



OUR FINAL 65 ROSES CHALLENGE PUSH!!

Dear Friends,

As we continue on with another month of COVID-19, I want to 'challenge' you to reflect on our larger community

I can't stop thinking about those who are navigating through this time AND dealing with their chronic illnesses - not only CF, but cancer, diabetes, heart problems, asthma, etc, etc, etc.

We are all exhausted, lonely and craving our regular social activities. Let's reflect on those who cannot go out into the community because of their compromised health.

I challenge each of us to contemplate what we might be able to do to make someone else's life a little easier, a little more 'normal'.

Thank You so much for what you are doing to help those who are more at risk.
Let's work together to END THIS in whatever small ways we can!

Amidst this pandemic, the CFF is 'stepping it up'! Their goal is to raise \$65 MILLION by the end of 2020! Every dollar gets us closer. The Rose Foundation has already raised over \$18,000 so far this year. Can you help us raise this amount to \$25,000? The CFF intends to allocate a half million dollars through 2025 towards its *Path to a Cure* - an ambitious research initiative to accelerate treatments for everyone with CF and finally a cure! Let's keep the momentum going!

"(The CFF's) research funding has more than doubled over the last six years. Additionally, last year we funded approximately \$191 million in laboratory research, preclinical drug development, clinical and real-world research, and high-quality, specialized care and training -- more than at any other time in the history of the Foundation."

You can watch the new research videos along with videos on other topics such as infection and nutritional and gastrointestinal issues, by visiting [New Developments in Clinical Research on cff.org](#)

Ways you can help:

- * Buy a 50 / 50 Balloon Raffle Chance - ONLY 39 LEFT: Call or Text 314-952-7944
- * Bid on items at our LAST online auction of the year: Sep 17 - 19:
32auctions.com/CF2020
- * Join Team [Ride for Roses](#) in the virtual CF CYCLE FOR LIFE
- * Make a tax deductible donation to [The Rose Foundation](#).

YOU ARE STRONG and WE ARE STRONGER TOGETHER!



NEXT WEEK!

Mark Your Calendars for the opening of our

LAST 2020 auction:
Auction opens at Noon, Thursday, Sep 17!
Auction closes at 9 pm, Saturday, Sep 19!

32auctions.com/CF2020

50 / 50 BALLOON RAFFLE- winner gets \$1,250 if sells out!

39 AUCTION ITEMS

For example:

ANOTHER ONE OF KIND Cards/Blues Corn Hole Game!

Air Hockey Game

Beautiful Hand Made Quilt

Cardinals/Blues Memorabilia

KIDS TOYS & GAMES, TOYS & MORE TOYS!!!!

Disney World Hopper Passes

Beer Baskets, Distillery Tastings, Dinners and much more!

Please check out our generous sponsors and donors listed below and support their businesses! We could not raise the funds we do without their support and yours!

Thank you for always supporting a cure for CF!



50 / 50 BALLOON RAFFLE:

39 of the 100 CHANCES LEFT TO WIN \$1,250!

(IF ALL CHANCES ARE SOLD)

Reserve your lucky number - remaining #s can be viewed on auction site

Call or Text Linda at 314-952-7944 TODAY!

Drawing 8 pm Saturday, Sep 19

\$25 per chance payable via Venmo to TheRoseFoundation-CF OR via [Linda Caul's CFF Great Strides page](#) - Please click donate and display your name --

THANKS FOR SUPPORTING a CURE FOR CF!!



FANTASY PRO FOOTBALL PICK'EM

FROM COLLEEN and FOOTBALL FOR ROSES:

"One of my best friends, Jeff Stevenson, has once again created Football For Roses Fantasy football pick'em league for The Rose Foundation!

All you have to do is try to pick the winners of each game, each week. The website (Yahoo!) tells you who the favorite to win is and tells you who most people are picking to win. Very easy!!

How it works: a portion of the dues goes to The Rose Foundation. Pay outs go to the winners of each week and for the whole season, but at least 50% will go toward the charity. The more people we get to join and play, the higher the percentage will go! His goal is to have 35 people join at minimum. If that happens, the league will raise

\$615 for the charity, but, he thinks we can get a LOT more people to do this....and so do I!"

To Join: 1. Follow this link: <http://football.fantasysports.yahoo.com/pickem>

2. Click on "Join A Group" near the center of the page

3. Under "Join Private Group", use the GROUP ID #: 5492

4. Use the PASSWORD: curefound

5. Click on "Join Group"

6. Sign in with your Yahoo Account....no big deal if you don't have one. If you do not have a Yahoo! Account, it will prompt you to Create New Account. (just takes 2 minutes)

The group is called Football For Roses. Once you join, Jeff has methods of payment you can send online for dues. Methods can be found under the "Commissioner's Note on the "overview" page of the league. The dues for the WHOLE SEASON are only \$35!! Let's see how many people we can get to have fun with this, while raising money for The Rose Foundation!!

