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The Dominic Fouts Memorial Cancer Fund's corporate governance framework is available on our website and by written request.

The policies are regularly reviewed to ensure that our corporate governance framework reflects best practice and the particular needs of the charitable sector in which we operate.

THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS

The Board has six members; comprising five non-executive independent co-founder directors, and one executive co-founder director. In keeping with our focus to minimize administrative costs, all Board members are not paid for their directorship.

Executive Director, Co-Founder

Suzanne Krueger

Non-Executive Directors, Co-Founders

Adam Haynes

Jevan Lautz

Joshua Keyes

Ryan D. Johnson

S. Garrett Patricio

MEETINGS OF DIRECTORS

The Board meets annually for review and strategy sessions.

From the Executive Director

"How wonderful it is that nobody need wait a single moment before starting to improve the world" - Anne Frank

I, as we all do from time to time, need to be reminded that the simplest act of kindness and giving has a multiplying effect. The growth we have had, in our ability to get more money to the patients directly each year, is of great pride to the organization. It is because of your generosity and participation in the DFMCF community that this is possible. I couldn't do this without you!!



Suzanne, with her daughter, Lily at DDC2015

In 3 years, we have been able to give a total of over \$77,000 to 3 Oregon hospital affiliated Cancer Center's Patient Support Services Programs. Each program is fully funded through philanthropy. That means 100% of the money goes to patients' financial needs, to cover their costs.

I'm determined to make this upcoming 2016 Dom Diddy Classic Golf Tournament and Auction more successful and enjoyable than last year's, which will be a challenge! Nothing warms my heart more than anticipating the coming together of all our family and friends... I refer to as the DFMCF community. Those who knew Nick Fouts and those who are just now learning of him, gathering together to spend a day remembering the loved ones lost to cancer and smiling about all the good memories shared with those loved ones. Inspired by Nick's fight and life, we will gather Monday, June 27, 2016 at Tokatee Golf Club. www.domfoutsfund.org/new-events-1/

Our mission it to help patients and their families pay for the cost of cancer care. It is all about relieving that element of stress, because fighting cancer and staying alive is stressful enough!

Suzanne Krueger



In loving memory Dominic Daniel Fouts July 16, 1978 - August 12, 2012



Mission and Values

Mission Statement

Buying more time for cancer patients, while alleviating the cost barriers associated with cancer treatment through special fundraising events.

Values

- * Unrelenting commitment to our mission
- * Fiscal transparency
- * Striving for a 9:1 ratio for grant to administration/operating expenses
- * Passion for people; individual and family cancer fighters
- * Programs supported are fully funded by philanthropy and therefore, do not use funds for administrative costs.

2015 Highlights

On July 1, 2015 OHSU Knight Cancer Institute was granted **\$15,000** for their Patient Support Services Program.

Everyone has different needs throughout their cancer treatment and recovery. Whether you need support from a social worker, help returning to work after treatment or a place to share your experiences as a caregiver, OHSU Knight Cancer Institute has a service for you.

- Acupuncture
- Adolescent and Young Adult Oncology program support
- Cancer nutrition services
- Palliative care
- Rehabilitation services
- Social work
- Support groups and classes

On July 1, 2015 Providence Cancer Center was granted **\$25,000** for their Patient Support Services Program.

Patients may have concerns about how cancer treatment will impact various aspects of their lives and the lives of family and close friends. Our team of professional oncology social workers and nurse navigators helps cancer patients and their families before, during and after treatment.

- Practical assistance with housing, transportation, and filing for medication
- Assistance with disability claims
- Help in communicating with members of the health care team
- Support and referrals for family members
- Cancer support groups

Providence Cancer Support Services are provided at no charge to Providence cancer patients and their families.

2015 Highlights continued...

On September 10, 2015 St. Charles Cancer Center was granted **\$10,000** for their Patient Support Services Program.

We offer programs and support services for survivors and caregivers designed to: Guide you toward healthier living choices; Help you manage stress and anxiety; Introduce resources to help you manage everyday life; Provide information about community resources; and Give you the confidence to write the next chapter of your life.

