

KEVIN GUEST HOUSE

CELEBRITY GOLF CLASSIC AND NINE & WINE

27TH ANNUAL
MONDAY, AUGUST 7TH



REMINDERS FOR GOLF

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VISIT: [KGHGOLF23.GIVSMART.COM](https://kgghgolf23.givesmart.com) TO BID IN OUR ONLINE
AUCTION. AUCTION CLOSES SUNDAY, AUGUST 13 AT 8 P.M.



TODAY'S EVENTS

NINE & WINE

7:30 a.m. | Registration & Refreshments

8:00 a.m. | Putting Contest & Ball Toss

8:30 a.m. | Shotgun Start

11:30 a.m. | Lunch

GOLF CLASSIC

11:00 a.m. | Putting Green Opens

11:30 a.m. | Registration & Refreshments
sit and enjoy lunch or take it to go on the course

12:00 p.m. | Ball Toss

12:30 p.m. | Shotgun Start

5:30 p.m. | Happy Hour: cash bar with
complimentary hors d'oeuvres

Outside Clubhouse near Hole #1:

*Tastings by Belt Line Brewery &
Reserva Wines LLC dba/Sandalo Organic Estates*

At the turn:

Tasting by Southern Tier Brewing Co.

Hole #2 : Hole-in-one contest

sponsored by Toshiba & Pot o Gold

Hole #18: Hole-in-one contest sponsored by

Towne Automotive Group & Beat the Pro

Closest to the pin: #2 men; #6 women

Longest drive: #5 men, #3 women

THANK YOU HOST, KEVYN ADAMS & LOCAL CELEBRITIES:

*Kevyn Adams, Brian Duff, Dan Dunleavy, Tim Kennedy,
Zenon Konopka, Terry Martin, Craig Muni,
Darryl Shannon and Derek Smith*



Kevyn has hosted our annual Celebrity Golf Classic for more than 20 years. The Sabres have supported the tournament as a sponsor, with current and former players participating as celebrity golfers. In 2019, Kevyn, along with his parents Ken and Diane, were honored with our Heart Award for outstanding dedication to volunteer service for KGH. We can't thank them enough for their many years of support and we're looking forward to seeing the Adams family this year as hosts, golfers and volunteers!



NEW THIS YEAR: CONTEST FOR BEST OUTFIT FOR YOUR FAVORITE SPORTS TEAM!



Find your Bills, Sabres, Bandits, Bisons, college team or out of town NBA & MLB paraphernalia to wear on golf day & you'll be entered to win a surprise prize. Bonus points for 'sporting' our beloved Buffalo hometown teams.



TOURNAMENT & CONTEST RULES

SCRAMBLE: In a scramble, each player tees off on each hole. Men from blue and women from red. The best of the tee shots is selected and all players play their second shots from that spot. The best of the second shots is determined, then all play their third shots from that spot, and so on until the ball is holed. Please turn in your tournament card to the Golf Pro Shop located up the hill from the 18th hole.

***Tour Card Benefits & Contests:** only one tour card per player can be purchased. Each tour card includes the following and once used cannot come into play again. Tour card advantages cannot be used on contest/prize entry.

- **1 Mulligan:** A mulligan is a stroke that is replayed from the spot of the previous stroke without penalty, due to an errant shot made on the previous stroke. The result, as the hole is played and scored, is as if the first errant shot had never been made.
- **1 String (16" long):** "String" - players are issued a length of string prior to the round's start. The string can be used **one** time at the green, and not divided. If the players shot is within the length of the string to the hole, it is considered in.
- **1 Red Tee Shot (Men)** The player is allowed to hit from the red tees one time during the round. Women offered extra mulligan drive in place of red tee shot.
- **Queen of Hearts Game:** players will be asked to draw a card on the course & if you select the queen of hearts, you'll be entered to win a pot of cash prizes amongst all winners.
- **Complimentary Contests with Tour Card purchase:** on your honor system, includes longest drive (Hole #3 women; #5 men) & closet to the pin (Hole #6 women, #2 men). There are two Golf Classic hole-in-one contests (#2, & #18) where a volunteer will be located to witness your shot.
- Complimentary beverages on the course courtesy of FIFCO USA/Labatt and PepsiCo
- Additional Contests Open to All on Course: (cash, check & online credit card options available)
- **Beat the Pro:** donate \$10 and take a chance to hit a better shot vs. the Pro. Winners receive a split of the total cash amongst all contest winners. The other split benefits Kevin Guest House.
- **Pot O' Gold:** donate \$10 and take a chance to hit your shot within the pot of gold ring surrounding the green. Winners receive a split of the total cash amongst all contest winners. The other split benefits Kevin Guest House.

