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“ It is with a heavy heart that I am writing on behalf of my dear Mother has passed away. She fought very hard to win her battle with ovarian cancer that was at stage 3 when diagnosed. She was a woman with little financial resources, but always gave everything she had to anyone in need. So, when the time came for her to be the one in need, I came across your organization and helped her apply. To her wonder and deepest gratitude, your organization approved her request. Your donation helped immensely in her greatest time of need. Thank you so much for helping to ease some of the burden that comes with this terrible disease. ”

Team OCCO, the above portion of a ‘thank you’ we received was made possible by the ongoing love and support from all of you. As a 100% volunteer foundation, founded by Connie Rutledge in 2010, together we have **given back over \$270,000** to fulfill our mission of helping those in need impacted by ovarian/gynecological cancers; support local research to find a preventive test and eventual cure and to bring better awareness of this terrible disease that often strikes without knowledgeable warning at stages with very low survival rates.

Your support has impacted 228 families. As your 100% volunteer Board of Directors these numbers validate the work we all do and drives the need to continue to arm all women with the education and strength to recognize and listen to changes within their bodies and be their own best advocate for medical attention. Please watch our website for an awareness brochure that will act as a guide for education and hope to improve survival rates of those impacted by ovarian cancer. We are also available for group presentations.

This holiday season please consider the Ovarian Cancer Community Outreach, Inc. Your donation will help us continue to make an impact in all of our communities. If you’d like to honor someone with your gift, we will send them or their family a card indicating your gift was made in their name. You can also make a credit card donation by visiting our website, occo-wis.org, and access the “donate now” link.

Thank you for past support and impact you have helped to power, and we look forward to continue to work with such great inspirational members of Team OCCO.

Our wish for you is a joyful holiday season and a prosperous and healthy new year!

Beth Seymour
OCCO President

Save the date for our 9th annual golf outing, July 27, 2018.

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