

**SPONSORSHIP OPPORTUNITIES TO BENEFIT
CHECKING FOR CANCER
LACROSSE INVITATIONAL 2018**



Dear Friends of Checking for Cancer,

Thank you for your support of **Checking for Cancer**. The **10th Annual Checking for Cancer (CFC) Lacrosse Invitational to benefit the nonprofit charitable organization Checking for Cancer, founded by Coach John Nostrant, will be held on Saturday, April 7, 2018**. A kick-off highlight game will be played Friday, April 6th at Episcopal Academy. We invite you to sponsor, and thank you in advance for your sponsorship of the 2018 Lacrosse Invitational.

Checking for Cancer is a 501©3 tax exempt organization dedicated to raising awareness of and education about Prostate, Colorectal and Testicular cancers through the Spirit of sport. Since its inception in 2008, CFC has raised over \$400,000 through events such as the CFC Lacrosse Invitational. Funds raised are used to support research at the Kimmel Cancer Center for Research; to defray medical costs of families impacted by cancer; and to raise awareness of the need for early detection and treatment of these life-threatening cancers.

Unfortunately, each of us knows someone who has been impacted by **Prostate, Colorectal and Testicular cancers**. For men, ages 15-44, testicular cancer is the most commonly diagnosed cancer. Over 8,850 men in the U.S. will be diagnosed with testicular cancer this year. All men are at risk for prostate cancer. About one in six will be diagnosed with prostate cancer during their lifetime. In 2014, 172,258 men in the U.S. were diagnosed and sadly 28,343 men died from prostate cancer. In 2014, 139,992 people in the U.S. were diagnosed with colorectal cancer, 73,396 of those diagnosed were men. **Early detection and treatment are imperative!**

The CFC Tournament brings together over 10 premier ranked Boys and Girl's Lacrosse programs. These Lacrosse teams compete in the spirit of the game, while promoting the importance of cancer awareness, and raising funds to support lifesaving research, and the basic needs of those impacted by these cancers. The CFC Lacrosse Invitational attracts 500+ spectators.

Thank you for your support of Checking for Cancer. Please consider sponsoring the tournament and/or purchasing a promotional spot in the program book which will be distributed to every sponsor and attendee. Your support is sincerely appreciated and is tax deductible. The sponsorship packet is included in this packet. Please also visit ***checkingforcancer.org*** to learn more about the Lacrosse Invitational and sponsorship opportunities. Your support today will make a difference in the lives of so many impacted by prostate, testicular or colorectal cancers.

Thank you again for your support! We hope to see you on April 6th and 7th.

Sincerely yours,

Checking for Cancer – Lacrosse Invitational Committee