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## 2006 CHARITY PROGRAM OVERVIEW

### **Making It More Meaningful**

The LaSalle Bank Chicago Marathon offers all of its registrants the opportunity to make their 26.2-mile challenge more meaningful by signing on to run with one of its 60 charity partners. The charities affiliated with the Marathon represent a variety of causes supporting everything from disease research to children's hospitals to eliminating homelessness. Participants can easily find a non-profit organization among this extensive list that will encourage and inspire them to aggressively approach their training, raise funds for their program and feel an even greater accomplishment after completing the 26.2-mile course.

### **2006 Growth**

Last year, more than 3,000 marathon runners registered to run for one of The LaSalle Bank Chicago Marathon's then 43 charity partners. The group collectively raised an event record \$6.3 million. This year, with an increased 60 affiliated charities and more than 4,300 runners set to run for those causes, expectations are that the 2005 dollar total will be surpassed.

### **McDonald's Charity Village**

For the second consecutive year, McDonald's will host all of the charities and their running teams in McDonald's Charity Village. Located just east of the Start/Finish area on Columbus Drive and south of Buckingham Fountain, the McDonald's Charity Village offers charity runners the benefits of private gear check, restrooms, meeting areas, refreshments and the support of hundreds of others who are Making It More Meaningful.

While not an official charity of The 2006 LaSalle Bank Chicago Marathon, Ronald McDonald House Charities is organizing a team of 20 runners who will take on the challenges of the course to raise funds for McDonald's non-profit organization.



**OFFICIAL CHARITIES****American Cancer Society**

Alison Tibits  
(312) 279-7266  
www.charityrunner.org

**Leukemia & Lymphoma Society (TNT)**

Tovah Krikava  
(312) 651-7350  
www.teamintraining.org

**National AIDS Marathon Training Program**

Steve Schapiro  
(312) 765-0210  
www.aidsmarathon.com

**Opportunity Enterprises**

Stephanie Anderson  
(219) 464-9621 X239  
www.oerunners.org

**Memorial Sloan-Kettering Cancer Center**

Eileen Begg  
(646) 227-3927  
www.mskcc.org

**CHARITY PARTNERS****Alzheimer's Association**

(815) 397-0500  
www.alzheimers-illinois.org/marathon

**Asha for Education**

Bhawani Singh  
(847) 942-2620  
www.teamasha.org

**Cancer Research UK**

Helen Jackson  
0044 207 009 8937  
www.cancerresearchuk.org

**Children's Memorial Hospital**

David Oshinski  
(773) 868-8045  
www.childrensmemorial.org/marathon

**Organization for Autism Research**

Michael Maloney  
(703) 243-9727  
www.researchautism.org/runforautism.asp

**PARTICIPATING CHARITIES****American Brain Tumor Association**

Peggy Kasprzak  
(847) 827-9910  
www.abta.org

**American Liver Foundation**

Elyse Eisen  
(312) 377-9030  
www.illinois-liver.org/runforresearch

**American Red Cross of Greater Chicago**

Natalie Moran  
(312) 729-6134  
www.chicagoredcross.org

**ANCOP**

Manuel Doctor  
(312) 927-3971  
www.ancopusa.org

**Arthritis Foundation**

Cary Lisota  
(312) 372-2080  
http://jimchicagomarathon.kintera.org

**Cure JM Foundation**

Rhonda McKeever  
(914) 253-2113  
www.cureJM.com

**Cystic Fibrosis Foundation**

Courtney Lawrence  
(312) 236-4491  
www.cff.org

**Inspiration Corporation**

Angela Brown  
(773) 878-0981  
www.inspirationcorp.org

**Girls on the Run**

Kelly O'Brien  
(773) 296-4519  
www.girlsontherun.org

**MGR Foundation/Team M3**

Lionel Raab  
(877) 448-3876  
http://m3.mgrf.org

**Spinal Cord Injury Association of Illinois**

Mercedes Rauen  
(708) 352-6223  
www.sci-illinois.org

**St. Coletta's of Illinois Foundation**

Amanda Ignowski  
(708) 342-5241  
www.stcolettail.org

**St. Jude Children's Research Hospital**

Kristine Paca  
(773) 784-6704  
www.stjudeheroes.org

**World Vision**

Michael Chitwood  
(773) 921-3900  
www.worldvision.org/chicagoteam

**Y-ME Illinois**

Jeanne Walton  
(312) 364-9071  
www.y-me.org/illinois



**ASSOCIATED CHARITIES****Best Buddies Illinois**

Emilie Lewis  
(312) 828-9313  
www.bestbuddiesillinois.org

**Best Friends Animal Society**

Dawn Armstrong  
(530) 544-1485  
www.bestfriends.com

**Between Friends**

Kathleen Doherty  
(773) 274-5232  
www.betweenfriendschicago.org

**Broadtree Adventures In Education**

Lauren Beznos  
(773) 292-5188  
www.broadtree.org

**Child's Voice**

Brian Matuszewski  
(630) 338-5758  
www.childsvoiceschool.com

**Children's Hospital Boston**

Andrea Marlar  
(617) 355-8942  
http://giving.childrenshospital.org/events/runChicago