- Nurse Navigators
- Nutrition
- Social Work
- Spiritual Care

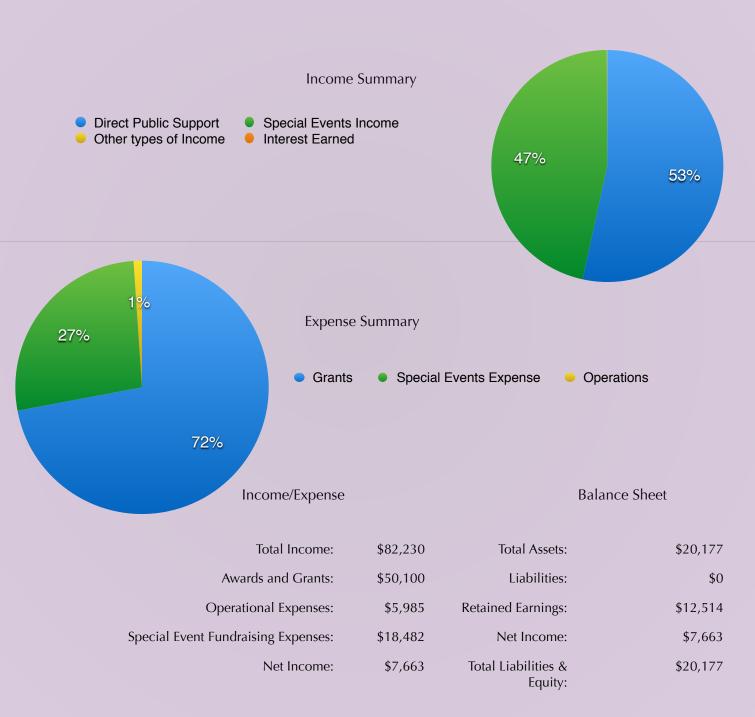
On June 22, 2015 the Tokatee Golf Club was host to the first annual Dom Diddy Classic Golf Tournament and Auction fundraiser.

- Net funds raised \$31,000+ (**exceeds gross income from fundraising events to include contributions related but considered ancillary and included in Part I Contributions on Form 990EZ)
- 100% of funds raised were granted to programs that assist in alleviating the financial burden associated with cancer care.
- 100% of funds raised stayed in Oregon
- Full-field of tournament participants, 144 golfers and more reception/auction guests
- 20 items in silent auction all sold
- 5 items in surprise live auction all sold
- Physician representatives from OHSU and Providence spoke to event attendees about the importance of these financial supplement and assistance programs, as well as the outlook of cancer survivorship
- Golf tournament hole contest prizes included items from Nike Golf, trip within continental U.S., flat-screen television, and a special "Midnight" edition Chevrolet Silverado

On June 25, 2015 OHSU announced it met Nike co-founder Phil Knight and his wife Penny's \$1 billion challenge by raising \$500 million in less than two years to earn the Knight's matching gift and set a fundraising record.

YOU ARE A PART OF THIS HISTORIC EFFORT!

FINANCIALS



Full financial reports are available upon written request. *All personnel are on a volunteer basis. No compensation is awarded for work performed.

THANK YOU!!!

The Dominic Fouts Memorial Cancer Fund would not be possible without the support of generous donors and volunteers who see it in their hearts to help us in our mission. We feel so passionate about the struggle and stress that goes along with fighting cancer, whether you are the one with the diagnosis or your loved one. It is a helpless feeling when someone you love is dealing with this heavy weight. If we can help take away or alleviate in any way, large or small, the financial burden and stress on families and individuals, that is our primary wish!

We know there is a cure in the future and we won't stop our fight as long as there is cost for treatment!

How can you help?

Visit <u>www.domfoutsfund.org</u> and donate. Your contribution is tax deductible.

DFMCF is a 501c3 non-profit public charitable organization. Tax ID# 46-3339931

Donate to our 2016 Dom Diddy Classic Auction

Participate and/or Sponsor the 2016 Dom Diddy Classic Golf Tournament

Visit our "All About You" page and share your story!! Tell us the impact finances for cancer treatment have or are having on you.

Share your creative ideas and volunteer with us! Help us expand our fundraising reach!

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