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CONCERN FOUNDATION FOR CANCER RESEARCH PRESENTS

53 Years
of Concern

A Celebration in Music to Conquer Cancer



Saturday October 16th at 6:00pm PDT*

Featuring performances by Peter Frampton, Melissa Etheridge, the Don Most Orchestra, Sheila E., Herb Alpert featuring Lani Hall, Jim Messina, Dave Koz and Friends featuring Chris Walker lead vocals, Eric Darius and Vincent Ingala on saxophones, Adam Hawley on guitar, Keiko Matsui on piano and Rick Braun on trumpet, **Three Dog Night**, singer/songwriter Rob Morrow star of *Northern Exposure*, **Playing For Change**; "connecting the world through music", Vicki Peterson of The Bangles, Taylor Dayne, Steve Tyrell, *plus more to come*.

Hosted by comedienne Wendy Liebman

To join the celebration, go to:

<https://www.concernfoundation.org/block-party>

*For the second year in a row, the Coronavirus and the uncertainty surrounding the latest uptick in cases has forced us to cancel our annual in-person Block Party fundraiser. As a humanitarian organization we believe that it is the prudent and responsible thing to do.

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Digital Tribute Journal Form 2021

I want to help conquer cancer and become a 2021 Sponsor:

Family Contributor (\$1,500)

INCLUDES A BAG OF BLOCK PARTY GOODIES AND A HALF PAGE IN THE DIGITAL TRIBUTE JOURNAL THAT WILL BE AVAILABLE ON THE CONCERN WEBSITE

Research Patron (\$3,000)

INCLUDES 2 DINNERS FROM ONE OF THE BLOCK PARTY DESIGNATED PARTICIPANTS, A FULL PAGE IN THE DIGITAL TRIBUTE JOURNAL AND A PICNIC BASKET OF BLOCK PARTY GOODIES

President's Gold (\$6,000)

INCLUDES UP TO 4 DINNERS FROM ONE OF THE BLOCK PARTY DESIGNATED PARTICIPANTS, A FULL PAGE IN THE DIGITAL TRIBUTE JOURNAL AND A PICNIC BASKET OF BLOCK PARTY GOODIES

Hall Of Fame Diamond (\$13,000)

INCLUDES UP TO 6 DINNERS FROM ONE OF THE BLOCK PARTY DESIGNATED PARTICIPANTS, A FULL PAGE IN THE DIGITAL TRIBUTE JOURNAL AND A PICNIC BASKET OF BLOCK PARTY GOODIES

Platinum (\$25,000)

INCLUDES UP TO 8 DINNERS FROM ONE OF THE BLOCK PARTY DESIGNATED PARTICIPANTS, A FULL PAGE IN THE DIGITAL TRIBUTE JOURNAL AND A PICNIC BASKET OF BLOCK PARTY GOODIES

I would like to be included in the Digital Journal Pages & Listing:***

- Full Page Digital Tribute (15"w X 8"h): \$1,200
- Half Page Digital Tribute (15"w X 4"h): \$750
- Quarter Page Digital Tribute (7"w X 4"h): \$500
- Eighth Page Digital Tribute (3½"w X 2"h): \$250
- Friends of Concern (name only) List as: _____ \$100

***THE TRIBUTE JOURNAL WILL BE AVAILABLE FOR ALL TO SEE ON THE CONCERN WEBSITE
www.concernfoundation.org/block-party

Amount Enclosed for a Sponsorship, Tribute Journal Page or General Donation to help conquer cancer:

\$ _____

Enclosed is my **check** OR Please charge my **credit card**: (circle one) **VISA | MC | AMEX | DISCOVER**

Card # _____ CVW# _____ Exp. _____

Name on Card _____

Signature _____

All donations can be made by check, major credit card or stock gift. Gifts from your IRA account will also be accepted as payment for your sponsorship. Gifts from donor-advised funds cannot be applied towards sponsorship or tribute journal payments as charitable laws prohibit us from providing you with any goods or services. Tax ID# 23-7002878

Tribute Ad Deadline is Friday, October 1, 2021

If you have any questions or would like to make arrangements to pay your donation in installments please do not hesitate to contact us (310) 360-6100 or Wendy@concernfoundation.org

Thank you for your ongoing generosity and support.



It's Already Time to Think About the Holidays!

Save your leftover Halloween candy or buy some extras for Concern's Holiday Party for pediatric cancer patients! We also need your help collecting new, unopened toys, Target gift cards and monetary donations to purchase gifts on your behalf. Gifts will be distributed to local pediatric cancer patients and their family members at the **Holiday Party on Sunday, December 12**. Help make this the best holiday season ever for hundreds of deserving families.

Items can be purchased through our Amazon wishlist: [Tinyurl.com/toys21](https://www.tinyurl.com/toys21)

All candy, toys and gifts must be collected by **Monday, December 6**.