**Children's Oncology Services, INC.**

Elisa Malek  
(312) 942-5019  
http://onestepcamp.org

**Cornelia de Lange Syndrome Foundation**

Darrell Cookman  
(800) 223-8355  
www.CdlSusa.org

**Eastland Disaster Historical Society**

Ted Wachholz  
(877) 865-6295  
www.EastlandDisaster.org

**Emergency Fund**

Meagan Downey  
(312) 379-0301  
www.emergencyfund.org

**Global Business Assist**

Douglas Mann  
(815) 519-8933  
www.gba.org

**Great Lakes Adaptive Sports Association**

Cindy Housner  
(847) 283-0908  
www.glasa.org

**HOPE Worldwide**

Jim Lefler  
(312) 498-6967  
www.hopechicagomarathon.org

**Jack H. Marston II Melanoma Research Fund**

Amy Saletta  
(630) 510-2896  
www.jacksfund.org

**Jane Addams Hull House Association**

Amanda Robillard  
(312) 235-5383  
www.hullhouse.org

**Jumpstart Youth Fitness Endowment**

Lori Costa  
(877) 464-5867  
www.jumpstartyouthfitness.org

**Lombardi Comprehensive Cancer Center**

Meg Pagonis  
(202) 687-2936  
http://lombardi.georgetown.edu/events/teamlombardi

**LUNgevity Foundation**

Cate Huetter  
(773) 281-5864  
www.lungevity.org/teamlungevity

**Medals4Mettle**

Steven Isenberg  
(317) 355-1010  
www.medals4mettle.org

**National Runaway Switchboard**

Katy Walsh  
(773) 880-9860  
www.1800runaway.org

**PAWS**

Jamie McClary  
(773) 843-4884  
www.pawschicago.org

**People's Resource Center**

Carol Madaras  
(630) 682-5402  
www.peoplesrc.org

**Rainbows**

Suzy Yehl Marta  
(847) 952-1770  
www.rainbows.org

**Rape Victim Advocates**

Kim Mongoven  
(312) 663-6303  
www.rapevictimadvocates.org

**Reach The World**

Ashley Metz  
(847) 733-8410  
www.reachtheworld.org

**Rosewood House of Recovery**

Ellen Stevenson  
(864) 242-2166  
www.rosewoodhouse.org

**Sense**

Lauren Bridgen  
www.sense.org.uk

**STOP Colorectal Cancer Foundation**

Steve DeLuca  
(847) 590-5060  
www.coloncancerprevention.org

**The Evanosky Foundation**

Michael Du Vall  
(312) 373-1327  
www.evanoskyfoundation.org

**Tourette Syndrome Association**

Michelle Staley  
(718) 224-2999  
http://tsa-usa.org

**Ulman Cancer Fund for Young Adults**

Sarah Gordon  
(410) 964-0202  
www.runtri.org

**Vascular Disease Foundation**

Sheryl Benjamin  
(303) 989-0500  
www.vdf.org

**UK CHARITIES****British Red Cross**

www.redcross.org.uk

**Children with Leukaemia**

www.leukaemia.org

**Orchid Cancer Appeal**

http://www.orchid-cancer.org.uk

**UK Prostrate Cancer**

www.cancerhelp.org.uk



**2006 CHARITIES BY RUNNER PARTICIPATION**

Leukemia & Lymphoma Society (Team in Training) .....	998
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Well Child.....	1
<b>TOTAL .....</b>	<b>4,493</b>



**PAST CHARITY RESULTS**

**CHARITY PROGRAM RESULTS BY YEAR**

Year	Charities	Runners	Funds Raised
2006	60	4,500	N/A**
2005	43	3,000	\$6,317,000
2004	29	2,449	\$4,740,000
2003	19	2,527	\$4,540,000
2002	14	1,674	\$2,950,000
2001	7	N/A*	N/A*

\*Records on the charity program were not officially kept until 2002.

\*\*2006 dollar figures will not be available until all charities report their final fundraising results.

**2005 FUNDRAISING RESULTS**

Charity	Total Funds Raised
Alzheimer's Association	\$91,491
American Brain Tumor Association	\$48,350
American Cancer Society	\$650,229
American Liver Foundation	\$90,000
American Red Cross	\$29,831
Arthritis Foundation	\$85,000
Asha for Education	\$315,000
A-T Children's Project	\$23,439
Best Buddies	\$7,000
Broadtree Adventures in Education	\$8,306
Cancer Research UK	\$120,000
Children's Advocacy Center	\$21,605
Children's Memorial Hospital	\$228,700
Cornelia de Lange Syndrome Foundation	\$22,500
Cornerstone Community Outreach	\$2,701
Cystic Fibrosis Foundation	\$80,000
Downey Side	\$13,400
Epilepsy Foundation	\$26,913
Girls on the Run	\$53,312
HOPE Worldwide	\$16,105
Inspiration Corporation	\$30,934
Jack H. Marston II Research Fund	\$10,400
Jane Addams Hull House Association	\$3,235



LaSalle Bank Running Club	\$33,700
Leukemia & Lymphoma Society (TNT)	\$2,300,000
Live! Foundation	\$15,660
LUNgevity Foundation	\$17,393
MGR Foundation	\$13,400
Memorial Sloan-Kettering Cancer Center	\$64,500
Miles for Miracles – Boston	\$18,000
National AIDS Marathon	\$1,300,000
National Brain Tumor Foundation	\$37,742
National Runaway Switchboard	\$10,400
Open Doors Organization	\$2,000
Opportunity Enterprises	\$130,000
Organization for Autism Research	\$85,068
People's Resource Center	\$12,110
Rainbows	\$16,711
Spinal Cord Injury Association	\$18,157
St. Coletta's of Illinois Foundation	\$45,200
St. Jude Children's Research Hospital	\$74,194
Starlight Children's Foundation – Canada	\$24,500
STOP Colorectal Cancer Foundation	\$10,000
Y-ME Illinois	\$100,000
United Way of the Quad Cities	\$10,000
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$6,317,186</b>



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