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Dear Supporters:

The Hope Foundation of the Mahoning Valley (HFMV) & Valley Home Health Care proudly present the 3<sup>rd</sup> annual "SOFTBALL GAME OF HOPE", in conjunction with television stations 27 First News/FOX Youngstown & WYTV-MyYTV, radio stations 93.3 "The Wolf," 1390 WNIO & News Radio 570 WKBN, UAW Local 1112 & 1714 from GM-Lordstown, Buffalo Wild Wings and the Mahoning Valley Scrapers.

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The HFMV is an organization formed to raise money for chronically/terminally ill children of the Valley and the surrounding area. Over the past six years, the Basketball and Softball Games of Hope, which are charity events held at YSU & Eastwood Field, have donated over \$30,000 to charity. We now hope to continue the tradition on the softball diamond again. The teams will be comprised of local leaders, politicians, and community volunteers from the Valley.

The day will be plenty of fun for the entire family but to ensure its continued success, we are asking for your help. The event will take place on **Saturday, August 7, 2010** inside Eastwood Field (Niles, OH) with first pitch slated for 4:00 p.m. Following the charity event the Mahoning Valley Scrapers (the Indians Class A, Short Season affiliate) will play the Aberdeen IronBirds (a Baltimore Orioles affiliate) at 7:05pm. Tickets are \$5 in advance @ [www.hopemv.org](http://www.hopemv.org) or \$7 at the door. Kids 12 and under eat free: slice of pizza, chips and a soft drink.

**Community leaders who have committed:** Reverend Lewis Macklin of Holy Trinity Missionary Baptist Church of Youngstown, Presidents Jim Graham & David Green from UAW 1112 & 1714, Roxann Sebest from WKBN/WYTV Anchor, Joe Fanto-Chase Bank, Frank Fuda Trumbull County Commissioner, Matt Spatz Online Personality from 93.3 "The Wolf," Mike Sciorino Mahoning County Auditor, the General Manager of the MV Scrapers Dave Smith, Tyler Clark of Tyler Clark Consultants, Jason Earnhart Magistrate of the Trumbull County Common Pleas Court, the Magistrate for Mahoning County Common Pleas Dan Dascenzo, Jim Melfi the Mayor of Girard, Mary Jane Trapp from the 11<sup>th</sup> District Court of Appeals, Mark Catello from the IBEW # 573, Lisa Oles Austintown Trustee, Chris Litton Regional Chamber, Chris Jaskiewicz from Valley Electrical & Mahoning Valley Young Professionals, DeMaine Kitchen Youngstown Councilman and Chris Litton, Regional Chamber. Honorary Coaches include Cheryl Weaver from Champion High School & Reid Lamport from Poland High School, who both serve as Head Softball Coaches in their respective districts. Teams Owners include, Greg Hicks, Warren City Law Director and John D'Apolito from Owner, of Valley Home Health Care.

Please find information below for businesses/organizations and the benefits you will receive for your tax-deductible donation. You can also donate ONLINE! If you cannot donate, then we encourage you to come out and enjoy the event with the family! For further information, visit us at: [www.hopemv.org](http://www.hopemv.org).

**Any Donation:** No gift is too large or too small. We would accept any services/goods or donation, it's appreciative!

**\$300 Donation:** A banner of your company (company provides) at Eastwood Field during "Softball Game of Hope," an informational table at our event, a set of 15 GA seats for the SGOH/MV Scrapers Game that night and your name as a sponsor on the back of the T-Shirts, website and a full page ad in the program.

**\$200 Donation:** An informational table at our event, a set of 10 GA seats for the SGOH/MV Scrapers Game that night and your name as a sponsor on the back of the T-Shirts, website and a Full page ad in the program.

**\$100 Donation:** A set of 7 GA seats for the SGOH/MV Scrapers Game that night and your name as a sponsor on the back of the T-Shirts; website and half page ad in the program.

**Program Ad Only:** Full-Page: \$75; Half-Page: \$50; Quarter-Page: \$25 (All come with 4 GA Tickets)

In advance, we would like to say "THANK YOU" for any and all consideration that you would give to this request. Should you have any questions or concerns, please do not hesitate to call me at 330-728-2669 or e-mail me at [avspano@hopemv.org](mailto:avspano@hopemv.org).

Sincerely,



Anthony Spano,  
Founder/Executive Director, Hope Foundation of the Mahoning Valley

**2010 Softball Game of Hope**  
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