

OUR MISSION

Giving Adults Undergoing Cancer Treatment a Time to Remember who they are by Forgetting their Diagnosis for a Few Hours

THE EVENTS OF 2019

In 2019, we planned and funded 30 Nights Out! Each was unique, personalized, and crafted to provide JOY to an adult walking the cancer journey and their loved ones. Some wanted a day full of rest and relaxation, some chose to learn a new skill, others opted for outdoor adventure, while many others enjoyed an Experience at the show, ballfield, or concert venue. No matter how adventurous or low-key, each provided our recipient with something to look forward to and to feel a bit like themselves again.



OUR WONDERFUL VOLUNTEERS



We were blessed this year to be joined by three of our former Experience recipients who now assist us as volunteers. Kathleen Graham, Karen Rossetti and Valerie Hynes are all working with our team to plan Night Out Experiences, and we are thrilled to have them on board! All of these ladies exude kindness, compassion, and teamwork. Welcome ladies and thank you all!



2019 Experiences		
Theater Buffs	Sports & Game Enthusiasts	Music Lovers
Doris M. and her loved ones saw "Little Black Dress" at Proctor's Theatre.	Jan G. and her family cheered on her lifelong team, the New York Yankees.	David N. and his loved ones sang along at the Luke Bryan concert at SPAC.
John R. and his girlfriend participated in "Tony 'n Tina's Wedding" at the Colonie Lodge of Elks.	Kevin D. and his wife saw his favorite team, the Pittsburgh Pirates, vs. the New York Mets at Citi Field.	Dorothy M. and her loved ones rocked out with Blake Shelton at the Times Union Center.
Rebecca B. and her family celebrated the holidays at the "Christmas Spectacular" at Radio City Music Hall in NYC.	Nicole C. and her loved ones tried their luck at the card games at Rivers Casino.	Iteashia T. and her family danced and sang along with Chris Brown in concert.
Yolanda L. and her friend saw the award-winning play "Hamilton" at Proctor's Theatre.	Pam H. and her family rooted for each of the NY teams at a Yankees-Mets game at Yankee Stadium.	Karen W. and her family rang in summer with Hootie & the Blowfish / Barenaked Ladies at SPAC.
	Rich M. and his family enjoyed a Red Sox win at Fenway Park.	Wanda W. and her sisters saw her favorite performer, Kris Kristofferson, at The Egg.
In the Great Outdoors	Learning Something New	R&R
Amanda S. and her family traveled to Maine for an overnight stay at the beach in Ogunquit, ME.	Britta K. and her boyfriend learned some new steps at a private dance lesson and saw Phantom of the Opera at Proctor's Theatre.	Bonnie R., Lisa F., Tracy S. and Valerie H. all spent the day at the spa getting pampered.
Fernando A. and his family spent a day at The Great Escape.	Karen N. and her nieces created oceanic landscapes at a private paint	Erica K. and Rachel C. each feasted on delicious dinners with their loved ones.
Pamela C. and her husband enjoyed an overnight stay in a treehouse in Vermont.	and sip night. Patti P. and her friends learned to	Kelly S. and her husband enjoyed a murder mystery theater dinner at Beardslee Castle.
Patty K. and her family went sightseeing for the day in Boston, MA. Tracy A. and his wife chartered a private fishing boat on Lake George.	basketweave at the Ndakinna Education Center.	Laurie V. and her boyfriend relaxed at an overnight stay at The Sagamore Resort.
Jane Congo		

FOREVER IN OUR MEMORIES

We would like to offer our sincerest condolences to the loved ones of the following recipients who have passed away since our last newsletter.



Yolanda Lee

Amanda Savage Mark McIntosh

Janet Wells

John LaRose



NIGHT OUT FOR YOU FUNDRAISERS

We can't say THANK YOU enough to all our supporters who donated, attended, and volunteered at our 2019 fundraisers! We are always looking to provide a Night Out of fun back to all of you who help promote our mission.

Good For a Laugh: We spent a night full of laughs last March during our Funny Fundraiser at Funny Bone in Crossgates Mall – who doesn't need a few laughs? Those comedians were hilarious, and we all took a few hours away from our to-do's in life.

Take Me Out to the Ballgame: We watched the Tri-City Valley Cats in action at Joe Bruno Stadium in July. Pre-game, we enjoyed dinner under the pavilion and marveled at a magic show. Vamos Gatos!

Harvest Hustle: We celebrated a morning of fitness, health and happiness at our 2nd annual 5K at the Colonie Mohawk Town Park. Run or walk – it was a great autumn day to be outdoors and moving!







Huge kudos not only to the Albany Funny Bone Comedy Club and the Tri-City Valley Cats, but to the sponsors of our 2019 Harvest Hustle: All-Star Wine & Spirits, CapCom, Capital City Roasters, The College Advisor of New York, Inc., Kellie Connery, Datto Inc., Janney Montgomery Scott, Orangetheory Fitness, Power Surge Nutrition and Wellness, Price Chopper, RJ McNamara Financial Planning, Riverview Orchard, Stewart's Shops., and 99.5 The River.

Other Community Fundraisers by YOU:

The New York Women's Expo sponsored us as their designated charity. Huge thanks to our good friend Dan Raymond of Zachary's Pastry Shoppe for assisting us with this event.

The Guilderland Chamber of Commerce selected us as their annual charity of choice for their Ladies' Night Out.

For the second year in a row, we were the recipients of the Philip J. Schuyler Achievement Academy Go Pink fundraiser.

The Boght Hills Elementary School PTA in Latham held a lemonade fundraiser in our honor.

Employees at the NYS Office of the State Comptroller donated proceeds from their dress-down day.

ABC Sports and Fitness in Latham donated proceeds from their Body Pump launch, Zumba Party in the Pink, and several other classes held during October as well as from sales of their breast cancer awareness apparel.

Donna Balcom of Corinth requested donations from loved ones for her birthday.

Lori Todd & folks at Transcendent Trucking held a Jeans Day fundraiser in our honor.

Angela Britt of Latham donated proceeds from her Cabi Clothing parties.

Lauren Cote of Clifton Park hosted a bake sale at her work.

Rose Schuh of Albany donated proceeds from her Pampered Chef online sales.





YOU CAN MAKE A DIFFERENCE TOO!

Want to hold a fundraiser to benefit Night Out For You? Contact us at request@nightoutforyou.org



2019 Year in Review

Since Our Inception in 2016, Night Out For You Inc. Continues to Grow

Community in Kind Support Number of Experiences to Date **NOFY Direct Funding** 71 \$60,000 \$19,000 Do You Know an Adult Number of Experiences 2016 **UNDERGOING CANCER TREATMENT?** 17 Nominate that person for a Night Number of Experiences 2017 Out...it's simple! Either complete the "Nominate" page or download the 17 Number of Experiences 2018 "Experience Request Form" on our website. That's all it takes and we will kick off our planning process from there! 30 Number of Experiences 2019

We All Need Something to Look Forward to



SAVE THE DATE: *Thursday, March 19, 2020*

3rd Annual "Good For A Laugh" Fundraiser Funny Bone Comedy Club, Crossgates Mall

Come laugh with us!!

Donations

Please visit https://www.nightoutforyou.org/donate.html for more information

You can also support Night Out For You by purchasing through Amazon Smile, designating United Way contributions directly to us, or hosting a Facebook fundraiser! We thank you for all your support!

