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# Event Details

Ellicott Street will be CLOSED between High and Carlton Streets from Friday 9/10 at 9 a.m. through Sunday 9/12 at 10 a.m.

## LOCATION

On Ellicott Street in front of our houses 766 & 782 Ellicott Street, Buffalo NY 14202

## SCHEDULE AT A GLANCE

5 PM . . . . . VIP ONLY  
6 PM . . . . . GENEAL ADMISSION  
7 PM . . . . . DINNER BEGINS  
8:30 PM . . . . . DESSERT & COFFEE  
9 PM . . . . . EVENT CONCLUDES

## PARKING

Free parking is available in the Buffalo Medical Group lot. Enter the lot at 85 High Street. Look for signs and parking attendants to direct you.

## RIDE SHARING

The Allen-Medical Campus rail station is on the corner of High and Main Streets, just a short walk from our campus! Or consider using Uber or Lyft to safely get to and from Supper in the Street.

## DINNER

Dinner will be served family style in the middle of Ellicott Street. We will be separating the tables this year to adhere to COVID-19 guidelines set by the CDC and our Healthcare Partners. Tables will be assigned and a host will assist you in finding your table.

## DRESS CODE

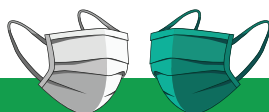
This is an outdoor event so please dress for the weather. There is no formal dress code; dress as you would for a party with your friends.

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## COVID-19 POLICY

Per advisement from our healthcare partners and to protect our immune compromised guests, please arrive wearing your mask. Regardless of vaccination, we ask that masks remain on throughout the event but can be removed at your socially distant bistro and dinner tables. Attendees will be asked to complete a health screening at check-in (located at the entrance to the KGH parking lot) and receive a wristband. Check-in is required before entering the event. We encourage proof of vaccination or negative COVID-19 test within 72 hrs (card, copy or photo). Our priority is the safety of our immune compromised guests, volunteers and staff who interact with them, and our event attendees. We thank you for your cooperation in keeping everyone safe!



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## Menu

### SALAD

Arugula, mixed greens, grilled peaches, roasted sweet potato, cranberries, goat cheese, apple vinaigrette

### DINNER

Sliced steak topped with a red wine demi-glace

Parmesan crusted chicken topped with a lemon white wine sauce

Herb dijonaise potato salad (with lemon, thyme, dill, dijonaise, celery, shallot)

Vegetable medley with zucchini, squash, red pepper and carrots

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## *The* KEVIN GUEST HOUSE STORY

Kevin Guest House is America's first independent healthcare hospitality house. Since 1972, we have provided a comfortable and supportive home-away-from-home for patients and families traveling to receive state of the art health care and treatment in Buffalo area hospitals and medical centers.

Four homes, comprising of eleven bedrooms, six apartments, four suites, and various dining and common areas provide sanctuary for those in need of affordable shelter during a medical crises. Over 60,000 guests have stayed at Kevin Guest House since its inception, mostly originating from Western New York, but also including guests from 49 states, Canada, and eleven other countries.

Kevin Guest House was founded by Claudia and Cyril Garvey, whose son, Kevin Garvey, passed away in January 1972 at the age of 13 after an eighteen month fight against leukemia. During his treatment at Roswell Park Memorial Hospital, the Garveys became aware of many other families, traveling for the care of a child, that were unable to find affordable lodging. Shortly before Kevin's death, Mr. and Mrs. Garvey purchased the property located at 782 Ellicott Street, formed a 501(c)(3) nonprofit organization and with the help of Roswell Park, renovated the house with the support of volunteers and donations from the community. Kevin Guest House welcomed their first guest on July 26, 1972; just six months after Kevin lost his battle.

In addition to our main house, we offer six transplant recovery apartments, the only of their kind in Buffalo, for patients and their caregivers. These fully functional apartments allow blood & marrow and other transplant patients an environmentally safe place to recover that is within the required distance to their medical facility. In many cases these patients are required to stay 100 days or more within 30 minutes of their medical facility for monitoring and testing.

With the help of our generous community of donors and supporters, we are able to continue our mission of serving those in need.

**THANK YOU FOR SUPPORTING US!**

# *Pay it forward for our guests...*



Have you or a family member ever become ill or had to receive unexpected medical care away from home?

## **Imagine what it would be like...**

What would you do if you had an unexpected medical emergency – where would you stay? How would you afford it? Who would travel with you?

At Kevin Guest House, we provide a safe, comfortable and affordable home away from home atmosphere for patient families. With your support, we can continue to help pay it forward for the thousands of guests needing a place to stay.

