

Steel Magnolias

Breast Cancer Support Group, Inc.

2020, A Trying Year

2020 was a hard year for many people, groups and organizations. We have not had a group meeting since the first of 2020. Our faithful office staff has had limited time in the office due to Covid, but still are taking care of snacks for oncology and radiation rooms. We are still delivering care packages and providing dining vouchers.

We are helping with the Pink Heals Fire Truck and Hearts of Cleburne County. Everyone is willing and trying to do what we can for our fellow cancer survivors. We are constantly looking for ways to help patients through this journey and we have people that help us.

We are having our annual golf tournament again this year. We were able to have it last year also! It's hard to keep men off of a golf course! We want to thank everyone that participates in the tournament, either playing or working.

Sunny King Automotive Group has supported us the past 3 years in October with donations for every new and used car that is sold during the breast cancer awareness month. Please don't forget this when you are looking for a vehicle. Stay local and support the businesses that give support to groups such as ours. Thank you, Sunny King Automotive Group for all your support and helping us be known in the community.

Hooligan Harley-Davidson held their TUTU for TATA'S again last year with a ride to raise money for us. That is never a dull moment to see the guys dressed in pink, with pink hair and their bikes dressed in pink! I'm sure it is awesome to see them coming down the highway too. Thanks to all that come and ride and thanks to the ladies at Harley that put this together!

Covid has definitely changed how everyone communicates, how we gather and how we support one another. Covid cannot stop cancer and cannot stop the desire this group has to help others. Please be a part of our group or a support group of some kind. Everyone needs some help at different times in their life and you too may be in need of help in a moment that changes your life.

2021 Has To Be Better!

April 25, 2021



Sharing love through support

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2020 Steel Magnolias And Men of Steel Minutes

To say the least, Covid put a damper on the Steel Magnolias and Men of Steel's monthly meetings, our New Beginnings Banquet and life in general in 2020. There was little information for a news letter during the year. We couldn't have meetings at the hospital due to Covid and everyone was leery of getting together in groups.

We still had the Lea Fite Golf Tournament and raised around \$19,000.

Oxfordfest had a pretty good turn out despite of Covid and we shared our information with everyone that stopped by. There were many that came by to support us and many came by for information. We had a good turn out of volunteers to help set up, to take turns at our booth and to take down. Thanks to all that helped make it happen.

The next day we were at Hooligan's Harley-Davidson for the Annual TUTU for TATA'S ride to raise money for the Steel Magnolias. The ladies from Harley had a great turn out and it was a beautiful day for a ride. They raised \$3,000 for the Steel Magnolias.

Tangelia raised during the month of October over \$400. Thank you for all your ideas and fundraising to help the Steel Magnolias!

We did get together for our Annual Christmas Brunch at Alexander's Shops on Noble. We honored Joyce Vaughn's life. She was with the Angel Ministry at Iron City. We sure will miss her and I know the ladies she worked with miss her daily.

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Joyce Vaughn 1940-2020 Rest in Peace.

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Fast forward to 2021 and we are trying to get back in the swing of things.

We are having the Lea Fite golf tournament again this year at Pine Hill!

We are going to have a meeting in May!

We are going to have a New Beginnings Banquet!

We are in the process of redoing our web page this year!



We are on our way back to a new normal.

I can't wait to see everyone and see what has been going on in their lives this past year. Come join us!



2020 Alabama Waterford Crystal National Championship Football

We are selling tickets for this 2020 Waterford Crystal Football again this year. Wes Couch has donated this to help raise money for the Steel Magnolias. Chances are \$5 each. Contact us through fb or call any of the Steel Magnolias. You can also call the office at 256-231-8827.

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Upcoming Events

May 15th is the date for our 12th Annual Lea Fite Memorial Golf Tournament at Pine Hill Country Club. We will have a 1:00 p.m. shotgun start and everyone that is helping set up be there at 10:00 a.m. If you know of anyone wanting to play or sponsor a hole, I have included both forms in this newsletter.

