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# Hope Happenings

Hope Cancer Ministries

## Special points of interest:

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### Kate's Race

So many things have changed here at Hope Cancer, but one thing that's remained is Kate's Race. Named for Kate Schultz Colon, a lovely woman who fought a tough battle with cancer. Kate was just two months into her senior year at Columbia International University when she found out that she had Osteosarcoma. This is the most common type of bone cancer and the sixth most common type of cancer in children. Kate was among HCM's first patients and during her remission, she attended a HCM **Training Workshop** and became an active volunteer. She

was like so many of our volunteers who want to help others dealing with similar diagnosis. While time prohibited her from working directly with a patient, she inspired many with her strength in God and her assurance of eternity with Christ. Her contagious hope amidst her long, valiant battle, deeply touched all who came in contact with her. Kate had the joy of walking with a teenager from Rock Hill through Osteosarcoma, she visited her in the hospital doing face painting, and spending time together. The young lady is a survivor and enjoyed the time they spent to-

gether. Kate exhibited an optimism that only comes from having eternal hope. It was a sad loss to her family, both close and extended when she lost the battle. but rejoiced in her embrace into heaven and no more pain. Kate's Race is in her memory and honor of her life and so many HCM has had the blessings to touch. We lost Kate eight years ago and we are honored to keep her legacy alive and invite you to join us in remembering her and so many others. Saturday, October 13, 2012 at McAlpine Park, we'll see you there!



You can go online at <a href="www.hopecancer.org">www.hopecancer.org</a> and register to participate in this year's Kate's Race 5k and/or the Changing Leaves, Changing Lives 10k. The event will be on Saturday, October 13, 2012 at McAlpine Creek Park. We will have the memorial walk as well as the 10k race. Opening ceremonies at 8:00 am, Kate's Race starts at 8:15 am, Changing Leaves, Changing Lives 10k will begin at 8:30 am, and the Memorial Walk will be at 9:00 am. We will hold the awards ceremony at 9:30. Click here to register for an event and come out and join us on Saturday, October 13, 2012. Or print/fill out the registration on the website and mail into the office. We will also have the Blood Mobile there, so be sure and sign up to save a life (see page 4). Remember, all money raised stays right here in Charlotte.



Scan the above with your smart phone, and it will direct you to the race registration site.



### **Hope Cancer Night**

**Bobcats vs Dallas Mavericks** 

Saturday, November 10 – 7:30PM

Support Hope Cancer and cheer on your Bobcats as they take on Dirk Nowitzki and the Dallas Mavericks on November 10 at 7:30pm at Time Warner Cable Arena.

Doors open at 6:30pm!

#### Percentage of each ticket will be donated to Hope Cancer!

Quantity	Your Price	Total
	<b>\$25 Ticket</b> : 200 Level Corners High/Baseline Low (first two tickets purchased)	
	<b>\$20 Ticket</b> : 200 Level Corners High/Baseline Low (third or more tickets purchased)	
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Or visit our website <u>www.hopecancer.org</u> to purchase tickets online.





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Helping people right here, RIGHT NOW!

Community Blood Drive during Kate's Race 5k/ Changing Leaves, Changing Lives 10k

www.hopecancer.org

Date: Saturday, October 13, 2012

Time: 9:00am - 11:00am

Location: "Community Bloodmobile"
- McAlpine Creek Park

8711 Monroe Rd., Charlotte, NC

Appointments:

Contact: Tiffany Watt at

704-364-1440

### American Cancer Society

### Cancer Prevention Study-3 Champion

Cancer Prevention Study 3 (CPS-3) is a research study funded by the American Cancer Society and facilitated by the Society's Department of Epidemiology and Surveillance Research. The purpose of CPS-3 is to better understand the factors (lifestyle, environmental, genetic) that cause or prevent cancer. The goal is to enroll at least 300,000 adults by December 2013. Participants of the study are between

the ages of 30-65 and will be followed for approximately 20 years through surveys asking for detailed updates on health, lifestyle choices and environmental exposures. A CPS-3 Champion will help to promote the enrollment sites for the study and invite 10 friends to participate and can be survivor. There will be 12 enrollment sites across Mecklenburg county. There are two links to our frequently

asked questions (FAQ's) and a brochure. If you have any questions please visit <a href="www.cancer.org/cp3">www.cancer.org/cp3</a> or email <a href="mailto:cps3@cancer.org">cps3@cancer.org</a> or call toll free

1-888-604-5888.

Click here for research info

Click here for FAQ's