

## The 18<sup>th</sup> Annual Walk of Hope for ALS

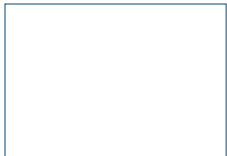
begins and ends on Wakefield's lower Common, on the shores of beautiful Lake Quannapowitt. The 3.5-mile level route runs parallel to the lake, providing a picturesque walk for walkers of all ages and abilities.

Take part in the walk, raise money through pledges and donations, and participate in activities on the Common! Refreshments will be available for all walkers at the conclusion of the walk.

This family-friendly event raises funds that directly benefit ALS (Lou Gehrig's Disease) research at the Cecil B. Day Neuromuscular Lab at the UMass Medical Center in Worcester.

We encourage you to join in this celebration of hope by walking, and raising money, for those who are living with ALS, or in memory of those who are no longer with us.

For more information call 781-245-7070.



The Angel Fund  
649 Main Street  
Wakefield, MA 01880

## Pledge

*Gather pledges from family and friends.*

## Walk

*The Walk is 3.5 miles around Lake Quannapowitt.*

## Enjoy

*Plenty of refreshments, music and children's activities will be available.*



# 18<sup>th</sup> Annual Walk of Hope for ALS

**Saturday, September 7<sup>th</sup>, 2019**

*...a 3.5-mile walk around Lake Quannapowitt  
in Wakefield, Massachusetts.*

*Join us as we walk for those who no longer can...*

# This year, we're asking all our walkers to raise money for research to find a cure for ALS.

You can fundraise online! It's easy!

- To help you with your fundraising efforts, The Angel Fund has joined FirstGiving.com, a free online fundraising tool for our walkers. To get started, log-on to [www.firstgiving.com/angelfund](http://www.firstgiving.com/angelfund) and click on Get Started, where you can create your own free online fundraising page, include a personal message, a photo, and a personalized web address for your page.
- Once your page is created, email the link to your family, friends, co-workers and other supporters and ask them to make a safe and secure donation online. An automatic 'thank you' email will be sent to your donors with a message you can customize. You can view your online donations on your page, and update your page with offline donations, too.  
Through FirstGiving.com you can easily double - and even triple - your donations.
- Encourage your supporters to donate online on The Angel Fund website, [www.theangelfund.org](http://www.theangelfund.org). Remember to put the name of the individual team member or team to ensure that you're credited with the donation.

Team names will be listed on the website as they join.

## Organize a Team!

- Recruit family members, friends, and colleagues to join your team.
- Choose a team name and a captain.
- Download the sample donation letter on the website [www.theangelfund.org](http://www.theangelfund.org) and send it out to your supporters.
- Have team members collect donations.
- Any team that raises over \$1,000 will be eligible for prizes.
- Set a fundraising goal for your team.

You can mail checks to The Angel Fund, have your supporters donate online at [www.theangelfund.org](http://www.theangelfund.org) or email the link to your FirstGiving page to streamline your fundraising efforts.

Collect any other pledges before the walk and send it to:

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## Become a Corporate Sponsor

We rely on the generosity of corporate sponsors to help us meet our fundraising goals. Please consider a corporate sponsorship for the Walk of Hope for ALS to help us in the fight against ALS.

	\$500 Sponsor (Friend)	\$1,000 Sponsor (Hero)	\$2,500 Sponsor (Super Hero)
Corporate Tent on Walk Day	✓	✓	✓
Company Name on Events Signs/Posters	✓	✓	✓
Company Name on Press Releases		✓	✓
Link to Website from <a href="http://www.theangelfund.org">www.theangelfund.org</a>		✓	✓
Company Name on Walk of Hope T-shirts			✓

For information about corporate sponsorship, call 781-245-7070.

# Walk of Hope

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## Schedule

- 9:00 a.m. to 10:45 a.m. Registration, volunteer, and sponsor tents open on Wakefield Common.
- 10:45 a.m. Welcoming remarks  
Rich Kennedy President, The Angel Fund  
Dr. Robert H. Brown, Jr.  
Director, Cecil B. Day Neuromuscular Laboratory  
UMass Medical School
- 10:58 a.m. Traditional release of white doves
- 11:00 a.m. Walk of Hope begins
- 11:30 a.m. Refreshment tent opens - Family activities continue

## We Need Your Help!

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AN INDEPENDENT NON-PROFIT CHARITY  
Benefiting ALS research at the  
Cecil B. Day Laboratory  
for Neuromuscular Research

## Registration Information

### 18<sup>th</sup> Annual Walk of Hope for ALS

I am a  walker  team captain

Walker's Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Team Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone: \_\_\_\_\_

Street Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Email address: \_\_\_\_\_

Total enclosed: \_\_\_\_\_

You can also register online by going to [www.theangelfund.org/walk-of-hope-registration/](http://www.theangelfund.org/walk-of-hope-registration/)

\* The first 500 people who sign up by August 31<sup>st</sup> will receive a t-shirt.

T-shirt size:  Small  Medium  Large  X-Large

I am a  corporate sponsor

Contact Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Company: \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone: \_\_\_\_\_

Street Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Email address: \_\_\_\_\_

Amount:  \$2,500  \$1,000  \$500

I am unable to participate in the 18<sup>th</sup> Annual Walk of Hope for ALS, but would like to make a donation of \$ \_\_\_\_\_.

Form of payment:  Check  Mastercard  Visa  AMEX

Card#

Name on Card: \_\_\_\_\_ Expiration Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

I would like to designate my gift

In Memory of: \_\_\_\_\_

In Honor: \_\_\_\_\_

Disclaimer: In consideration of your accepting my registration to walk, I, for myself and anyone entitled to act on my behalf, waive and release The Angel Fund, Walk Directors, Town of Wakefield, Wakefield Police Department, emergency personnel and responders, all sponsors, their representatives and successors from all claims or liabilities of any kind arising out of my participation in this event though that liability may arise out of negligence or carelessness on the part of the persons named in this waiver.

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Mail registration to:

The Angel Fund, 649 Main Street, Wakefield, MA 01880