May 25th will be our first group meeting! We will meet in the private dining room at RMC just like before. We will have spaghetti, Steel Magnolias bring side dishes and deserts. We are not having a speaker, we will just enjoy each others company and see what has been going on in each other's lives this past year. We will have updates on the Golf Tournament and will talk about upcoming plans for the rest of the year. Please be considerate of others and bring your mask. I am looking forward to seeing everyone!

Be there or be Square!



12th Annual Lea Fite Memorial Golf Tournament

benefiting
Steel Magnolias
Breast Cancer Support Group, Inc.

Saturday, May 15, 2021 • Pine Hill Country Club

1:00 p.m. Shotgun Start

Lunch provided prior to tournament

3 Person Team

\$65 per player/\$195 per team if paid by May 1

includes: 2 mulligans and 1 skirt

\$75 per player/\$225 per team after May 1 or day of tournament

For more information contact

Jimmy Taylor

(256) 201-3218 or tjimmeg63@aol.com



**Tee it High,
Let it Fly**

Support the Girls!

Sponsorship Opportunities

Name: _____

Company: _____

Address: _____

City, State, Zip: _____

Phone: _____

Email: _____

☐ Pink - \$1,250

☐ Silver - \$500

☐ Platinum - \$1,000

☐ Bronze - \$250

☐ Gold - \$750

☐ Hole - \$100

Mail sponsorship form and check to:

Jimmy Taylor

81 Amy Court

Heflin, AL 36264

Please make checks payable to Steel Magnolias

TEE IT HIGH, LET IT FLY SUPPORT THE GIRLS!

12th ANNUAL

MAY 15th, 2021----Pine Hill Golf Course

FORMAT: 3 Man Scramble----Cost is \$65/Player or \$195/Team if paid by May 1st
Cost is \$75/Player or \$225/team if paid after the 1st or on day of tournament. Entry fee
includes 2 mulligans and 1 skirt

START TIME: 1:00 p.m.---- Shotgun Start
Lunch will be provided prior to play

Player No. 1 Name _____
Address _____
Phone No. and E-mail _____

Player No. 2 Name _____
Address _____
Phone No. and E-mail _____

Player No. 3 Name _____
Address _____
Phone No. and E-mail _____

PRIZES BASED ON FULL FIELD!!!

1st Flight
1st Place Team: Paid Entry to
Sunny King Classic
2nd Place Team: \$300

2nd Flight
1st Place Team: Paid
Entry to Sunny King Classic
2nd Place Team: \$210

Checks should be made payable to **Steel Magnolias Inc.** and mailed to:
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Heflin, Al. 36264.

Cell: 256-201-3218
Email: tjimmeg63@aol.com

Services Offered By Steel Magnolias Breast Cancer Support Group, Inc.

1. Group Meetings

Steel Magnolias meet on the 4th Tuesday of each month at 5:00 p.m. in the 1st Floor Private Dining Room of RMC.

2. Steel Magnolias' Office

Our office is located in suite 407 of the Physicians Center in Anniston. Currently our office is staffed (part time) by Steel Magnolias volunteers Monday through Friday, 11:00 am - 4:00 pm. Every effort is made to have someone in the office when our staff is sick or on vacation. Phone (256) 231-8827

3. PINKS Boutique

Located in the Physicians' Center across from the Steel Magnolias Office, we are stocked with Mastectomy Bras, Breast Prosthesis, Wigs, Hats and Scarves. These items are of no cost to cancer patients.

4. Care Packages

Steel Magnolias provide a comfort package including inspirational and educational materials to breast cancer patients the day of surgery at Regional Medical Center. Packages are mailed or taken to newly diagnosed patients who do not receive them on day of surgery.

5. Dining Vouchers

Dining vouchers are provided for two family members of any patient, in surgery, at Regional Medical Center. Each provides a meal in the hospital cafeteria.

