The History Behind The Rhino Page & Friends "Lace Up" To Strike Out Crohn's & Colitis Events

At the 2009 PBA Pro-Am event, my two boys were lucky enough to have the 2007-2008 PBA Rookie of the Year, Rhino Page, participating with them on the lanes. Tyler had been having a really tough time with managing his symptoms and we hoped that doing something he really enjoyed would make him feel better. As I watched Rhino interact with Tyler, it touched my heart to see the joy and happiness that came across his face. Tyler looked the happiest I had seen him since he was diagnosed. I went to Rhino at the end and thanked him many times for showing both my boys such a good time, especially Tyler. I shared with Rhino the struggles that Tyler deals with daily and he was speechless. He couldn't believe, after spending time with Tyler that he could be so sick and suffering the way he was. Rhino decided at that moment that he wanted to help Tyler, as well as other children who suffer from Crohn's and Colitis. Our six events collectively raised over \$160,000 for the Crohn's and Colitis Foundation of America.

~ Patti Cacioppo



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8th Annual Rhino Page & Friends "Lace Up" To Strike Out Crohn's & Colitis Fundraising Event



Saturday, October 22, 2016 7:00 PM to 10:00 PM South Levittown Lanes 56 Tanners Lane Levittown, NY 11756 516.731.5700

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CROHN'S & COLITIS FOUNDATION OF AMERICA

The Crohn's and Colitis Foundation of America is a non-profit, volunteer-driven organization dedicated to finding the cure for Crohn's disease and ulcerative colitis. It was founded in 1967 by Irwin M. and Suzanne Rosenthal, William D. and Shelby Modell, and Henry D. Janowitz, M.D.



Four decades ago, the Crohn's & Colitis Foundation created the field of Crohn's disease and ulcerative colitis research. Today, the Foundation funds cutting-edge studies at major medical institutions, nurtures investigators at the early stages of their careers, and finances underdeveloped areas of research. Educational workshops and symposia, together with our scientific journal, *Inflammatory Bowel Diseases*, enable medical professionals to keep pace with this rapidly growing field. No wonder the National Institutes of Health has commended the Foundation for "uniting the research."

Our Mission

To cure Crohn's disease and ulcerative colitis, and to improve the quality of life of children and adults affected by these diseases.



The 8th Annual Rhino Page & Friends "Lace Up" To Strike Out Crohn's & Colitis Fundraiser on Saturday, October 22, 2016 will take place at:

> South Levittown Lanes 56 Tanners Lane Levittown, NY 11756 7:00 pm to 10:00 pm



Participants receive 3 hours of bowling, shoes, food and beverage, t-shirt, music and live entertainment.

Our Platinum Sponsor, Dr. Cho, Tyler and Rhino Page at the 2011 event. Tyler at the 1st Annual Event in 2009 we raised almost \$ 20,000.





TICKET

There will be a silent auction, raffle baskets and a 50/50 drawing.





8th Annual Rhino Page & Friends "Lace Up" To Strike Out Crohn's & Colitis **Sign-up Form**

	<u>Event Only:</u>	Quantity <u>for each</u>	
	Bowling / Food / T-Shirt Size(<u>#</u>):SMLXL_ XXI		50.00
	Food and T- Shirt Only Size(<u>#</u>):SMLXL_ XXI		40.00
	Non-Event:		
	\$30 Donation: Receive a T-Shirt and surprise. Size(<u>#</u>):SMLXL_ XXI		30.00
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Please make all checks payable to either the Crohn's & Colitis Foundation Of America or Patricia Cacioppo *(<u>Strikeoutcrohns2009@verizon.net</u>)

Credit Card No. Security Code

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Signature

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