

# Ovarian Awareness of KY 2022 Annual Report

<u>Mission Statement:</u> Ovarian Awareness of KY provides educational resources, support to cancer patients and families, and research funding to raise awareness for ovarian and gynecologic cancers.

### Service Accomplishments:

- On August 6, 2022, OAK, in collaboration with UL Health/Brown Cancer Center, held an Educational Symposium on GYN cancer at the UL Medical Campus. Presenters included Brown Cancer Center GYN oncologists, as well as a Palliative Care physician from Hosparus Health, and a hospice social worker.
- Survivors Teaching Students, a program run by cancer survivors, created by Ovarian Cancer Research Alliance, resumed in person presentations at UL Medical School.
- Monthly survivor support groups were held the 2<sup>nd</sup> Monday of each month at Gilda's Club Kentuckiana
- Toast to Life Brunch, a survivor celebration, was held at Owl Creek Country Club on August 26, 2022
- A survivor Holiday Dinner was held at Bravo's in Louisville on November 30, 2022
- Louisville Women's Expo, attended by over 1000 women during February 26-27, 2022
- KY Homemakers Convention held in Owensboro, KY May 10-11, 2022
- Big Four Bridge was lit in teal September 24-30, 2022, to commemorate Ovarian Cancer Awareness Month
- Hundreds of printed yard signs about the signs and symptoms of ovarian cancer, were distributed throughout KY
- Volunteers represented OAK at several health fairs throughout the year.

#### Board of Directors:

Dana Faulkner, President Jill Doimer, Treasurer Cheri Hauber, Secretary Carolyn Palmer, Member Monica Layton, Member Jaime Hendricks, Member Julie Lawrence, Member

## Fundraising Activities:

- Cocktails for a Cure, with dinner and silent auction took place on February 11, 2022
- Give 4 Good, Louisville on September 14, 2022
- Whisper Walk, took place on September 24, 2022
- Kendra Scott sale for Oak, October 28-29, 2022
- Michter's Bourbon Raffle, December, 2022
- Blue Hydrangea Tea in LaGrange KY April 17, 2022
- Polo Fields Women's Golf Scramble, May 1, 2022
- Owl Creek Country Club Women's Golf Scramble, August 25, 20
- The Seltzery, in NuLu, donated a portion of their drink sales to OAK during Ovarian Cancer Awareness Month (September, 2022)

### Research Donation:

• OAK donated \$15,000 to a research project at UL Research Foundation, targeted to women with recurrent platinum resistant ovarian cancer.

## Financial Detail:

- Total Income: \$65,566
- Total Program Expenses: \$31091
- Total Fundraising Expenses: \$8431
- Total Ending Net Assets: \$117,759