6. Snacks

Steel Magnolias provide the following: (1) snacks in Anniston Oncology chemo treatment room - Suite 602 Physician Center (2) chemo treatment room on the 4th floor of RMC and (3) the Radiation / Oncology Center on 2nd Floor of RMC.

7. Breast Cancer Awareness Program

Available to girls in grades 7-12, this program is taught in the school by a trained volunteer under the supervision of a Registered Nurse. Anyone interested in having our program presented, contact our office.

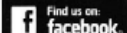
8. Speakers Bureau

Speakers are available to civic clubs and churches. To schedule, contact our office.

9. Steel Magnolias Newsletter

Our monthly newsletter is an informative and inspirational publication about upcoming events, meetings and activities. Also included is a joke page and current information regarding cancer testing and treatments.

10. Web-Site

www.steelmagnoliasinc.org is a great source of information and inspiration. Also, 

11. Men of Steel

Group of men (husbands, friends or family) of breast cancer patients or survivors and for men who themselves are breast cancer survivors. Meetings are held jointly with Steel Magnolias (see Group Meetings #1). Contact Jimmy Taylor (256-463-4313) or email tjimmeg63@aol.com for additional information.

12. Prayer

We are praying for you with love and blessings.

WAYS YOU CAN HELP

1. VOLUNTEER YOUR TIME

- attend our meetings and get involved with us
- volunteer for office work or Pinks Boutique
- help with our fund raisers (2 per year)
 - a. Bake and jewelry sale (annually the Saturday before Easter at Quintard Mall)
 - b. Golf Tournament at Pine Hill Golf Course (in the spring each year). Numerous opportunities to serve.

2. CONTRIBUTE - contributions are tax deductible (a 501(c)3 tax exempt organization) and can be made to: Steel Magnolias, P.O. Box 2208, Anniston, AL 36202. ALL contributions are used to provide services to breast cancer patients who reach out to us.

3. DONATE UNUSED JEWELRY (new, vintage or broken) - it is cleaned, repaired and resold at our events. Drop off at the following: Steel Magnolia Office, Cotton Antiques, 508 Main Street, Oxford or call Marti Warren 256-237-0206.

4. PRAY FOR OUR MINISTRY

Joggin' Inside

The way our lives changed this past year with dealing with Covid 19!

I still can't believe people's survival instincts told them to grab toilet paper.

I'm going to stay up on New Year's Eve this year. Not to see the New Year in, but to make sure this one leaves.

If I had only known in March it would be my last time in a restaurant, I would have ordered dessert.

At the store there was a Big X by the register for me to stand on... I've seen too many Road Runner cartoons to fall for that one.

Having some states lock down and some states not lock down is like having a peeing section in a swimming pool.

Until further notice, the days of the week are now called, thisday, thatday, otherday, someday, yesterday, today & nextday.

THEY SAID A MASK AND GLOVES WERE ENOUGH TO GO TO THE GROCERY STORE

THEY LIED, EVERYBODY ELSE HAD CLOTHES ON

The dumbest thing I've ever purchased was a 2020 planner.

When Does Season TWO of 2020 Start? I Do Not Like Season ONE.

Keep in mind, even during a pandemic, no matter how much chocolate you eat, your earrings will still fit.

The buttons on my jeans have started social distancing from each other.

I never thought the comment "I wouldn't touch him/her with a 6 foot pole" would become a national policy, but here we are

GOLF

R O H M A T C H P L A Y B P
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BOGEY	GAME	PRO	SHAFT
BUNKER	GREEN	PUTTER	SHANK
CHIP	HOOK	Q SCHOOL	SLICE
CUP	IMPACT	RHYTHM	STROKE
DIVOT	IRON	ROLL	TEES
DOGLEG	LAG	ROUGH	TOURNAMENT
ETIQUETTE	PAR	RULES	WEDGE