Contact Concern with any questions or special drop-off arrangements.



Check out and subscribe to our YouTube channel to learn more about the history of Concern Foundation and the research we are funding:
www.youtube.com/user/Concernfdn



You can now donate to Concern Foundation through your ebay sales!

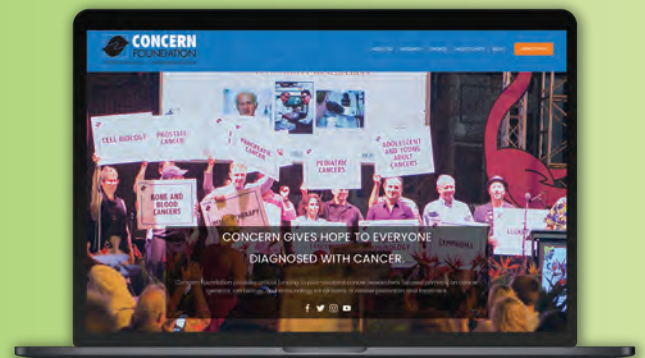
Ebay for Charity works directly with the PayPal Giving Fund to enable sellers to donate a portion of their sales while supporting Concern Foundation.

Simply designate Concern Foundation when setting up your auctions and "buy now" items on eBay from anywhere between 10% and 100% of the sale. 100% of every donation processed will reach Concern.

Take a look at our new website:
www.concernfoundation.org

You can watch last year's virtual Block Party, in case you missed it.

Go to: concernfoundation.org/block-party



Concern Welcomes New Board Members



"For Brian and I, it's about giving more than money. It's really about sitting on a Board like Concern Foundation and helping in as many ways as we can."

– **Eden Alpert Anastasio and Brian Anastasio**



"I am proud and pleased to serve on the Board of the Concern Foundation and further its mission. Like many others, cancer greatly impacted me many years ago when my father passed away in 1977 from colon cancer."

– **Ivan Kallick**



"It's all about the journey, and giving back. We are very proud to be associated with Concern because of its total devotion to cancer research and not any other platform or expenditures. Once we met with Derek, we signed up immediately!"

– **Susan Hirsch Wohl and Matt Hirsch**



"I'm Lad Lorenz and I recently became part of the Concern Foundation Board. I joined the Board because of a long history supporting friends who are involved with Concern and a passion for seeing cancer eradicated through research."

– **Latimer "Lad" Lorenz**



"I've been involved with Concern Foundation for over 35 years. In that time I've seen my wife, mother, several relatives and too many friends die of and battle cancer. My hope is that in some small way, my involvement with Concern Foundation will help find a cure for this dreaded disease."

– **Jerry Otelsberg**



"I decided to get involved with Concern because I want to give back to the community and to the people I know and love. Being on the Board allows me a chance to expand my horizons, think creatively and give of myself for such a good cause. It is an honor to be a part of the mission that Concern paves the way for and it gives me a great sense of teamwork and camaraderie. Hopefully, my effort of serving the cause of the common goal will make a difference."

– **Lori Rubin**



"I came across Concern Foundation about 10 years ago while looking for organizations to partner with while working my former job at Beauty Bus Foundation. I immediately respected Concern's mission, adored the people involved in the work and knew it was a place I wanted to offer my time and talent. I am honored to be on the Board of Concern helping further the mission and I look forward to the day we don't have to exist."

– **Jaclyn Clifford**

Congratulations to the Concern Foundation **2020–2022 Conquer Cancer Now Grant Recipients**

Elena Piskounova: *Weill Cornell Medicine:* Melanoma

Julia Maxson: *Oregon University:* Myeloid Leukemia

Stephano Spano Mello: *University of Rochester:* Pancreatic Cancer

Christian Badr: *Mass General/Harvard:* Glioblastoma/Brain Tumors

Stavroula Hatzios: *Yale University:* Cancer Cell Signaling

Irfan Asangani: *University of Pennsylvania:* Prostate Cancer

Rui Lu: *University of Alabama:* Myeloid Leukemia/Stem Cells

Remi Buisson: *UC Irvine:* Tumor Cell Mutations

Taran Gujral: *Fred Hutchinson Cancer Center:* Pancreatic Cancer

Chao Lu: *Columbia University:* Squamous Cell Carcinoma

Marjan Rafat: *Vanderbilt University:* Triple Negative Breast Cancer

Vu Ngo: *City of Hope:* Lymphoma

Kyoung Eun Lee: *University of Michigan:* Pancreatic

Evanthia Roussos Torres: *University of Southern California:* Breast Cancer





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Upcoming Events:
Saturday, October 16
53 Years of Concern: A Celebration
in Music to Conquer Cancer
Saturday, November 6
LA Big 5K at Dodger Stadium
Sunday, November 7
Los Angeles Marathon
and Charity Challenge
Sunday, December 12
Concern Holiday Party
at Paramount Pictures

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