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13th Annual Memorial Golf Tournament Honoring HLH angels Liam Schulze and Ethan Carle

July 7, 2021

Dear Golfers, Sponsors, and Supporters!

Welcome back! 2020 was a difficult year for all of us and it feels so good to return to some sort of normal! So how about shaking the dust off your clubs for an amazing golf tournament fundraiser! Liam's Lighthouse Foundation invites you to join us in honoring and remembering **Liam Schulze and Ethan Carle**, two little boys of local families, gone way too soon from a deadly blood disorder called HLH. Our annual golf tournament will return this year to **Sand Springs Country Club in Drums, PA on Sunday, September 5, 2021**. We will return to having all of our usual festivities with amazing baskets and raffle items to win! All money raised from this tournament will go to support and carry out the mission of Liam's Lighthouse Foundation.

I hope you will consider supporting our tournament this year by becoming a golfer or hole sponsor. We are also looking for raffle baskets and large raffle items for in-kind donations if that better suits your participation goals. This year, we have 4 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 knowing that your sponsorship will be going to an amazing and much needed cause!

On behalf of myself and my family, the Carle Family, and Liam's Lighthouse Foundation, thank you in advance for your willingness to support the efforts of LHF, for making a difference for the families that unfortunately have to embark on this journey and fight against HLH, and for remembering Liam and Ethan.

Looking forward to seeing everyone again in September!

Sincerely,



Michelle Schulze
Founder/President

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LLF 13th Annual Memorial Golf Tournament Honoring HLH angels Liam Schulze and Ethan Carle

When: Sunday, September 5th, 2021 **Shotgun Start Time:** 1:30 pm

Where: Sand Springs Country Club **Registration time:** 12:30 pm
10 Clubhouse Drive
Drums, PA 18222

Cost: \$100.00 per golfer (includes green fees, cart, goodie bag with snacks, gift from LLF, dinner, and PRIZES!*)

*Beer is included. Registration is limited to the first 120 golfers. Due to the increase in support over the past several years, it is recommended you reserve your golf team early.

FOUR LEVELS OF HOLE SPONSORSHIPS AVAILABLE:

Diamond (\$500), Platinum (\$250), Gold (\$100), and Silver (\$50)

Silver sponsors will be listed on a large sponsor board next to our raffle items.

Gold sponsors will be displayed on a designated hole throughout the course and listed on the large sponsor board next to our raffle items.

Platinum sponsors will be displayed on a designated hole throughout the course, listed on the large sponsor board next to our raffle items, and have the opportunity to share marketing material in goodie bags.

Diamond sponsors will be displayed on a designated hole throughout the course, listed on the large sponsor board next to our raffle items, have the opportunity to share marketing material in goodie bags. and will be announced live at our dinner!

ALL LEVELS OF OUR HOLE SPONSORS WILL RECEIVE ACKNOWLEDGEMENT THROUGHOUT OUR SOCIAL MEDIA MENTIONS!

All checks to be made payable to *Liam's Lighthouse Foundation*.

PLEASE RETURN FORM AND PAYMENT TO:

CHRIS SLEZAK
1416 Oak Drive
Shavertown, PA 18708

QUESTIONS about golfing or becoming a sponsor?? Please email Chris Slezak CMSCSI@COMCAST.NET.

QUESTIONS about anything else?? Please email Lynn Carle
Lynn@LiamsLighthouseFoundation.org

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Remembering our little
"Powerful Warrior"
Liam Christopher Schulze
1.2.08 – 9.9.09

This year will be 12 years Liam has been gone. We continue to work diligently in his honor to improve the outcome for those that are faced with this journey. HLH is a very aggressive and fast acting disorder. It took my baby boy from the most beautiful blonde haired, blue-eyed, happy and active child, to a child that was unrecognizable and could not move on his own due to the aftermath of the chemotherapy and high dose steroids. HLH took everything from him and everything from us. However, Liam remained strong-willed through it all. He continued to try and flash us a smile even when his body was failing him and had taken every bit of strength he had. He should have been diagnosed sooner, and he should still be here with us today. We continue to move forward year after year without him, trying to fundraise, help other Histo families, raise awareness, and remember and honor our precious son.

Ethan Thomas Carle
"Champ"
11.18.10 – 5.9.12



In 2012, at 18 months old, Ethan very suddenly became seriously ill. Doctors in his hometown of Hanover Township, PA believed he was suffering from a viral infection but after several trips to the ER, no clear answers and being admitted to a nearby trauma hospital - the results were catastrophic...Ethan was suffering from liver failure. Despite all hope and prayers, Ethan's prognosis grew even more dire as a cause wasn't immediately found. Finally, a physician from Philadelphia was covering and had seen a similar case. Immediate testing was ordered and concluded that Ethan's liver failure was caused by HLH. After being life-flighted to Philadelphia, Ethan began treatment with chemotherapy/steroids in preparation for a bone marrow transplant. Ethan's battle was horrific and he suffered so much while being treated including developing a fungal infection in his blood. This proved too much for Champ to fight and on May 9th, in his parent's arms, he gained his angel wings. Ethan's parents, Tom and Lynn Carle, are devoted to ensuring other children and families do not have to suffer as Ethan and his family have. Their love for Ethan and commitment to funding research and raising awareness of HLH is what drives them to be involved in LLF.

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REGISTRATION FORM 9.5.21

GOLFER INFORMATION: (\$400 PER TEAM)

Captain _____ phone # _____

Captain's
address _____

Captain's email: _____

Golfer #2 _____ email _____

Golfer #3 _____ email _____

Golfer #4 _____ email _____

DINNER ONLY OPTION: \$30.00 per person

Name(s) _____

Email _____ Total Amount Paid _____

HOLE SPONSORS:

Diamond \$500 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 following the tournament at a later date.

Name/Company: _____

Address: _____

Phone #: _____

Email: _____

Sponsor Level or Gift Amount: _____