Kevin Guest House Serves more than 2,000 guests each year and welcomed 60,000 guests from 49 different states since opening in 1972. With twenty four hour staff support, complimentary meals, parking and self-service laundry, Kevin Guest House helps ease the transition away from home and provides the opportunity to interact with other families who can understand what they are going through.

## *Pay it forward* **PROGRAM**

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**\$50** per night in one of our transplant recovery apartments

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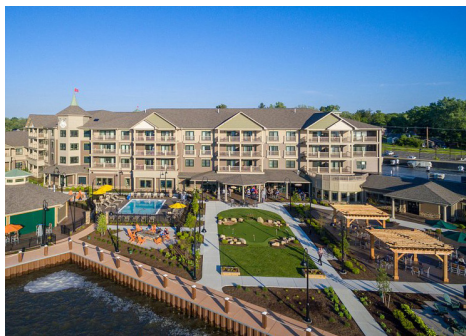


## *Mystery Gift Cards*

### **DONATE \$20**

to Kevin Guest House and receive a gift card to a local restaurant or retail business values at \$20!

Gift cards can be picked up at in-person event, will be sent along meals to-go, or can be mailed.



## *Getaway Raffle*

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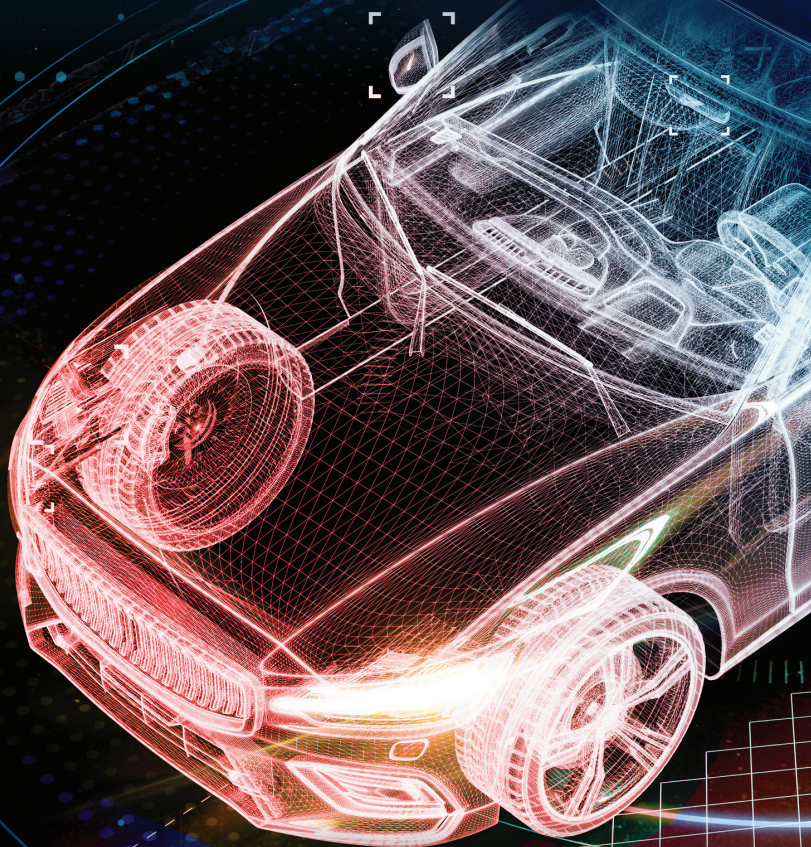
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## *The story of Ann and Annie.*

Ann and her husband William just celebrated their 48th wedding anniversary on August 11th. These high school sweethearts are from Rixford, PA and have been in Buffalo throughout the summer while William receives chemotherapy at Roswell Park.

While it's not how she imagined spending her summer, Ann has found her peace in a daily routine consisting of breakfast, helping around KGH, going to mass at St. Jude Center and then heading over to Roswell for visiting hours. After visiting hours conclude, she makes her way back to have dinner with her new friend Annie.

Annie stayed at KGH years ago during her husband's first cancer battle. Back again for a new cancer, Annie is no stranger to the house and she immediately formed a friendship with Ann. From sitting on the porch sharing a bottle of wine to dinners in the healing garden, Ann and Annie have created a friendship that will outlast their time here.

Knowing it was Ann and William's 48th anniversary, Annie went out and got Ann a small gift and balloon to celebrate. They are both thoughtful and overwhelmingly supportive during a difficult time. Whenever you walk into a room with these two ladies, you're guaranteed to smile from their kindness.

Nothing is easy about watching your loved one go through treatment. Especially when you are miles away from home to get the best, life saving care. Kevin Guest House offers our guests a place of comfort and a unique opportunity for friendships with other guests who understand first hand what a difficult time it is.



