course Refreshments
- Driving Range & Putting Green

Enjoy the Day

- Continental Breakfast or Evening Hors d'oeuvres
- Shotgun Start
- Lunch
- Scramble Format
- Contests
- Cash Bar

Schedule of Events

7:00 am
Continental Breakfast and Morning Registration

8:00 am
Shotgun Start

10:00 am
Silent Auction Opens

11:00 am – 1:00 pm
Buffet Lunch and Afternoon Registration

1:00 pm
Event Program

1:30 pm
Shotgun Start

Hors d'oeuvres following
Afternoon Session

7:30 pm
Silent Auction Bidding Closes

**Driving Toward a Cure
Sponsorship Opportunities**

Double Eagle \$5,000 (\$4,300 is tax deductible)

- Recognition on all event signage as Title Sponsor.
- Name included in all marketing and print materials.
- Four rounds of golf including breakfast and lunch for the morning round or lunch and hors d'oeuvres for the afternoon round.

Eagle \$2,500 (\$2,150 is tax deductible)

- Name on table signage for lunch and dinner.
- Name included in all marketing and print materials.
- Two rounds of golf including breakfast and lunch for the morning round or lunch and hors d'oeuvres for the afternoon round.

Birdie \$1,000 (\$650 is tax deductible)

- Name included on signage at breakfast buffet table.
- Name included in all marketing and print materials.
- Two rounds of golf including breakfast and lunch for the morning round or lunch and hors d'oeuvres for the afternoon round.

Par \$250 (\$250 is tax deductible)

- Name printed on sign to appear on the tee box.
- Name included in the program.

Name (as desired on the sign) _____

Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Phone (h) _____ (w) _____

email address _____ Handicap _____

Amount enclosed: ___\$5,000___\$2,500___\$1,000___\$250

I'm not able to attend but please accept my donation of \$____.

**Please return this form with check payable to:
The Karen P. Nakon Breast Cancer Foundation
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**For additional sponsor or golf outing information
call 440-933-7621**

**For directions to Red Tail Golf Club, log onto
www.redtailgolfclub.com**

Golfer Registration

Please return this form with your entry fees by July 18, 2008.

I would prefer to attend: (on a first-paid basis)

- Morning Session Afternoon Session
and my foursome is listed below

Name _____

Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Phone (h) _____ (w) _____

email address _____ Handicap _____

Name _____

Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Phone (h) _____ (w) _____

email address _____ Handicap _____

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(\$175 per golfer) by July 18th to:**

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