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The Boon Project Newsletter: May 2017

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Introducing The Boon Project

The Boon Project for Young Adults Fighting Cancer is a 501(c)3 tax exempt nonprofit aimed at providing supportive services and building community for young adult cancer fighters and survivors.

We are excited to be finalizing start up procedures in the coming weeks so we can turn our attention to providing services to young adult cancer fighters in the Charleston area.

Fundraising Update

In April, we hosted a Booster t-shirt fundraiser to help offset some of the start up costs associated with establishing nonprofit status. Thanks to the generosity of our supporters, we exceeded our fundraising goal and will be able to put much of the over \$1650 raised towards purchasing materials for our Boon Bags, which will help us to reach young adult cancer patients as soon as possible after diagnosis. Thank you!

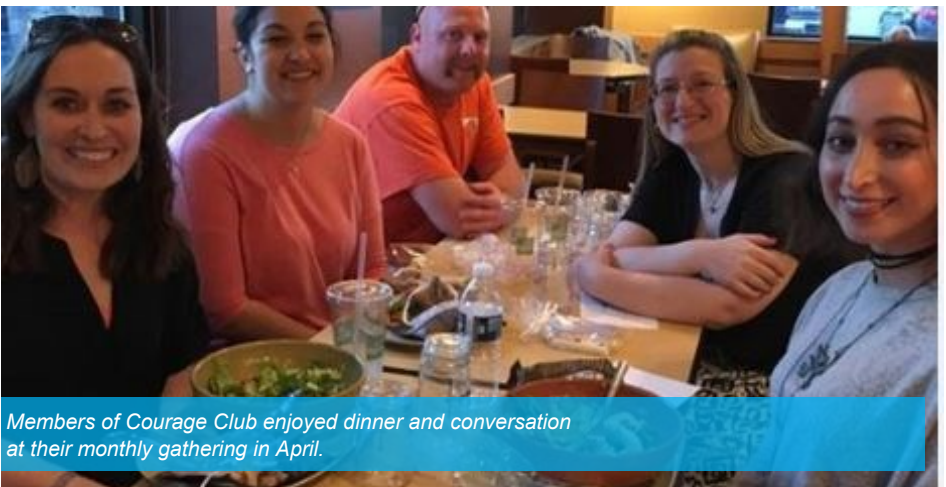
Just this week, volunteers offered concessions during intermission of the First Baptist School spring dance concert. They raised \$100 in donations on Sunday afternoon. Thank you to First Baptist!

“I hope this is never my story but if it is, I would be grateful for a resource like this. Blessings on you and this amazing venture.”

-Meghan Holder, supporter

Courage Club Corner

In April we established our Courage Club and held our first gathering of fighters, survivors, and caregivers. Our small group has already grown in the few weeks since our first gathering and we are looking forward to more opportunities to build community among these young adult cancer fighters. This month we will meet at the Charleston County Relay for Life event on May 5th to support the American Cancer Society's largest fundraiser of the year. We look forward to seeing you there!



Members of Courage Club enjoyed dinner and conversation at their monthly gathering in April.

Stay in Touch

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