

THANK YOU FOR STEPPING UP

Hello Team Captain!

We are so thrilled to welcome you and your team to the 2022 LLS Firefighter Stairclimb as we make plans to return, once again, and climb together in Seattle.

All of us at LLS are thankful for your leadership and dedication, and for stepping up as team captain for your local department. This Team Captain Handbook will be your guide to setting your team up for success and preparing you to Climb. Conquer. Cure. on March 13th, 2022.

At any point during the season, please feel free to reach out to the LLS Firefighter Stairclimb team for fundraising tips, training information, or with any other questions you might have!

Thank you, LLS Firefighter Stairclimb Team <u>FirefighterStairclimb@lls.org</u>

QUICK LINKS WEBSITE: FIREFIGHTERSTAIRCLIMB.ORG



STAY CONNECTED:

General Info: Event Day Info: Fundraising 101: FAQs CLICK HERE CLICK HERE CLICK HERE CLICK HERE

FORMS & GUIDES:

Fundraising Materials Request Form

Participant Center Guide

Facebook Fundraising Guide

Fill the Boot Fundraising Guide

Fundraising Submission Form

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TEAM CAPTAIN HANDBOOK



GETTING STARTED

CUSTOMIZE YOUR TEAM'S PAGE

Add a personal story to your <u>Participant Center</u> about why your team has decided to climb and what the climb means to you. Add a photo of your team and set an ambitious goal!

PLAN A DEPARTMENT FUNDRAISER

The most successful teams are teams that fundraise together. Hold a brainstorming session and get a few events on the calendar throughout the season. Whether it be a fill-the-boot at your local grocery store, or a BBQ cookoff, <u>team fundraisers</u> are sure to bring in the most revenue and get the whole team motivated.

SCHEDULE A DEPARTMENT VISIT

<u>Contact us</u> and set up a meeting with LLS staff at your department, virtually, or a local coffee shop. We're happy to provide fundraising tips and answer any questions you may have before event day. Our Ambassadors also make great resources for all of your team needs.

GET ORGANIZED FOR EVENT DAY

Deadlines can be found under the website's **FAQ page**. Ensure all team members are in compliance with gear, helmet labeling, racing guidelines, and have each met the \$300/person fundraising minimum in order to pick up their race packet and compete.

FUNDRAISING IDEAS



1. GET THE BALL ROLLING Show your support and make a

donation to your climb. This will make others more likely to get involved.



2. MAKE IT SOCIAL

Connect your Participant Center to your Facebook page and make sure your team members do the same!



3. SHARE YOUR STORY Follow us on Instagram <u>@firefighterstairclimb.</u> Tag us in your training and fundraising pic and videos!



4. SHOW THE POWER OF YOUR GIFT Make sure your donors and team members know that 100% of all donations go right to LLS's mission!



5. STAY CONNECTED Throughout the year, we will share

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6. KEEP CLIMBING!

As your team hits fundraising goals, see how you can push these goals this through year-round fundraising!

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MEET YOUR AMBASSADORS

One of your most valuable resources as a Team Captain are our ambassadors- a group of dedicated firefighters who are there to support you along the way.



Boise Fire Dept. REGION: South ID



Templeton Fire Dept. REGION: CA



E. Helena Fire Dept. REGION: MT



Tualatin Valley Fire Dept. REGION: North OR



DAVE O'CONNOR Nampa Fire Dept. REGION: South ID



Templeton Fire Dept. REGION: CA



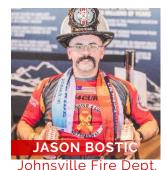
Whatcom Fire District 7 REGION: West WA



Sisters Fire Dept. REGION: South OR



Lewiston Fire Dept. REGION: ID / East WA



REGION: Central & Intl





SCOTT ROBINSON Coeur d'Alene Fire Dept. REGION: ID / East WA



Thibodaux Fire Dept. REGION: South & East



Boeing Fire Dept. REGION: West WA / AK

TO LEARN MORE... Check out the <u>ambassador page</u> on our website to learn more and

get connected with your climb ambassador.

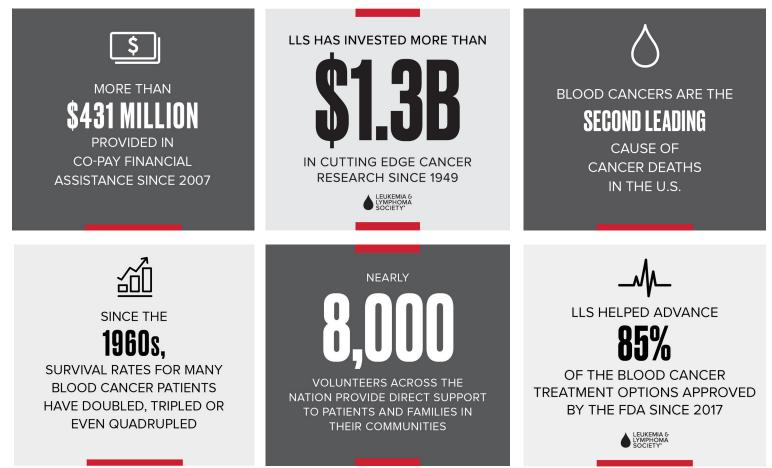
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WHY WE CLIMB

Each and every one of us has a reason or a catalyst for why we climb. With your support, LLS continues to make an impact for blood cancer patients and their families. Check out some of the stories from our <u>Survivor Battalion</u>.



MEET OUR STAFF





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