

## Volley for the Cure FAQ's

- 1Q.** We want to participate in the “Volley for the Cure,” but I was wondering if instead of donating our proceeds to the Susan G. Komen Foundation we donate them to another organization that also is involved with breast cancer?
- 1A.** No. The promotion the Board of Directors approved was the Susan G. Komen “Volley for the Cure.” This approval also includes suspending some NFHS rules for that promotional game. IHSA has also signed agreements with Susan G Komen that allows our member schools to use their logo and name. Donations, therefore, must be forwarded to the local Susan G. Komen affiliate in your area.
- 2Q.** What should a school do if there is no local affiliate in the area?
- 2A.** If there are no local affiliates, the monies should go to the Peoria affiliate. That is my main contact and she has been working with the national office and the Illinois affiliates.
- 3Q.** How do I contact a local affiliate?
- 3A.** The local affiliates have been made aware of the promotion along with the national office in Dallas. Typically a school would have to sign an agreement but IHSA has already taken care of that detail. Depending on where you live will determine whether you have a local affiliate. Here is a list of those in the state:
- Chicagoland Affiliate - Michael Ziener, ED - 312-446-9113*
- McLean County Affiliate - [betty.cupach@countryfinancial.com](mailto:betty.cupach@countryfinancial.com) - Betty Cupach, Board President*
- Susan G. Komen for the Cure, Peoria Memorial Affiliate - [Imaricle@komenpeoria.org](mailto:Imaricle@komenpeoria.org) - Linda Maricle, Executive Director*
- Quad-Cities Affiliate - [nelsonangela@genesishhealth.com](mailto:nelsonangela@genesishhealth.com) - Angela Arnold-Nelson, ED*
- 4Q.** What happens if there is no local affiliate?
- 4A.** Send your donations to Linda Maricle, Executive Director of the Peoria affiliate. Schools in the white counties that participate should send their money to Peoria. Those funds will be evenly divided amongst the Affiliates.
- 5Q.** I am from a Decatur school and I thought there was a Susan G. Komen affiliate since I participated in a “Race for a Cure” event?
- 5A.** The Decatur “Race for the Cure” is not an affiliate of Komen only a race. Any school that participates in the Decatur area is instructed to send their money to Peoria. Those funds will be evenly divided amongst the Affiliates.
- 6Q.** How do I know if we are in an area that has no local affiliate or has a local affiliate?
- 6A.** A map is provided showing the “white counties”. The white counties are those areas who will use the Peoria area for their affiliate.