Completion of tournament

HAND SCORE CARD INTO PRO-SHOP

NINE & WINE WINNERS ANNOUNCED AT LUNCH

18 HOLE CLASSIC WINNERS ANNOUNCED AT 6:30 PM



BALL TOSS: 1 for \$10 or 3 for \$25

Line up at the putting green and toss your numbered ball towards the hole. First 3 in the hole win a prize!

BASKET RAFFLE:

1 sheet for \$20 or 3 for \$50

Tickets must be dropped prior to the 18-hole start. Located on outdoor patio.



MONEY TREE: 1 for \$20 or 3 for \$50

One winner walks away with all of the lottery tickets and certificates (\$500 value).

WINE WALL: \$20/bottle

Guaranteed to win a bottle valued at \$20 or more!



TOUR CARD

**TOUR CARD ADVANTAGES
CANNOT BE USED ON CONTESTS**

1 for \$20 or 4 for \$60: Nine & Wine: Includes Putting Contest, 1 Mulligan, 1 String, 1 Red Tee Shot*, Course Beverages, Longest Drive contest, Closest to Pin contest & Queen of Hearts contest.

1 for \$30 or 4 for \$100: Golf Classic: Includes 1 Mulligan, 1 String, 1 Red Tee Shot*, Course Beverages, Longest Drive contest, Closest to Pin contest, Queen of Hearts contest & Hole-in-one contest.

***OR EXTRA MULLIGAN FOR WOMEN**



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THE *Kevin Guest House* STORY

We are fortunate to have state of the art health care right in our backyard. Imagine if you had to travel many miles and stay away from home for days, weeks or even months to receive critical care for either yourself or a loved one. Where would you stay? How would you afford it?

That is the reality for the families staying at Kevin Guest House.

It was January 1972 when 13-year-old Kevin Garvey passed away. He had spent the last 18 months fighting leukemia, spending much of that time at Roswell Park Comprehensive Cancer Care. While at the hospital, Kevin's parents, Claudia and Cyril, witnessed the hardships of other families, who slept in their cars and waiting rooms because they were unable to afford lodging.

The Garveys wanted to help those families, so they purchased the property at 782 Ellicott Street and opened their doors in July 1972, welcoming patients & families to Kevin Guest House. More than 65,000 guests, coming from Western New York, 49 states, Canada and 11 other countries, have stayed with us since then.

Located on the Buffalo Niagara Medical Campus, Kevin Guest House was the first independent healthcare hospitality house in the United States. We provide a comfortable home away from home for patients and their families who are seeking critical medical treatment at Buffalo-area hospitals and medical centers.

In August 2018, our campus grew to four properties as we opened the Russell J. Salvatore Hospitality House on the Kevin Guest House Campus, making us fully accessible for the first time and allowing us to serve more families. Our two main houses combine to offer 10 guest rooms, four family suites, common living and dining areas along with amenities from free laundry service and breakfast to our beautiful garden. The Russell J. Salvatore Hospitality House also includes two apartments, giving our campus a total of eight units which allow bone marrow and other transplant patients an environmentally safe place to recover within the required distance to their medical facility. In 2022, the KGH50 Campaign began to bring the oldest three buildings on the Kevin Guest House campus to the same standard as this newest building, in order to maximize capacity and serve our guests in the best environment for healing.

For more info visit kevinguesthouse.org



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Thank you for making the commitment to play today
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Imagine being away from home for life saving
medical care.

Who would be by your side?

What if you had to stop working, how would you
manage a home while away and think about
affording a hotel for weeks or months?

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-Jack & Sue Alonge, Dunkirk NY

On behalf of the Board of Directors at Kevin Guest House and the guests we serve, thank you to all who joined us on the course and to all who volunteered their time and talents for this event. We would especially like to thank our sponsors and in-kind donors for their generosity. It is because of your support that this tournament has been such a great success for the past 27 years! Until next year, keep calm and sink the putt.

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Giving Hearts are engaging young, entrepreneurial and philanthropic individuals who are on the rise in the Buffalo-Niagara community.

Together we will ensure that every patient and family member traveling to Buffalo for medical care will be welcomed through our doors, regardless of their ability to pay for their stay.

Join a dynamic group of individuals who have committed for one year to:

- **LEARN** about non-profits, the medical campus and how to fundraise for a cause.
- **SUPPORT** the patients and families who call KGH their “home away from home” with hands-on volunteering and fundraising.
- **NETWORK** with other young professionals who are looking to contribute to a cause, as well as KGH board members and other community supporters.
- **SHARE** your knowledge with friends, family and co-workers as we look to increase awareness of KGH and grow our network.

