



STEPS AWAY FROM A CURE

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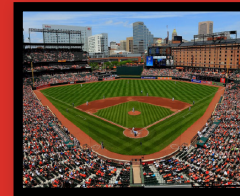
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LABOR of LOVE & Softball Slam



MAY 20-22, 2017  BALTIMORE, MD



Thank you from Chairman Sean McGarvey...

On May 20-22, North America's Building Trades Unions will host its annual Labor of Love Tournament in Baltimore, Maryland. This signature event supports the efforts of the Diabetes Research Institute (DRI) and its mission to find a cure for this debilitating disease. To date, our efforts have helped raise more than \$53 million dollars for DRI. Our affiliated unions, our owner and contractor partners, and our vendors and sponsors have been involved in the Fight for a Cure for the past 30 years, and without our support, this cure-focused research might not be at the threshold it is now.

For the last several years, we have endeavored to keep you abreast of the medical advancements being made by the DRI. Last May, we shared with you the progress on the DRI BioHub, a bioengineered mini organ that mimics the pancreas, and we introduced you to a woman who was the first patient in the BioHub clinical trials. Remarkably, she no longer needs insulin therapy to control her blood sugars. Then in June, the same innovative BioHub protocol was duplicated by DRI collaborators, resulting in another patient being freed from insulin injections. These clinical trials will continue with additional patients in the coming year.

Because of your support for the Labor of Love program, we are in the midst of seeing a cure become a reality, and we can all take pride in that.

Thank you again for being a part of our efforts over the years. And for those of you who are considering partnering with us for the first time in our Fight for a Cure, we thank you and look forward to seeing you in Baltimore in May.

Sincerely,



Sean McGarvey

Our Honorary Host – Peter G. Angelos

It comes as no surprise that our Honorary Host, Peter G. Angelos, has graciously agreed to partner with us in our efforts to find a cure for diabetes. And for the fourth year, he has welcomed us once again to Baltimore by providing us with access to Oriole Park at Camden Yards, as well as Baltimore's finest golf courses. He has been, and continues to be, a true friend of the Building Trades and we appreciate his continued support for all of our local and national philanthropic efforts. When it comes to the Labor of Love, Peter has never said, "No". In fact, he and his family have not only assisted us with putting on a first-rate event, but have actively sought to learn more about the disease and DRI's efforts over the years.

With the fantastic support from Our Host, combined with a return to Charm City, we anticipate that the 2017 Labor of Love event has the potential to surpass last year's record contribution to the DRI. Peter's generosity has undoubtedly made the difference in our ability to achieve the success that we have with the Labor of Love, and for that we are deeply humbled.

Peter, thank you once again for your willingness to get behind this effort, for your many years of support, and for understanding the important role of the DRI and this battle to eliminate diabetes.



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2017 LABOR OF LOVE SCHEDULE

SATURDAY, MAY 20, 2017

- 8:00am – 4:00pm Event Registration – Hilton Baltimore/Mencken Room
- 7:30am – 11:30am Softball Slam Round 1 – Oriole Park at Camden Yards
- 11:00am – 6:00pm 142nd Running of the Preakness – Pimlico Race Track
- 7:00pm – 10:00pm Texas Hold'em Poker Tournament – Horseshoe Baltimore (Room TBD)

SUNDAY, MAY 21, 2017

- 8:00am – 4:00pm Event Registration – Hilton Baltimore/Mencken Room
- 8:00am – 1:00pm Masters Tournament – Caves Valley Golf Club – Owings Mills, MD
- 5:30pm – 10:30pm Softball Slam Round 2 & Championship – Oriole Park at Camden Yards
- 8:00am – 2:00pm Practice Round – Compass Pointe Golf Club – Pasadena, MD
(Tee Times are available between 8:00am – 2:00pm – to schedule your tee time contact Robert Canady 410-255-7764, ext. 5 or by email at rcanady@compasspointegolf.com)
- 6:00pm – 8:00pm Welcome Reception – Hilton Baltimore

MONDAY, MAY 22, 2017

- 7:00am Breakfast & LOL Check-In – Baltimore Country Club – Lutherville, MD
- 9:00am Labor of Love Golf Tournament Shotgun Start – Baltimore Country Club
- 5:30pm - 8:30pm Award's Reception – Oriole Park Warehouse at Camden Yards

OUR FIGHT CONTINUES...AND YOU CAN BE A PART OF THE CURE!

Your continued willingness to be a part of the Labor of Love for the past 31 years has allowed the Diabetes Research Institute (DRI) to make groundbreaking progress in the battle against diabetes.

In fact, the DRI BioHub, a bioengineered mini organ and transplant technique developed by the DRI, is already changing lives and allowing patients with diabetes to live free from insulin therapy.

Thanks to YOU - our affiliated unions, our rank and file members, and our partners and sponsors - we are dramatically changing lives.

But our Fight for the Cure is not finished yet.

THANK YOU for helping us in our effort to change the lives of millions through the DRI!

WANT TO MAKE A CONTRIBUTION or WANT TO KNOW MORE ABOUT THE DRI?

Please contact Rob Severn at 202-756-4624 or severn@buildingtrades.org or check out www.diabetesresearch.org

