



June 2010

Re: Hailey Rath Memorial Event

Dear Perspective Sponsor,

The Hailey Rath Memorial Committee is organizing a day at The Rock for the whole family. We will start the day with our 4th annual event featuring a 5K Run/Walk with live music all day. Save the date ~ Saturday, August 21, 2010. Always the 3rd Saturday of August.

Hailey was a dynamic outgoing thirteen year-old who loved life, with Jesus in her heart. She was the daughter of Jeff and Lisa Rath and sister to Schuyler. It was with that love of Jesus that helped Jeff and Lisa to make a very tough decision. In December of 2005 an automobile accident ushered Hailey into heaven. Hailey's family found the love and strength to have her organs recovered to save the lives of others in need. As of today, Hailey's gift of life has touched **75** people. Her beautiful heart is beating in a young lady in Michigan!

Currently, more than 107,600 people in the U.S. are awaiting the life saving gift that organ donation and transplant provide. Every day, 18 people who are waiting will die. Your support will help provide materials for public education about organ donation and help fund the cost of donation awareness events.

We have also set up scholarship funds in Hailey's name for local Beloit Area ELCA Lutheran Youth and Lutherdale Bible Camp; the appropriate committees within the organizations will distribute funds.

Your sponsorship may allow us to add your business name to the back of our event shirt. We anticipate a minimum of 200 shirts. Sponsors will be announced & recognized throughout the day's events.

Please consider joining us in honoring Hailey's memory and supporting these worthwhile causes.

To RSVP, please fill out the enclosed sponsorship form and return by Friday, July 23, 2010. If you have further questions please call Lori at 608-751-8536. Please encourage employees, friends, and family to join the 5K Run/Walk. **You can find the participant forms to print and mail on our website, www.haileyrath5k.org.**

With sincere thanks,

The Hailey Rath Memorial Committee

Lori Katterhenry
Mindy Nitz
Jeff & Lisa Rath

Kim Harrison
Belinda Noack
Billy & Judy Betz

Kari Champion
Vicky Hill
Honorary Committee Member: Kelly O'Brien

Craig Jones
Connie Miller

~ Hailey Rath Memorial Event Sponsorship Form ~

August 21, 2010, The Rock, 101 Maple Ave., Beloit

The Hailey Rath Memorial Committee was created from the BMHS Class of 1977, 30 year class reunion committee. We raised \$6,600 in 2007, \$21,700 in 2008 and \$14,500 in 2009 thanks to the greater Beloit area businesses and community support. We are committed to honoring Hailey's memory by supporting the UW Organ Procurement education program, Beloit Area ELCA Lutheran Youth and Lutherdale Bible Camp. Please consider helping us in this worthwhile cause.

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Keep upper portion as a Receipt and as a Save the Date reminder!

Name _____ Date _____

Business Name _____

Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Phone: (____) _____ Email _____

Payment Enclosed: \$ _____

- \$100+ donation: Hometown Ad ~ Company name/Sponsor printed on the event T-shirt with name announced over the PA at the event.
- We would like to contribute \$ _____ in support of the Hailey Rath Memorial Event. (Company name will be announced over the PA at the event)
- We would like to donate the following item(s) for the Hailey Rath Memorial Event chance give-away. Item description: (Your company name will be announced over the PA at the event)

Please return this form and check by July 23, 2010 payable to:

Hailey Rath Memorial Event
c/o Lori Katterhenry
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