

Summertime Blues For A Cure Golf Outing and Blues Concert

June 25 - 27, 2010

Northstar Golf Club, 1150 Wilson Road, Sunbury, OH 43074 Benefiting the

Stefanie Spielman Fund for Breast Cancer Research at OSUCCC - James and IMPEDE (IMportance of Prevention and Early DEtection) Program at Grady Memorial Hospital

Sean Carney's Blues For A Cure and Northstar Golf Club are teaming up to bring the second annual "Summertime Blues For A Cure" golf outing and Blues concert to central Ohio. This event will benefit the Stefanie Spielman Fund for Breast Cancer Research at Ohio State's Comprehensive Cancer Center – James Cancer Hospital and Solove Research Institute (OSUCCC – James) and the IMPEDE (Importance of Prevention and Early Detection) Program at Grady Memorial Hospital. Presenting sponsors for this event is The Robert Weiler Company Realtors and Nationwide Insurance.

The fun kicks off at Northstar Golf Club 7pm, Friday, June 25 with the Sean Carney Band's "Camp Blues" student performance followed up by returning favorite, 2006 Guitar Center Guitarmageddon "King of the Blues" National Champion Matt O'Ree Band, from New Jersey. Tickets for Friday's show are a \$10 donation.

On Saturday, June 26, Northstar Golf Club will host a golf scramble with an 11 am shotgun start. Following the golf event, all participants will be served a southern style barbeque dinner from Shane's Rib Shack. There will be a silent auction to further support the cause.

At 6 pm that evening, the music will crank up with a lineup of award winning Blues artists. Bring your lawn chairs and blankets for an evening under the stars with delicious southern barbeque vittles from Shane's Rib Shack and all your favorite beverages available for purchase.

Kicking things off will be the Sean Carney Band with special guest, Little Charlie Baty. Winners of the 2007 International Blues Challenge competition and Albert King "Most Promising Guitar" player, the Sean Carney band is comprised of Columbus natives, Sean Carney, Eric Blume and Steve Perakis.

During the intermission between artists, Dr. Michael Caligiuri, Director of Ohio State's Comprehensive Cancer Center and CEO of James Cancer Hospital and Solove Research Institute, will share exciting news on the latest research being done by the Spielman Fund (www.spielmanfund.com). Lisa Pettrey, Vice President of Operations, C.N.O. and Dr. Kay Rothman from Grady Memorial Hospital, will provide information on IMPEDE (Importance of Prevention and Early Detection) Program and how it benefits the community.

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A live auction will be held featuring a Worthington Industries donated corporate suite for 12 to enjoy a Columbus Clippers game at the new Huntington Park. For the collectors in the audience, there will be a commemorative guitar signed by all the artists participating for the weekend and an Epiphone guitar signed by the legend himself, B.B. King!

Hailing from San Francisco is headliner John Nemeth. This Contemporary Blues artist and Double Blues Music Award Winner for "Best New Artist Debut Recording" and "Sean Costello Rising Star Award" will be promoting his new release on Blind Pig Records, "Name The Day" due to hit stores in late May.

On Sunday June 27, rounding out the weekend of award winning Blues is none other than the 2009 Blues Music Award "Contemporary Blues Female Artist of the Year" and "B.B. King Entertainer of The Year", Janiva Magness. Making her first appearance in central Ohio, and promoting her new release on Alligator Records, "The Devil Is an Angel Too", this concert will be hosted at Vonn Jazz Lounge, 245 East Campus View Boulevard, Columbus, OH 43235-4635, (614) 431-5299. Get your \$20 reserved seat tickets early for this one as it's sure to be a sell out.

Pricing for individual golf packages start at \$125, including lawn seat tickets for the evening Blues Concert. Concert only tickets are \$25 for lawn seats and \$50 for a limited number of reserved VIP table seats available on a first-come, first-served basis. For golf registration, contact Cindy Blake at 614-766-2246 or <a href="mailto:color

Several sponsorship levels are still available and hole sponsorships are \$200, with a \$50 tribute option to recognize a cancer survivor or loved one lost.

For questions regarding sponsorships, please contact Steve Mack (smackoh@yahoo.com or 614-256-6728) or Mark Puskarich (mark@achristmastocurecancer.org or 614-620-6786). Any questions regarding the press release should also be directed to Mark Puskarich.

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