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Smithfield High School Sentinel Legacy Gala

Every year hundreds of thousands of people are affected by heart disease, not only does it affect people personally, but their loved ones as well. Smithfield High School is honoring Doreen Nicholson, who passed away suddenly in August of 2018 from a heart complication.



Doreen was a loving mother of four, as well as a pillar in the Smithfield, RI community. Many who knew Doreen knew that she was an incredible person who had a significant presence in the community. She was involved in everything that she could. From PTA, to coaching, to volunteering, and so on. Being the selfless person she was, she organized many events throughout Smithfield and devoted most of her time to everyone else. Doreen was an incredible mother and friend, she accepted everyone into our home and was like a second mother to many. Doreen gave her family and community more than they could have ever asked for.

On **Saturday May 14th from 4:00-6:00 p.m.** Smithfield High School will be putting on the second ever Sentinel Legacy Gala. This event will be put on by Megan Nicholson, Doreen's daughter, and her fellow National Honor Society members.

The Sentinel Legacy Gala will be held in memory of Megan's mom and all of those who have faced the challenges of heart disease. Join the Smithfield High School's National Honor Society as they transform the halls of the school with food, entertainment, heart healthy demonstrations, hands only CPR, drawings, and lots of fun!

Smithfield High School is working in partnership with the Southern New England American Heart Association and vendors throughout Rhode Island to bring awareness to this important cause. The Sentinel Legacy Gala is free to the public, but we ask and encourage the community to support the Southern New England American Heart Association, by donating any monetary amount you deem appropriate or honorable.

Donations can be made at the event or online at: <https://app.mobilecause.com/vf/SHSAHA> or **Text SHSAHA to 71777** (Msg & data rates may apply)

If you are a vendor and would like to be a part of this exciting event, please contact Megan Nicholson at: mnicholson22@spsstudents.org or Vincent Zibelli at: vzibelli@smithfield-ps.org.

With a heartfelt thank you,

The National Honor Society of Smithfield High School