Do you, or someone you know, want to support KGH and gain non-profit experience?

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The KGH50 Campaign

During the pandemic, shared common spaces & bathrooms in the aging original properties revealed greater risks to immunocompromised guests, with old HVAC systems and decades old materials being difficult to thoroughly clean. This campaign will allow the KGH to add private bathrooms in the main house, make durable upgrades in structure & safety and meet healthcare standards now re-requested to serve the most compromised patients & caregivers. The goal is to upgrade the original 3 buildings to the standard of the 2018 expansion for long-term health, safety & comfort of guests.



1 TRANSPLANT APARTMENTS



UPGRADE BATHROOMS, KITCHENS & COMMON SPACES IN EXISTING FOUR ISOLATED TRANSPLANT RECOVERY APARTMENTS

2 PRIVATE BATHROOMS

ADD PRIVATE BATHROOMS & SUITES TO OUR MAIN HOUSE FOR THE FIRST TIME IN OUR HISTORY



Similar materials to Salvatore House

3 IMPROVE AIR QUALITY AND FILTRATION



IMPROVE AIR QUALITY AND FILTRATION BY REPLACING AND ENHANCING DECADES OLD HVAC SYSTEMS TO INTRODUCE REVOLUTIONARY TECHNOLOGY THAT TRAPS MICROORGANISMS, SUCH AS BACTERIA, MOLD & VIRUSES.



New systems clean air quickly

4 UPGRADE MATERIALS



INSTALL DURABLE, EASY TO DISINFECT, COMMERCIAL GRADE MATERIALS AND FURNITURE IN ALL THREE ORIGINAL PROPERTIES.

5 ENHANCE SECURITY



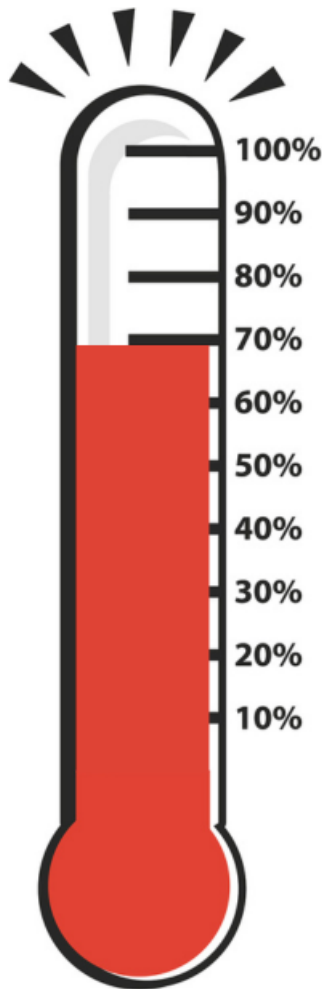
ENHANCE OUR SECURITY SYSTEMS & TECHNOLOGIES THAT EASE ABILITY TO VACATE OUR BUILDING FOR EMERGENCY NEEDS

6 EXTERIOR CAMPUS



REFRESH OUR EXTERIOR CAMPUS TO ITS ORIGINAL GLORY INCLUDING PAINTING THE ORIGINAL HOMES.

This campaign is critical now so that we are able to return our occupancy to pre-pandemic levels & serve the most amount of guests by providing the dignity of private spaces critical to help them recover & stay safe.



We need your support to best serve our most vulnerable guests, and every gift helps! Scan to contribute to the KGH50 Campaign.

Campaign Progress

Join us for a tour to learn more about our plans and see what's new at Kevin Guest House!



Thanks to our Building & Grounds committee, including members from Carmina Wood Design & Pike Construction for leading the effort to kick-off construction in targeted areas of our original three aging properties so we can stay open to serve as many guests as possible while closing key areas to move forward.

We invite you to join these donors for committing to our vision of setting the standard of compassionate guest care!

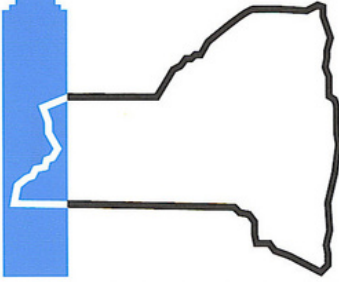
With \$560,000 to goal, your support is critical so that we can safely serve more immunocompromised guests. As the need for these spaces continues to grow, we need your help to allow the most critically ill guests to safely heal near the hospital.