# Pathway to Remembrance and Healing

## JULIA'S STORY

Eleven-year-old Julia was a guest for several weeks while her father, Ryan, was undergoing treatment at Roswell Park last year. Unfortunately, Ryan passed away last June.

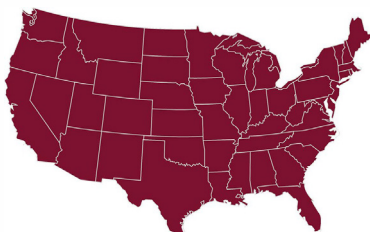
To honor her father and raise money for Kevin Guest House, Julia sold orange ribbons for \$.50 with the goal of purchasing a paver in memory of her dad. The whole family got involved in the fundraising efforts, including Ryan's fiancé, Gabrielle, and his sister and bone marrow donor, Helen, who were also guests during his treatment. It didn't take long for Julia to reach her goal of raising \$500.

We look forward to seeing Julia and her family when the weather gets warmer so they can see their "LOVE YOU RYAN" paver.



Together we can create a beautiful and peaceful space for the patients and their families during the time they call Kevin Guest House their home away from home.

To purchase a paver, visit [KevinGuestHouse.com/Give/Garden](http://KevinGuestHouse.com/Give/Garden). If you have questions or would like more information, please call us at 716-882-1818.



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Together, we're making an impact and fostering hope in our patients and throughout our communities because celebrating even the small victories, can mean something big.

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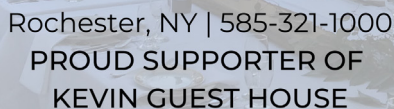
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# Introducing THE KGH50 CAMPAIGN...



Become a Hospitality Hero by helping Kevin Guest House celebrate our golden 50th anniversary of serving patients & families needing to stay close to their critical medical care. Your support will help us prepare for the next half century of guests that enter our doors. Building our future and upgrading our Victorian era original homes helps set the standard for compassionate guest care.

*Our Goal is to Raise*  
**\$1.5 Million**

to bring our aging properties originally purchased in 1972 to the level of care of our newer expansion at 766 Ellicott.

*Your gift today* **WILL...**

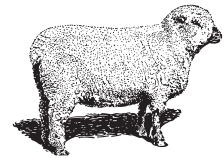
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- Refresh our exterior campus to its original glory including painting the original homes

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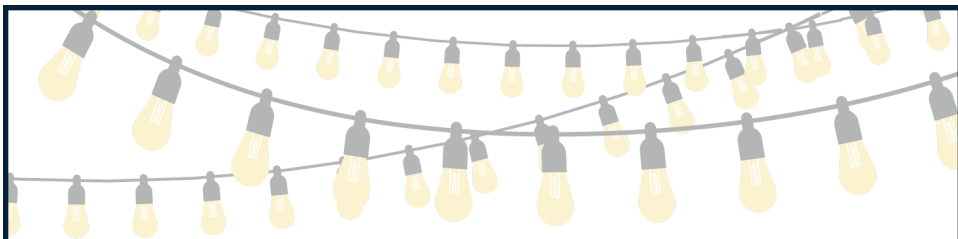
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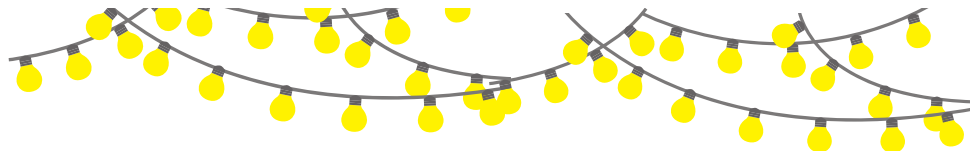


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## *The story of Shawn Bradley*

Shawn stayed with us from April - August 2021 after he received a bone marrow transplant from his brother. He's required to stay close to Roswell for 100 days post transplant. Shawn celebrated his 50th birthday with us during the early days of his arrival, always grateful for our staff, he provided the cupcakes for us!

While Shawn was here he and his caregiver, Richard, tried different restaurants around Buffalo. Shawn's favorite is Mulberry's. He also loves cars and usually spent his day building car models or painting by numbers. He completed two model cars and one painting while he was here. He tried to go to different car shows during the week to get out of the apartment.

Being away from home for so long was one of the most challenging aspects of treatment. "It's nice to have the apartment to make it feel like home and have our own space, but I miss my grandkids." He was lucky enough to return home to see his grandkids in August and now we look forward to seeing him for his follow up appointments.