



## A Breath of Hope Lung Foundation

### PARTNERING for SUCCESS

A Breath of Hope Lung Foundation (ABOHLF) is grateful to have a strong network of businesses and individuals that support our work and help us advance our mission to fund research, raise awareness and support patients/families. The financial support provided by A Breath of Hope's partners has contributed to 80% revenue growth in the past few years and in turn, a chance to create real impact in the lung cancer field.

We are thankful for businesses like *Lee Branding, Optum, David Yurman and Talbots (shop 6/16 at the Wayzata store to support ABOHLF!)* who support our fight by donating services and third party events that help us thrive and continue to move **87% of the donated dollar to lung cancer programs.**

We also want to acknowledge the many companies and organizations that step up each year to *sponsor and attend our awareness events.* This financial support reduces our admin costs and funnels more dollars to research and patient support programs. Thank you [sponsors!](#)

Why do we need more awareness and where will it lead? Family after family come to A Breath of Hope Lung Foundation carrying frustration and sorrow about the cancer that has changed their lives forever.

Their journey to beat a 17% survival rate is worsened by the fact that symptoms were often missed or too subtle to pick up. Lung cancer is mostly found in stages 3 and 4. Nothing will change unless awareness improves and preventative lung screenings become part of our general wellness programs.

May 21st marks the first ever **A Breath of Hope Chicago Lung Run/Walk.** Proceeds will support research at ABOHLF and the University of Illinois Cancer Center. Thank you to **NBC Chicago, Bristol-Myers Squibb, Boehringer Ingelheim, Genentech, Lilly Oncology and Intersection** for their support of the **A Breath of Hope Chicago Lung Run/Walk.**

There's still time to [register!](#)

### RESEARCH NEWS

#### Applications for A Breath of Hope Research Fellowship - Women & Lung Cancer deadline extended to 7/1/2016!

Based on growing lung cancer diagnoses among women and our ongoing problem with lack of preventative screening, A Breath of Hope Lung Foundation's research committee chose to focus one of its 2016 fellowships on understanding Women & Lung Cancer.

More information about our \$150,000 Research Fellowship here: [Research.](#)

Questions can be directed to [research@abreathofhope.org](mailto:research@abreathofhope.org).

### PROGRAM NEWS

**A Breath of Hope Men's Group** - for men who have lost their spouse to cancer. No cost to attend. RSVP to Maria: 952-405-9201.

**Next meeting:** Tuesday, May 10, 7:00 - 8:30 p.m. at our office in Wayzata, MN.

**A Breath of Hope Women's Group** - for women who have lost their spouse to cancer. No cost to attend. RSVP to Maria: 952-405-9201.

**Next meeting:** Thursday, May 12, 7:00 - 8:30 p.m. at our office in Wayzata, MN.

Mark your calendars for the **10th Twin Cities Lung Run/Walk - August 13th** at Lake Harriet!



### EVENT NEWS

#### A Breath of Hope Chicago Lung Run/Walk



**Where:** Burnham Park, Chicago  
**When:** May 21, 9 - 11:30 a.m. (village opens at 8 a.m.; step-off at 10 a.m.)  
**What:** A chance to raise awareness about lung cancer and collaborate with the University of Illinois Cancer Center. Proceeds to benefit research at UIC and ABOHLF.

**Emcee:** Alex Maragos with Event Sponsor, **NBC Chicago!**

REGISTER ONLINE [Chicago 5K](#)

#### A Breath of Hope Golf Classic



**Presented by Title Sponsors:** The Weiss Family, in loving memory of Marie Stenglein; and Mary & William Zimmer Foundation, in loving memory of Margaret Asenbrenner.

**Where:** Deer Run Golf Club, Victoria, MN

**When:** Friday, June 10, Noon - 7 p.m.

**What:** Lunch, 18 holes, The Common Man Challenge, steak dinner hot off the grill, prizes, silent auction and a chance to fight America's deadliest cancer.

REGISTER ONLINE **\$150**

SPONSOR A HOLE **\$250, \$500, \$1000**

#### 10th Anniversary Twin Cities Lung Run/Walk



**Presented by Title Sponsor:** Northfield Lines!

**Where:** Lake Harriet Band Shell

**When:** August 13, 9 a.m. - Noon

Register online June 1: \$35/\$15

Learn about [sponsorships!](#)

#### A Breath of Hope Lung Run/Walk Duluth



**Presented by Title Sponsor:** St. Luke's Hospital

**Where:** Kitchi Gammi Park, Duluth  
**When:** 9 a.m., September 24, 2016  
**Register:** Online in July!

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