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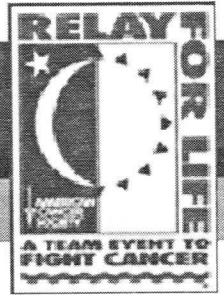
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Relay For Life

A Team Event to Fight Cancer



On Sunday February 23rd people from all over Story County teamed up to participate in the annual Relay For Life fundraiser, with the main goal of generating funds which could be used for research, advocacy, education, and patient services with respect to cancer. This event ran from 7 in the morning to roughly 2:30 in the afternoon, consisting of opening ceremonies, the relays themselves, and a wide variety of entertainment, which carried on throughout the day.



With a goal of raising more than \$80,000 the student run organization *Fighting Against Cancer Together* (F.A.C.T.) say that the majority of the money raised will stay in Story County. Part of the money will also go to local ISU professor Gloria Culver, an assistant professor of biochemistry, who will use the funding to further her studies on fighting cancer. With the combined efforts of the people of Story County and the American Cancer Society, fundraisers like this one are making great strides towards the common goal of finding a cure for cancer.