

8 hour Marathon Lacrosse Game to raise funds and awareness for:

Huntsville & District Minor Lacrosse and The Kelly Shires Breast Cancer Foundation

We are starting to get into the planning for game day now. Anyone who is interested in playing a little or a lot that day will need to pre-register so we will have an idea of how many players we are going to have. I will also need to get an approximate time commitment from you as well. This will <u>hopefully</u> allow the day to run smoothly and allow us to have at least 10 players available at all times.

The plan is to start the day off with the younger divisions and run thru to the adults to finish up the day.

So, the potential timelines will be something like:

Tyke 10 - 11a Novice 11 - 12p Peewee 12 - 1p Bantam 1 - 2p Midget 2 - 3p Intermediate 3 - 4:30p Jr. C, Sr. B, Masters, Parents, Coaches, Trainers, etc 4:30 - 6p

There will be at least a few adults on the floor playing throughout the day as well. Our hope is to mix it up, but to allow the younger and smaller players the ability to have fun, safely, while playing alongside some of the adults and older players as well.

Also, instead of a registration fee for the event, we are asking for each of you to collect pledges. Pledge sheets will be available for you once you are registered. All of the pledge monies collected will go directly to The Kelly Shires Breast Cancer Foundation (www.kellyshiresfoundation.org) and any single donation over \$20 will receive a tax receipt. Each player is required to raise a minimum of \$20. There will be prizes awarded to the top earners! Thanks for your cooperation on this. Every dollar raised through pledges will go directly to the Foundation. All of those monies are directed to breast cancer patients. Please check out the website for more information on their great organization.

So, what we will need you all to do is to email: <u>J_Lsecord@hotmail.com</u> with <u>PLAY FOR</u> **PINK** in the subject line, and the following information:

Name: Division: Availability (ex: 11a - 4pm): Interest in referring or timekeeping: The game will be masters rules and equipment. If you have any further questions, please do not hesitate to ask. Don't forget to pass the information around to all your friends and family! Know anyone just wanting to try out the game? This would be a great opportunity to do just that!

Following the game, the beer gardens will open at 6 pm with a dance to start at 8 pm. Entertainment is to be provided by LAGANZA so tell all your friends. Concurrently there will be either a Junior C or a Senior B game happening as well.

Admission will be \$15 per person and free to those who play any portion of the days game.

For more information, please contact Jeff or Leslie Secord <u>J_Lsecord@hotmail.com</u> or 705-706-2019

Thanks everyone!