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## For Immediate Release:



Garden City Community Gets Ready for "Race For A Cure" on April 22<sup>nd</sup> By Patricia Roberts, teacher

The Garden City community is busy preparing for the much anticipated Garden City Teachers Association's "GC For A Cure" to be held on Saturday, April 22<sup>nd</sup> (rain or shine) at Garden City High School. Each Friday, faculty and staff, like those pictured here at the high school, advertise and promote the race by wearing the event's colorful t-shirts. Everyone is busy preparing for this big, annual, family event. Some teachers and students from Stratford and Stewart are walking and running each week as part of the New York Road Runner's Mighty Milers Program. Students in all grades are getting ready to either run or walk the 5K (3.1 miles) or 1 mile. Everyone is looking forward to the face painting, raffles and bake sales. In addition, parents and community members support this event by contributing to the water bottle, granola bar drives and "Pizza for a Purpose" Fridays. Teachers and students are busy baking homemade goodies for numerous school bake sales.

And let's not forget the creative raffle baskets that are being assembled and decorated throughout the Garden City community.

So, we're getting ready. Mark your calendars and visit <a href="www.gcforacure.com">www.gcforacure.com</a> to pre-register and participate at this special event. Come to the High School on Friday, April 21st from 5:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m. to either register or pick up your packets; enjoy a delicious La Bottega dinner, and purchase some raffle tickets.

T-shirts are guaranteed to all participants who pre-register online.

## **Entry Fees**

## 5K

- Adult \$25 (\$30 April 21st/22nd)
- Child \$20 (14 and Under) (\$25 April 21<sup>st</sup>/22<sup>nd</sup>)

## 1 Mile Fun Run/Walk (Untimed)

- Adult \$20 (\$25 April 21st/22nd)
- Child \$15 (\$20 April 21<sup>st</sup>/22<sup>nd</sup>)

Donate a total of \$50.00 or more to Memorial Sloan Kettering Cancer Center, Leukemia & Lymphoma Society, Michele White Scholarship Fund, or a combination, and your name will automatically be entered into the drawing for the Grand Prize — "GC For A Cure Gift Basket."

Please join us in the fight against cancer! Looking forward to seeing you there!