Please help spread the word and SHARE this post!



CYSTIC FIBROSIS FOUNDATION

Team Ride For Roses

NO minimum Fundraising Amount!
NO Registration Fee!
Track your miles - 65 days - Aug 2 and Oct 5!
CF CYCLE FOR LIFE is VIRTUAL!
Consider a donation to one of our riders TODAY!
CLICK on [Ride for Roses](#)

Thanks to our team members:

Paul Behrns, Dennis Boris, Colleen Caul, Jeff Caul, Dave Herholz, Tim Kenney, Erika Plumlee, Colleen Potratz, Jennifer Potratz, Jeff Potthast, John Rocchio and Manny Zayas

Run for Roses



Sponsored by **THE ROSE FOUNDATION**

whose mission is to spread awareness and raise funds for continued research towards a CURE for CYSTIC FIBROSIS

Noon, Thursday September 17th till 9:00 pm, Saturday September 19th

50/50 Virtual Balloon Raffle
\$25 per chance ~ Only 100 sold
Drawing September 19th

Call Linda, 314-952-7944, to choose your balloon number and pay \$25 via Linda Caul's CFF Great Strides page
Please click **donate** and display your name
OR by sending a Venmo payment to **TheRoseFoundation - CF**

All proceeds benefit the Cystic Fibrosis Foundation

Visit us at our website: www.runforroses.com



**OUR DEEPEST GRATITUDE GOES TO
CATHOLIC HEALTH ASSOCIATION!
Employee Michele Oranski nominated
The Rose Foundation for their Employee Charitable Grant Program and
we received their July Grant!!**

**Please consider The Rose Foundation for any charitable funds that your
place of business may offer!
Call Linda - 314-952-7944 and I will be happy to give you any info on our
non-profit that you may need!**

Special Thanks to

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[Trivia Funhouse](#)

WE NEED YOU!

*'LIKE' us on facebook: [Run for Roses](#)

*Join our board - call Linda 314-952-7944

*Volunteer at our events

[Become a sponsor for Trivia](#)

*Check your business for matching dollars - Here is a link that you can search by
company: <http://www.matchinggifts.com/cff>.

*Nominate The Rose Foundation for your business' charitable giving program

*Secure auction and raffle items for events

Contact Linda at 314-952-7944 or caullinda@hotmail.com

THANK YOU for supporting The Rose Foundation and cystic fibrosis!
You add more tomorrows for so many with CF!
We will not stop until there are medications for 100% of those with CF and a Cure Found.

Please **SPREAD AWARENESS** for CF! Share our newsletter, like our Facebook page: [Run for Roses](#).

If it is manageable to participate in any way or amount, all of those living with CF and their families will always be grateful to YOU!

We deeply appreciate all of you and are so very grateful for those who are able to continue donating and reaching deep in their pockets to support and fight for a CURE.

We hold you all in our hearts!

Please continue to spread awareness and recruit others to FIGHT with us on our Path to a CURE !

As always, donations can be made online at [The Rose Foundation](#).

Sláinte,
The Caul Family

Always Running 'til CF stands for Cure Found!

Upcoming Events:

* Run for Roses 3rd & Final Online Auction- Thur, Fri & Sat - Sep 17-19, 2020

* Cycle for Life - Virtual - Aug 2 - Oct 5 JOIN Team Ride for Roses





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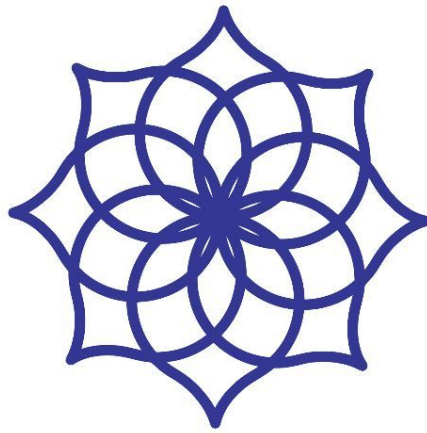
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To reduce the risk of getting and spreading germs at CF Foundation-sponsored events, we ask that everyone follow basic best practices by regularly cleaning your hands with soap and water or with an alcohol-based hand gel, covering your cough or sneeze with a tissue or your inner elbow and maintaining a safe 6-foot distance from anyone with a cold or infection. Medical evidence shows that germs may spread among people with CF through direct and indirect contact as well as through droplets that travel short distances when a person coughs or sneezes. These germs can lead to worsening symptoms and speed decline in lung function. To further help reduce the risk of cross-infection, the Foundation's attendance policy recommends inviting only one person with CF to attend the indoor portion of a Foundation-sponsored event at a specific time. For the outdoor portion, the Foundation recommends that all people with CF maintain a safe 6-foot distance from each other at all times.



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