

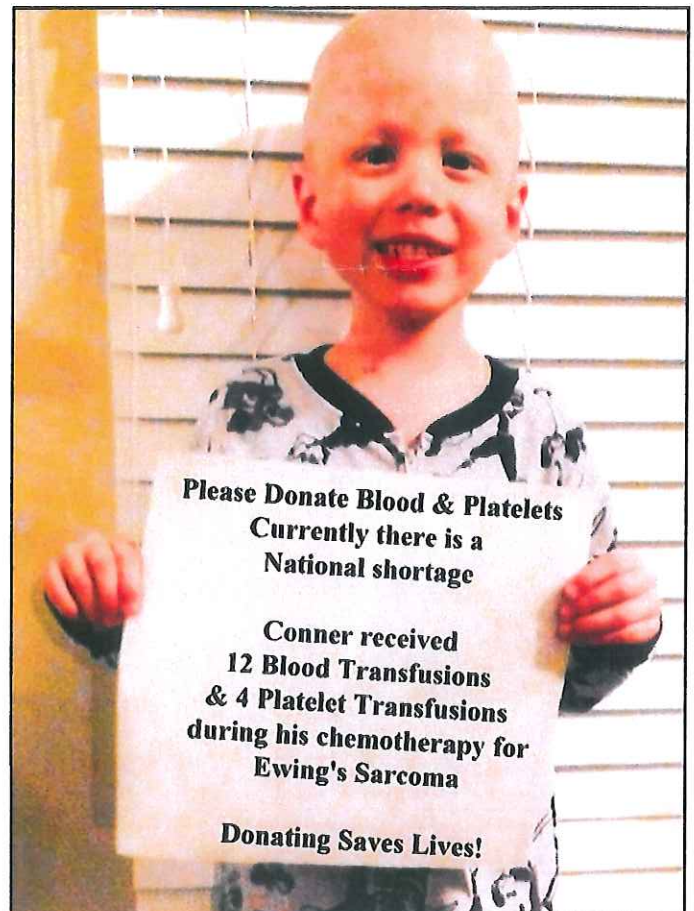
Blood Drive **on Behalf of Conner's Crusade**

WHEN: February 21, 2014 2 PM - 6 PM

**WHERE: Walmart Supercenter
735 Whitfield Drive, Columbus, IN**

If you are unable to attend, please still give blood at your local Red Cross or blood bank on behalf of Conner. After you do, email me at Kevincaresforkids@yahoo.com so that I will know how many people gave blood as part of my Eagle Scout project.

My Eagle Scout project is to Raise Awareness for Childhood Cancer on Behalf of Conner's Crusade. Conner is a family friend who received 12 blood transfusions during his 10 month treatment for Ewing's Sarcoma, a rare childhood bone cancer. Each time Conner received a blood transfusion he called it his "Energy." As part of my project, I have organized a blood drive in his name and am collecting care package items to bring to Payton Manning's Children's Hospital's Oncology Dept.



Kevin's Eagle Project

Raising Awareness for Childhood Cancer

★ on behalf of Conner's Crusade ★

Please help me spread the word about Childhood Cancer. Each year, 11,600 children are diagnosed with childhood cancer, and 4 die each day. Sadly, only 4% of cancer research funding goes to finding a cure for pediatric cancer. For my Eagle Scout Project, I am working with Payton Manning Children's Hospital and will donate care packages to their Oncology Dept. (on average they treat 60-75 new childhood cancer patients each year). My goal is to deliver enough care packages to the hospital for them to give one to each new patient. My hope is that they will know someone is thinking about them and maybe it will provide them with a little distraction. I am also organizing a blood drive in January on behalf of Conner's Crusade. Conner had 11 blood transfusions during his treatment and called them his "energy." Here's how you can help:

CARE PACKAGES

I will be collecting items for care packages through March 11, 2014.

I want each pkg. to contain 2 soft hats and several activity items for children of all ages. If you prefer to send cash, I will use the money to purchase items for the

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| ♦ Activity Books | ♦ DVDs | ♦ Superhero Masks |
| ♦ Blankets | ♦ Games | ♦ Pillows |
| ♦ Capes | ♦ Legos | ♦ Puzzles |

Contact me, Kevin Bernier, at Kevincaresforkids@yahoo.com to make delivery arrangements. You can also visit my Facebook page at Kevin Cares for Kids.

GIVE BLOOD

Although I will be organizing a blood drive as part of my project, I am asking everyone to donate blood during the months of January and February. After you donate, please email me at Kevincaresforkids@yahoo.com and let me know you donated. Thank you.

MEET CONNER

Conner is a 5-year-old family friend from CO, who inspired my whole Eagle project. He was diagnosed with Ewing's Sarcoma on 2/14/13 and although he received 17 rounds of chemotherapy during his treatment, he always kept a smile on his face.

