

November 28, 2021

BFTC Newsletter

Giving Tuesday



Giving Tuesday takes place Nov. 30 and is a day when people all around the world show their generosity. Whether it's by giving someone a hug, volunteering your time or helping a stranger, we want you to act this Giving Tuesday.

Breast cancer is a disease that affects many women and men worldwide, with over 284,000 people expected to be diagnosed with invasive breast cancer this year and 281,000 of those being women. This November, Bowl for the Cure will be giving away two BFTC bowling pins to those who donate. If BFTC is a meaningful cause to you, just visit the Bowl for the Cure website by Nov. 30 to participate.

[GIVE HERE](#)

Bowl for the Cure Week at the Women's Championships



Don't miss out on Bowl for the Cure Week! Join us at the 2022 Women's Championships to honor our pink warriors and promote breast cancer awareness. Bowl for the Cure Week will take place June 20-26 in Addison, Illinois. Activities will include the Approach of Hope, a raffle and daily prizes! All funds donated during the week will go to Bowl for the Cure. We can't wait to see you there!

For more information regarding Bowl for the Cure Week, click [here](#).

If you have questions concerning the event, please email bftc@bowl.com.

Bowl for the Cure Holiday Promotion

It's the holiday season, which means it's time to start your holiday shopping! Beginning Dec. 1, if you donate any amount to Bowl for the Cure online, you will receive a discount code to shop at the USBC Bowling Store to get 30% off. You get to support a great cause while gaining some stylish USBC gear. Don't miss out on this limited time offer!

*Cannot be combined with other offers and is only good Dec. 1 – Dec. 31, 2021

Resources

Did you know the BFTC website has a resources page? This page has information on support groups, breast cancer research and much more. This is a great source if you have questions or want to learn more about breast cancer. If you don't see what you are looking for, please let us know at bftc@bowl.com, and we will assist you.

To check out our resource page, click [here](#).

Pink Facts

In 2020, approximately 168,000 women were diagnosed with metastatic breast cancer. Metastatic breast cancer or stage IV breast cancer is when cancer cells spread to other parts of the body. Signs and symptoms include:

- Fatigue
- Shortness of Breath
- Weight loss
- Bone pain
- Seizures
- Jaundice

These are common symptoms of other ailments, so it's important to discuss any symptoms with a healthcare provider and have routine doctor visits. Currently, there are treatments for all forms of breast cancer including MBC. To learn more about treatment, click the link below.

[Learn More](#)

Pink Highlight – Donors

We want to say a big thank you to all those who participated in National Breast Cancer Awareness Month! Over 16 events took place this October, which included tournaments, raffles and league fundraisers. We raised over \$15,000 because of your support, so THANK YOU!

Missed the last BFTC newsletter? Go to BOWL.com/bftc to check out the past newsletters.

If you have stories, memories or words of encouragement you want to share with the community, we want to hear from you. If we choose your story for the newsletter, you will receive a **Bowl for the Cure bowling pin!** Please email bftc@bowl.com with the subject line "BFTC Highlight" or you can mail a letter to:

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Bowl for the Cure
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