Be the one to save a life.



Please Help Conor!

Conor is a seventeen-year-old Bourne High School Senior who aspires to become a Doctor of Oncology. He is so full of life that his mere presence lights up a room! Conor was enjoying his senior year of high school, earning a 4.18 grade point average, and making plans for college when his life changed overnight. Literally.

The morning of October 16, 2010, Conor woke to find curious bruising on his shoulder and chest, prompting a visit to his doctor. After a series of tests, Conor and his family received the devastating news that he is suffering from a severe case of Aplastic Anemia. For reasons unknown, the stem cells within his bone marrow are not reproducing enough red, white, and platelet cells for Conor to maintain his health. To make matters worse, because the number of these cells has dropped so low, his body has identified them as invasive enemies. In short, Conor's immune system is attacking itself.

Conor has been receiving multiple blood transfusions, as well as an immune-suppression treatment that doctor's hope will keep his body from rejecting the few cells his body is able to produce. There is only one real "cure" for this form of Aplastic Anemia - a marrow transplant. As his only sibling is not a marrow match, Conor must find a donor through the "Be the Match Registry."

YOU could be Conor's match! Will you please help? Join and save a life!

Thousands of patients depend on the Be The Match RegistrySM to find a donor who can give them a second chance at life. You have the power to heal, the power to save a life. Take the first step. Join the registry.



JOIN THE MARROW REGISTRY

Date Thursday, December 16th

Time 3:00 p.m. - 8:00 p.m.

Location BOURNE HIGH SCHOOL CAFETERIA

75 Waterhouse Road, Bourne, MA 02532

REGISTER WITH PAPERWORK & A CHEEK SWAB!

Phone (866) 875-3324

To join, you only need to be between the ages of 18 and 60, be willing to donate to any patient in need, and meet the health guidelines.

Contact Dana-Farber Cancer Institute

Phone: (866) 875-3324

Email: nmdpdonor@partners.org

....for answers!

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