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2015 Year in Review

The year 2015 was one of celebration, recognition and transition for Cancer Navigators.

Here's a look back at some of the highlights:

MARCH 
National Social Worker Month

Social work, counseling, education and resource connection are all important to the Cancer Navigators mission. To honor the amazing social workers who help our patients and families, we celebrated National Social Worker Month, and our Facebook followers joined in.

"The group of caring ladies at Cancer Navigators are great. They were so loving and caring to my daughter, who lost her battle to ovarian cancer," wrote one family member.

"Many sincere thanks to each of these ladies!! We have really enjoyed having you work with us. It has been great getting to know you and working with you," wrote another.



JULY 
Bagley Motorcycle Ride

The annual Bagley Motorcycle Ride was held on July 13, in Adairsville.

The sixth annual 60-mile ride, created to honor Darlene Bagley, wife of organizer Buddy Bagley, raised \$9,000 for Cancer Navigators.

"When my wife first got cancer, Cancer Navigators was a great inspiration and a great help to me," Bagley said. The ride, which attracted 60 motorcyclists in 2015, continues in her memory.



MAY 
Cast-Off Against Cancer

The culmination of Cancer Navigators' annual fundraiser, Cast-Off Against Cancer, took to the rivers, involving the entire Rome-Floyd County community in raising funds and awareness about Cancer Navigators.

The event, which raised \$50,000, was held at Heritage Park and attracted 200 attendees.

Those gathered at the park formed a line and slowly walked along the river walk and across the Chief John Ross Memorial Bridge, where they tossed daisies into the Oostanaula River. The procession was led by patient Laura Hicks.

Finances at a glance

Cancer Navigators Inc. financial summary for Fiscal 2015 for year ended Dec. 31, 2015.

Revenue	
<i>Where the Money Comes From</i>	
Grants	\$150,000
Individual and Business Contributions	\$82,500
Fundraising and Special Events	\$113,000
Total Income	\$345,500

Expenses	
<i>Where the Money Goes</i>	
Program Services	\$241,523 (navigation, education and assistance)
Operations, Facility, Equipment	\$58,341
Administration and Other	\$46,905
Total Expenses	\$346,769

Net Profit & Loss - \$1,269

Figures cited are based on unaudited financial reports from Cancer Navigators Inc.

AUGUST

Downtown Loft Tours

The Office of Downtown Development and Heritage First Bank, hosted an *exclusive tour of six loft spaces in downtown Rome, raising \$3,000 for Cancer Navigators.*

The tour, which gave participants an upclose view of revitalization efforts along Rome's Broad Street and in the Between the Rivers district, included visits to private residences, rental units and future living spaces.



Cancer Navigators Affiliated with Floyd

Cancer Navigators and Floyd agreed to affiliate. Cancer Navigators maintains its mission and service lines, while strengthening day-to-day operations through management support from Floyd Medical Center.

"We are thrilled that Floyd has provided us with an opportunity that will ensure cancer patients and their families in our area will continue to enjoy the unique services available through our organization," said Virginia Harman, Chairman of the Board for Cancer Navigators.

"Not only will those services continue, but we'll actually be able to expand what we do to better to meet the needs of our clients as they make their journey through cancer treatment and survivorship."



OCTOBER

Cancer Navigators Relocates

Cancer Navigators relocated to the third floor of the Harbin Clinic Tony E. Warren, M.D. Cancer Center on the Floyd Medical Center campus. The new offices are conveniently located near Harbin Clinic's Radiation and Oncology Services and The Breast Center at Floyd.

Tennis Social Benefits Cancer Navigators

The Coosa Valley Tennis Association hosted a cancer tennis social October 23, at the Rome-Floyd Tennis Center. The event raised over \$500 from donations given by participants. The mixed doubles, round robin event for all skill levels included food and drinks and a captain's raffle.



Brennan Riddle and Camp Skyline Donation

Inspired by our Need of the Month Facebook post, Rome native Brennan Riddle and her co-workers at Mentone's Camp Skyline met the challenge, donating Ensure, Glucerna, Boost and other items.

Many patients benefited from their generosity and the donations of others.

Brennan is the daughter of Cancer Navigators founding board member Kandi Riddle and local businessman Chip Riddle. Both her parents succumbed to cancer.



Splash of Pink Fundraiser

Rome-based artist Siri Selle supported the work of Cancer Navigators through the sale of prints of her limited edition painting, *The Pink Guardian*. The painting, from her Guardians series, depicts a quiet, white-winged angel, adorned, appropriately, with splashes of pink.

Artist Siri Selle donated 40% of all sales of her painting to further the mission of Cancer Navigators.



Siri Selle

Cancer Navigators Supported Paper Doll Parade

Cancer Navigators staff and patients joined with The Breast Center at Floyd in recognizing Breast Cancer Awareness Month by participating in The Breast Center's Paper Doll Parade.

Cancer Navigators works closely with patients of The Breast Center, providing counseling, education and connections to resources throughout their cancer journey.



NOVEMBER

Georgia Power Foundation Donates \$2,500

Georgia Power Foundation, Inc., the charitable giving arm of Georgia Power, donated \$2,500 to Cancer Navigators, citing the selfless work of our staff and volunteers.

Scharla Battle, Community Outreach Manager, said the gift could help save someone's life. "One of the services we provide is transportation for patients who are receiving treatment, and this gift will help fund that service. It's not always easy for the patients we work with to get back and forth to their appointments. Georgia Power's generosity could be the difference between someone receiving treatment or giving up their fight."



Fall Retreat

Cancer Navigators' Renewal Retreat was held Nov. 6-8. The three-day residential retreat at Many Streams Ranch in Rome is designed for cancer patients of any type, stage or status. The free retreat includes experiences with massage, yoga, group support, time spent with nature and a plant-based diet. This time of pulling back, letting go and taking care of themselves can be renewing for patients, giving them the rare opportunity of putting themselves first and to learn about nutrition and ways to reduce stress and anxiety. The program welcomes participants into a healing community in a serene and nurturing environment where patients experience fellowship and a rich menu of healing tools.

By stopping the "busy-ness" of life, patients begin to see and understand the threads of healing than run throughout life and that are available every moment.

Wreath Auction

The annual Harbin Clinic Wreath Auction, held online and at the Harbin Clinic's Tony E. Warren M.D. Cancer Center, raises funds for Cancer Navigators each holiday season.

Wreaths are donated by creative individuals, local florists, garden clubs and local shops and are displayed at the Cancer Center.

The silent auction gives individuals an opportunity to bid for their favorite wreaths, which are available just in time for the season.



DECEMBER

Christmas Parade

Cancer Navigators staff and volunteers kicked off the Christmas holiday celebration by participating in the Rome Christmas parade.

The annual event is an excellent opportunity to make our community aware of Cancer Navigators and its services while serving as goodwill ambassadors.