

FRIENDS FOR HOPE
8th

**ANNUAL BAY FISHING
TOURNAMENT**



June 2nd 2018

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The Vannie E. Cook Jr.
**CHILDREN'S CANCER AND
 HEMATOLOGY CLINIC**

As the region's first and only fully comprehensive pediatric oncology and hematology clinic, the goal of The Vannie Cook Clinic is to provide all patients with the care they need for a chance to survive; without the need to leave home and regardless of the family's financial capacity. The Vannie Cook Clinic is a joint effort of The Vannie E. Cook Jr. Cancer Foundation, Texas Children's Hospital and Baylor College of Medicine. In addition to diagnostic services and leading edge therapies for pediatric cancer, the Clinic provides other programs vital to positive outcomes for children and their families including a Psychosocial Support Program; a Long Term Survivor Program; In-House Laboratory Services; a Cancer Genetics Clinic; and Childhood Cancer Epidemiology and Prevention Research. In August of 2014, the Vannie Cook Clinic became an official site for Children's Oncology Group Clinical (COG) trials. They can now enroll all eligible patients in COG clinical trials right here in the Rio Grande Valley. Clinical trials play an invaluable role in helping doctors and researchers discover novel therapies and cures. As the only official COG site in the Rio Grande Valley, the Vannie Cook Clinic will gather data on its unique predominantly Hispanic patient population, and this data will offer insight for similar populations across the nation.



Thank you for your interest in the *Friends for Hope 8th Annual Bay Fishing Tournament*. 2011 was the culminating year. Since its inception, this fishing tournament has raised over \$100,000 for the Vannie E. Cook Jr. Children's Cancer & Hematology Clinic. Each year this tournament continues to grow and it doesn't grow on its own. Its growth has come with the help of everyone in the community who supported through participation, sponsorship, donation, and volunteerism.

At the end of our 11th fiscal year, we were fortunate enough to have given \$1 Million in 11 short years to the Vannie E. Cook Jr. Children's Cancer and Hematology Clinic. This dedication is shown through the annual patient and family Christmas Party and the adoption of some families to provide necessities.

Friends for Hope is an organization of adults in the upper Rio Grande Valley dedicated to helping the needs of children suffering from cancer. *Friends for Hope* hosts various social events in an effort to give back to our community such as the *Friends for Hope Annual Benefit* in the fall, various mixers, and fundraisers to promote community awareness.

On Saturday, June 2, 2018 the organization will be hosting the 8th Annual Bay Fishing Tournament at Louie's Backyard on South Padre Island. There will be cash prizes, awards, food, and fun!

Net proceeds from this event will be donated to the Vannie E. Cook Jr. Children's Cancer and Hematology Clinic. If you are interested in participating in our tournament or learning about sponsorship opportunities, please contact us by email or phone at info@friendsforhope.com, (956) 605-4455, (956) 821-3186, or www.friendsforhope.com

Please join *Friends for Hope* in supporting the Clinic's efforts to provide the best care and treatment available to our local children who suffer from cancer and blood disease.



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Sponsorship Levels & Benefits

To help offset some of the expenses of this event and increase our annual donation to the clinic, Friends for Hope Board of Directors are respectfully requesting your support through sponsorship.

Title Sponsorship \$5,000

- Includes 2 boat entries (4 anglers per boat)
- Name and logo recognition on all tournament promo items
- Name and logo recognition on T-Shirt
- Name and logo recognition on brochure
- Name and logo recognition on fishing tournament banner

Redfish \$2,500

- Includes 2 boat entries (4 anglers per boat)
- Name and logo recognition on T-Shirt
- Name and logo recognition on brochure
- Name and logo recognition on fishing tournament banner

Speckled Trout \$1,000

- Includes 1 boat entry (4 anglers per boat)
- Name and logo recognition on T-Shirt
- Name and logo recognition on brochure
- Name and logo recognition on fishing tournament banner

Trophy Sponsorship \$200

- Name recognition on T-Shirt
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YES, I would like to be a Friends for Hope Sponsor at the following level:

- Title \$5,000**
- Redfish \$2,500**
- Speckled Trout \$1,000**
- Trophy \$200**

NAME: _____

COMPANY: _____

ADDRESS: _____

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FOR COMPLETE TOURNAMENT REGISTRATION INFORMATION
PLEASE CONTACT US AT 956.605.4455, 956.821.3186, INFO@FRIENDSFORHOPE.COM,
OR WWW.FRIENDSFORHOPE.COM

FOR SPONSORSHIP RECOGNITION, PLEASE SEND YOUR PAYMENT BEFORE MAY 20, 2018 TO:
FRIENDS FOR HOPE . ATTN: FISHING . P O BOX 720721 . MCALLEN, TX 78504
LOGOS CAN BE EMAILED TO INFO@FRIENDSFORHOPE.COM

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backyard
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