

liam's lighthouse foundation

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liam's lighthouse foundation, a non-profit, tax-exempt organization, was established to create and provide educational material and awareness about **Hemophagocytic Lymphohistiocytosis (HLH) including all histiocytic diseases**, and to distribute unbiased, factual information to physicians, hospitals, and the community regarding this disease. Our focus is also to bring families affected by **Histiocytosis** together and offer support through a variety of resources. We also aim at raising much needed funds for continued education of physicians and research to develop safer and more effective treatment methods and ultimately a cure. The harsh reality is that most physicians are not familiar with HLH, many of which have never even heard of the disease. HLH is going undiagnosed or misdiagnosed, and many children have died before a diagnosis could be made due to its rapid, fatal nature. HLH is a life-threatening immunodeficiency. It affects people of all ages and ethnic groups. HLH has a reported prevalence of 1/150,000, although this may be an underestimate. Unpublished observations are showing this to be more like 1/50,000 live births due to better detection. It is not cancer but is treated like it with chemotherapy and steroids. The only chance for a cure is a bone marrow transplant. HLH is usually **FATAL** if untreated with a median survival rate of about 2 months. If Liam had been diagnosed earlier, there is a great chance he would still be here with his family today.

In loving memory and honor of Liam Schulze (1-2-08 to 9-9-09)



All proceeds go to liam's lighthouse foundation to help fund research!

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When: Sunday, June 5, 2011

Shotgun Start time: 12:00 p.m.

Where: Sand Springs Country Club

Registration time: 11:00 p.m. to 12:00 p.m.

10 Club House Drive

Cost: \$85.00 per golfer, includes: green fees,

Drums, PA 18222

cart, goodie bag, dinner (ITALIAN

OPEN BUFFET), and prizes!!

*Beer is included both on the course and with dinner. (Limited to the first 120 golfers!)

ALL GOLFERS MUST BE PAID IN-FULL BY MAY 25TH!!

THREE LEVELS OF HOLE SPONSORSHIPS AVAILABLE:

Platinum (\$250), Gold (\$100), and Silver (\$50)

Silver sponsors will be listed on a large sponsor board at the dinner. *Gold sponsors* will be displayed on a designated hole throughout the course and the sponsor board. *Platinum sponsors* will be on the sponsor board, at a designated hole, and on www.liamslighthousefoundation.org.

*NOT A GOLFER??? NO PROBLEM!!! You can still help benefit **liam's lighthouse foundation** by coming out and joining us for dinner and a chance to win some great prizes!! There will be raffles, 50/50 chances, a Chinese auction, and a putting contest!!*



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GOLFER INFORMATION: (\$340 PER TEAM)

Captain _____ Email _____

Captain's Address _____

Golfer #2 _____ Golfer #3 _____

Golfer #4 _____

DINNER ONLY GUESTS: (30.00 PER PERSON) DINNER INCLUDES AN ITALIAN OPEN BUFFET

Name: _____ Address: _____

Email: _____ Number of guests: _____

HOLE SPONSORS:

Platinum \$250 Gold \$100 Silver \$50

Your donation is 100% tax deductible (tax ID# 27-1309152). An invoice will be issued to you or your company for the amount of your donation upon receipt of completed form and check.

Name/Company: _____

Address: _____

Phone #: _____ Email: _____

Donation amount or gift: _____

All checks to be made payable to liam's lighthouse foundation. PLEASE RETURN FORM AND PAYMENT TO:

CHRIS SLEZAK
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QUESTIONS?? Contact CHRIS SLEZAK at 570-499-5609 or by email at cmscsi@comcast.net.

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Dear

March 13, 2011

liam's lighthouse foundation is making plans for our 3rd annual golf tournament to be held on June 5, 2011 at Sand Springs Country Club, Drums, PA. The success of this event is credited largely to our sponsors who lend their names and financial support to the event. The money we raise each year goes to **liam's lighthouse foundation** for research and education of all Histiocytic Disorders. This year's goal is 25,000 dollars.

We have 3 levels of sponsorship packages as detailed on the enclosed commitment form. You can select the level of participation that best meets your needs, and be secure in the knowledge that your sponsorship fee will be used to help **liam's lighthouse foundation** fund much needed research and awareness of all Histiocytic Disorders.

On behalf of **liam's lighthouse foundation**, thank you in advance for your willingness to support the efforts of LLF and for making a difference in the world of Histiocytosis!

Sincerely,

liam's lighthouse foundation Executive Board Members:

Michelle Schulze - Founder/President

Rose Ann Podminick – Secretary

Carla Ferrara – Community Liason/PR

Jennifer Mercereau – Community Liason/ PR

April Zambetti – Community Liason

Megan Towne – Community Liason

Gina Maldonado-Rodek – Community Liason

Kelly Fantasia – Community Liason

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