Visit: KevinGuestHouse.org/KGH50
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8.17.2023

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2 drinks, apps & music

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5:30-9:00 PM

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Pathway to Remembrance and Healing



George Leedom, from Saranac Lake, NY is a previous KGH guest, having stayed with us for several weeks in 2019 while his late wife Eloise received a bone marrow transplant. In addition to honoring her memory with a paver in our Healing Garden, he has made donations for KGH logo pavers on the entrance and exit paths in the garden and contributed to our operating funds.

Among the reasons he chooses to support Kevin Guest House is knowing how impactful his contributions are to a small organization. We are grateful to George for being our first donor to set up a Charitable Gift Annuity to benefit Kevin Guest House, and he hopes to inspire others to do the same.

“For those donors who are going to leave money to charity when they die, a CGA is a great way to give the money now, get a steady income now, get a tax break now, and not lose tax any tax break from your estate (which you will if you pass with the money still in your name). It is true that the organization does not get to use the money now, but has it on their books as a future donation.”

“**Why KGH???** It was a super place for somebody or family to stay when a member has cancer. Under treatment or confined to the hospital, it sure took the burden of finding what to do with myself for an extended stay.”



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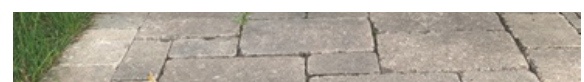
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Paver Size Cost

4x7 inches	\$250
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8x13 inches	\$1,000



George began his giving by dedicating the entrance of our walkway with a paver of our KGH logo and continues to support our paver program to honor his wife.



If you'd like to purchase a paver, call us at 716-882-1818 or visit kevinguesthouse.org/give/garden.

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18-20, 23,
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How to bid

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- ♥ Click on the **Blue link in the Welcome text to be directed to the Items page.**
- ♥ **View Items by category or search by Item number or name.**
- ♥ **Click the item of interest to view the description as well as the current bid and or price.**
- ♥ **The system will auto-populate the bid amount based on the set increment for the item.**
Choose to bid at the set amount or higher.
- ♥ **Click Bid.**

HOW TO PLACE AN AUTO BID

Allow the system to automatically bid up to a designated amount for you. The system will bid incrementally up to the amount designated as long as someone else places a bid against you. If no one bids against your auto bid, the price remains the same.

- ♥ **Click the item of interest**
- ♥ **Click the Auto Bid tab**
- ♥ **Enter in the maximum amount you would like to bid**
- ♥ **Click Bid**

Note: When two bids are placed for the same amount, the bid placed first based on the timestamp wins. Timestamps are set when the initial bid is placed, for auto bids this is when a maximum was set not when the system prompted the bid to win.
This is a preventative measure for auction sniping.

HOW TO TEXT TO BID

As a user, you have the ability to send texts to place bids on silent auction items.

- ♥ **Text the keyword to 76278 to register**
- ♥ **Text the ITEM NUMBER and AMOUNT**
Example: To place a \$1000 bid on Item 101, text "101 1000"
- ♥ **Receive a leading bidder confirmation text message**

You can also purchase tickets for the raffle, wine wall & money tree.

Winning items can be picked up at
782 Ellicott Street, Buffalo, NY 14203

Items won that need to be shipped
outside of WNY will be charged the shipping costs.

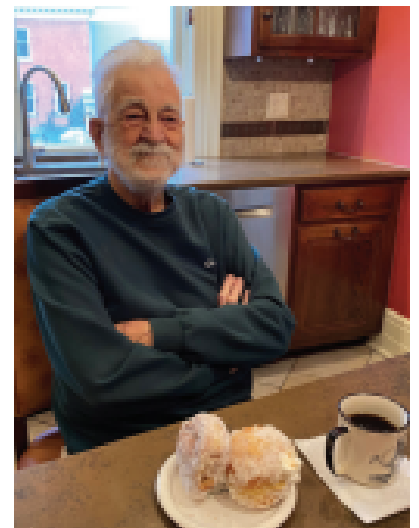
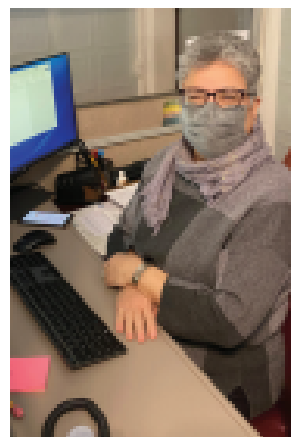
Contact **Rebecca Nason** at **RNason@kevinguesthouse.org** or
call **716-882-1818** to coordinate receiving your winning item.



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