

NYSUT is excited to announce that for the 13th year, we will serve as a flagship sponsor for the <u>Making</u> <u>Strides Against Breast Cancer Walk,</u> <u>Sunday, October 18, 2015</u>. Can you believe it is already time for us to start the planning for 2015? Let us first take a moment to extend a special "thanks" to all the team captains and local presidents who took part in 2014!

We are reaching out to you at this time to confirm that you intend to continue to be a Team Captain and/or to ask you to help identify a Team Captain for your school/local, so we can keep everyone informed throughout the upcoming months of planning. You may have already been contacted by a NYSUT Recruiter from ACS by the name of Jennae Numo or Imani Shabazz. These recruiters are working directly with the Rochester NYSUT office to maintain a strong Team Captain database, so please feel free to give them your contact information, as it will guarantee that we have it as well.

Each year we want to increase participation, so please recruit any and all walkers within your district, as well as students, parents, sports teams and even retirees. Some student sports team members march each year without any pledges. Would your local consider sponsoring student walkers for \$1 and encourage the school PTA to do the same? Let us know if you sponsor students so we can feature this effort in our regional newsletter.

The Making Strides of Rochester, NY website is live and registration is open! So go to: makingstrideswalk.org/ **Rochester** and sign up your team today! Once you register, there will be a place to identify yourself as a NYSUT Team. In fact, now's the perfect time to register! By registering today and kicking off your fundraising efforts, you can make an impact immediately, helping to save more lives, faster! Once you sign up, you'll have immediate access to your My Strides "Dashboard" which includes all the tools you need for fundraising success, including a personal fundraising page, a mobile application. and the ability to share your participation with your social media networks.

Every Making Strides walk is a powerful and inspiring opportunity to unite as a community to help the American Cancer Society fight the disease with breast cancer research, information and services, and access to mammograms for women who need them.

Additional materials will be sent/emailed to Local Presidents, Team Captains and Retiree Council Presidents in the next few months. These materials include the "Steppin" Up The Pace" newsletter, a Team Captain Kit with walk papers, posters, and informational flyers. It's committed participants like you who make our Making Strides events so exceptional! Register today and help us finish the fight against breast cancer!

IMPORTANT THINGS TO KNOW:

<u>Thursday, August 27th</u> <u>at 7 am</u> Kickoff Breakfast Double Tree Hotel* *Please note location has changed this year!

Friday, September 24th NYSUT T-Shirt Deadline

Event details and Team Captain Kit mailings will be going out in August through October, so please make sure we have your correct contact information.

If you have any questions, please call:

<u>Traci Szalkowski</u> <u>585 454 5550</u> tszalkow@nysutmail.org.



2015 NYSUT Team Leader Information

Name of Team Leader:	
Name of Association:	
Email Address:	
Phone Number:	

Kick-Off Event details will be emailed directly to you as soon as they are available.

Please be sure to return this form to NYSUT. Email to tszalkow@nysutmail.org or mail to: Traci Szalkowski, NYSUT, 30 N. Union Street, Suite 302, Rochester, NY 14607.

It's easy to get started:

- 1. SIGN UP: Create your team at <u>makingstrideswalk.org/Rochester</u>
- 2. **RECRUIT TEAMMATES:** Reach out to friends, family, co-workers and neighbors, and invite them to join your team.
- 3. **FUNDRAISE:** Encourage team members to set a fundraising goal.
- 4. **WALK!** Making Strides Against Breast Cancer is an empowering and vibrant event. Celebrate survivorship, remember those who have been lost, and take a stand against breast cancer. You'll never forget the experience.



T-shirt Order Form

Build team spirit with T-shirts for your team. A four-colored design is printed on a long-sleeved t-shirt. Have your company/team name or logo printed (in black) on the back at no extra charge!

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Last Day to Order Imprinted Shirts is Sept. 24, 2015

Return order form and payment to:



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