



12th Annual Rock The 80s

The 12th Annual Rock the 80's Concert was held on February 24, 2024 at The State Theatre in downtown State College. It was a rocking, sold-out show that raised over \$25,000. This is a record amount in the 12-year history of Rock the 80's! Rock the 80's would not be possible without event organizers, JR Mangan and James Miller, and our long-time emcee, Jeff Brown. Thank you to all the bands, sponsors, attendees, and volunteers that made our 12th Annual Rock the 80's such an incredible success! Through 12 years, Rock the 80's has raised more than \$150,000 to support local cancer patients who are undergoing treatment and cannot pay their basic expenses.



BPF Holiday Mailing



Each holiday season, Bob Perks Fund holds its annual Holiday Mailing campaign. This year, over \$22,000 was contributed by a number of extremely generous donors. In addition, through the generosity of Linda and Blake Gall and Robin and Ben Heim, your gifts were again matched dollar for dollar, up to \$10,000. We are incredibly grateful to all who contributed to this campaign, which will help BPF continue to meet the increased demand of our neighbors in need.

Share the Love Basket Raffle

On December 9, 2023, Spitzer Subaru of DuBois held an Open House and Basket Raffle to benefit Bob Perks Fund. In addition to the chance to win great prizes through the Basket Raffle, food, drinks, and music were provided for attendees. Love My Bigfoot 102.1 FM was also on hand to broadcast live from the event. An awesome \$603.00 was raised through this event to help support individuals in Clearfield County who are battling cancer. We are so thankful to Spitzer Subaru of DuBois for once again choosing BPF as their Hometown Charity for 2023.



Give Breast Cancer the Boot



For the third consecutive year, Alltrista Plastics, LLC of Reedsville chose to support BPF through their company-wide Give Breast Cancer the Boot campaign. This year, with assistance from Philips Electronics, \$4,743.00 was raised to help ensure Mifflin County cancer patients can focus on getting well, rather than their finances. Thank you to Alltrista Plastics and Philips Electronics for supporting our local cancer community.

Huntingdon Co. Quilt Raffle

Thank you to Rickey Himes and her dedicated committee of volunteers for holding a Quilt Raffle at Comfort Inn Huntingdon in December to benefit Bob Perks Fund. A beautiful quilt, graciously donated by a BPF volunteer, was raffled off to a lucky winner. This wonderful drawing raised over \$1,200 to benefit individuals battling cancer in Huntingdon County.



GNO Check Presentation



In December, Girls Night Out Altoona Inc. committee members presented Bob Perks Fund with a check for \$50,000 from proceeds from this year's fundraising efforts, including their signature GNO event in October. This generous donation will help a wealth of local breast cancer patients pay their bills, so that they can focus their time and energy on getting well. This will make an immeasurable difference in the community. We are SO proud to partner with GNO Altoona to serve local breast cancer patients. Thank you to Juls Bratton and every GNO Altoona committee member and volunteer for all your tremendous work and your very generous donation!

Kish for the Cure

On January 24, 2024, Kish Bank representatives presented the Bob Perks Fund with a check for \$39,872 from proceeds from their 2023 Kish for the Cure campaign. This year's event raised a record-breaking total of over \$74,800, benefiting the Bob Perks Fund, PA Pink Zone, and Relay for Life of Mifflin/Juniata. This generous contribution will directly impact the lives of countless cancer patients in our area. Kish Bank's annual employee-driven campaign has raised more than \$530,000 over the past decade, making a remarkable difference in our local cancer communities. We at Bob Perks Fund are so grateful for our relationship with Kish Bank as a cherished BPF Strategic Partner. The support of the Kish Bank family is truly crucial to our long-term sustainability and mission.



Centre Foundation FOI Grant



Bob Perks Fund is incredibly thankful for receiving a \$2,500 Field-of-Interest grant from the Centre Foundation through the Friedman Family Fund. This grant was awarded to help ease the financial burden of cancer patients in Centre County.

Clearfield County Charitable Foundation Grant

Thank you to the Clearfield County Charitable Foundation for supporting the Bob Perks Fund with a generous grant of \$1,500. This grant was used to provide gas and grocery gift cards to cancer patients in Clearfield County.



Save the Date

2024 Night at the Races

Mark your calendars! BPF Night at the Races is scheduled for May 18, 2024 at Good Shepherd Parish Hall in Port Matilda.

OUR GRATITUDE

Thank you to Teresa Beisel for holding a Pink Jewelry Party to benefit Bob Perks Fund. This event raised a wonderful \$400 to support individuals battling cancer in Blair County. Teresa has been an incredible champion of BPF for many years, holding numerous events on our behalf.



This fall, U.S. Silica Company chose to support Bob Perks Fund through their Breast Cancer Awareness Program. \$558.00 was raised and donated through this program to help cancer patients in Huntingdon County pay their bills, so that they can focus on their treatment and recovery. Thank you to U.S. Silica Company and their employees for their great support.



BPF CALENDAR

April

28 - Bowling Tournament
Huntingdon Holiday Bowl

May

- 4 - ACS Race Day Soiree
Gall Residence, Boalsburg
- 5 - Girls Night Out Cash Bingo
Hollidaysburg Masonic Hall
- 8-9 - Centre Gives
Online
- 10 - UWMJ Golf United Classic
Lewistown Country Club
- 17-18 - HCUW BBQ Bonanza
Huntingdon Co. Fairgrounds
- 18 - BPF Night at the Races
Good Shepherd Parish Hall
- 31 - CvC of PSU Golf Tournament
Penn State Golf Courses

June

- 8 - Huntingdon Co. BPF Event
Mill Creek Lions Club
- 8 - Mikey's Old School Ride
Clearfield
- 15 - HCUW Night at the Races
Huntingdon Elks Lodge

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