



Mary Meredith spreading Alaina's love as she toured the LST ship in Evansville



Kelly and Chelsey Gilles supporting Alaina on their honeymoon in St. Lucia

Alaina's Love

Alaina's family is truly touched knowing how far Alaina's love has traveled. Her beautiful life touched so many and continues to do so. We were so honored to see Alaina's shirts being worn around the world!



Happy

Lives on in the spirit of the Alaina Day Memorial Foundation

Please like and follow the "Alaina Day Memorial Foundation" Facebook page or visit alainadaymemorialfoundation.org for more information on our foundation, updates on our giving, and information on our upcoming events



ADMF... Helping to raise awareness about childhood cancer

New!! Endowment Opportunity

ADMF now has an endowment fund in place. If you or anyone you know would like to directly donate towards this fund, please address a check to Alaina Day Memorial Foundation and put "Endowment fund" on the information line. Thank you from ADMF!

Reminder:

- Registration forms due - August 31st
- Download the Key Auctioneers mobile app for Apple or Android mobile devices to view BOTH silent and live auctions www.keyauctioneers.com



THANK YOU for your continued love and support for ADMF! We can't wait to see you on the 14th!

Because I'm Happy Memorial Walk/5k and Auctions September 14th, 2019

Clark Pleasant Admin. Building
50 Center Street - Look for the big purple and yellow balloon arch!

ADMF "Because I'm Happy" Memorial Walk/5K and Auctions

ADMF is hosting our 5th annual "Because I'm Happy" Memorial Walk/5K on **September 14th!** The walk/5K is a family friendly event in conjunction with the Greater Whiteland Community Day.

New This Year! 1 mile Memorial Walk as Alaina's favorite song "Happy" is played! Alaina walked the halls of Riley everyday listening to "Happy" and we couldn't think of a better way to honor Alaina.....so please join us as we walk for Alaina and remember to always be Alaina "Happy".

The Memorial Walk will start at the balloon arch and end at the stage where the LIVE auction will take place! Please enjoy snacks and drinks after the walk and see what is available to bid on. Live Auction starts at 12:15! The 5K course and 1 mile Memorial Walk courses are stroller and family friendly.

ADMF will be hosting a **LIVE Auction** starting at **12:15 pm** on the stage.

Some items available to bid on at the live auction:

- Colts tickets
- Pacers tickets
- Indians tickets
- IU basketball tickets
- Autographed Jeff Gordon item
- Indianapolis Zoo family membership
- Indianapolis Children's Museum family membership
- Various family themed entertainment items
- +MUCH more



SCHEDULE

- 5K @ 8:30 am
- Parade through Whiteland @ 10:00 am
- 1 mile Memorial Walk @ 11:30 am
- Live Auction @ 12:15 pm
- Registration/Pick-up shirts starting at 8 am
- Snacks and drinks provided after 1 mile Memorial Walk before the start of the Live Auction!

Alaina Day Memorial Foundation

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New This Year! ADMF has partnered with Key Auctioneers this year for our live AND silent auctions! We are so excited to work with them and thank them so much for their support for ADMF. ALL items for both auctions will be listed on their website: www.keyauctioneers.com

On the website you can view our auctions, bid online, and learn how to download the Key Auctioneers mobile app for Apple and Android mobile devices. You will use the app to get your bids in and will have live updates as the auction progresses. There will be many themed baskets available to bid on! Please download the app and get those bids in!



There will also be many other fun things for kids and families throughout the day - bounce houses, Little Tots contest, food, vendors, and many more family friendly activities, along with our 5K, Memorial walk and auctions! You don't want to miss it!



- Please park at Whiteland Elementary (Whiteland Road and Center Street) with overflow traffic at Whiteland High School.
- Registration/T-shirt pick up: Saturday starting at 8 am at ADMF booths located in front of Clark Pleasant Administration building. **Look for the big purple and yellow balloon arch!**
- Registration is \$20 for adults; \$15 for kids 12 yrs old and under; \$10 for Clark Pleasant students
- Please indicate name and number of participants and shirt sizes on the enclosed registration form



ADMF will be giving a \$500 grant to the Clark Pleasant elementary school with the most student participants this year!!! The winning school will be presented a traveling trophy!

ADMF

Alaina Day was a precious little girl who was diagnosed with Neuroblastoma, a pediatric cancer, at just 10 months of age. She endured months worth of difficult chemotherapy, surgeries, and long stays at Riley Hospital, and yet she still danced and smiled her way through that time, touching the lives of many people. Her smile and beautiful personality would light up the room and inspire everyone she came in contact with. In spite of the best efforts, Alaina lost her life in December 2014 at just 17 months of age.

The Alaina Day Memorial Foundation (ADMF) was established to honor the precious life of Alaina and as a way to give back to those that helped her through her battle. While Alaina and her family battled cancer, many in and around the Whiteland community stepped up in a big way to help. ADMF wants to give back in her honor and with her love by providing scholarships to Whiteland Community High School students interested in pursuing a degree in medicine or nursing. While Alaina battled cancer she developed many special bonds with the medical staff in charge of her care, and ADMF hopes these students can develop a bond just as strong with their patients. So far, ADMF has been able to give **\$22,000** in scholarships!

ADMF also gives back to Riley Hospital and helps other children and families locally battling cancer. With events such as the "Because I'm Happy" 5K, Dine and Donate events and other fundraisers, ADMF can give back as we know Alaina would want us to.

ADMF and Scholarships

With generous donations and funds from the "Because I'm Happy" 5K, ADMF was honored to present three Whiteland Community High School students, interested in medicine or nursing, with scholarships totaling \$6,000 this past May! ADMF wishes these students luck as they start their college careers and we look forward to following them throughout their future.

Recipients of the ADMF scholarships:

- Taylor Mirowski** - plans to attend Anderson University and become a RN
- Audrey Coop** - plans to attend the IU and become a Pediatric Oncologist
- Jas Dhaliwal** - plans to attend University of Indianapolis and become a RN



ADMF and "Dine and Donates"

ADMF hosted two "Dine and Donate" events in April and May. Jagers and City BBQ graciously opened their doors to us and both events were a HUGE success. They were both great days of honoring the life of Alaina, collecting donations, and eating great food. There was a large outpouring of people coming to show their love and support to the foundation and to Alaina's family. Between donations and 20-25% of sales given by Jagers and City BBQ, ADMF received over \$2,000!! Thank you again for all who came to the events. Be sure to check out the Alaina Day Memorial Foundation Facebook page or alainadaymemorialfoundation.org for the next "Dine and Donate" location hosted by ADMF.



ADMF and Amazon Smile

Help ADMF as you shop! ADMF is registered on Amazon Smile. Simply begin your online shopping at smile.amazon.com. Select "Alaina Day Memorial Foundation". Once you make the selection, Amazon will donate 0.5% of the sale to ADMF. Since ADMF has been registered, Amazon has given over \$800 to our foundation.....so please don't forget to select ADMF whenever you shop!



ADMF and Sponsors

ADMF wants to say a huge THANK YOU to our current sponsors and supporters....and if you know of any business or company that is willing to provide items for the auction, sponsor our 5K, or donate to a wonderful foundation, please contact us. We are always looking for new sponsors and those willing to help us!

