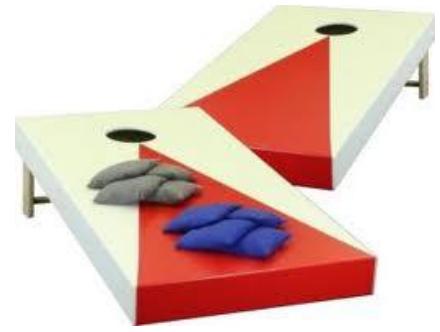




3<sup>rd</sup> Annual Amber Dugan “Fun”draiser  
Cornhole Tournament  
November 12th, 2011  
Knights of Columbus Hall  
4730 Broadview Road, Cleveland, OH 44109



**Cornhole Tournament Information**

- Indoor tournament, so rain and snow won't stop us!
- Competitive and Recreational Divisions! Anyone can play!
- **Blind Draw winners win free entries into the \$15,000 Championships of Bags!**
- Recreational Doubles
- All players guaranteed to play at least five games
- Chinese Raffle and 50/50 Raffle
- Detailed information at <http://ambersmagicalmemories.org>



**ALL PROCEEDS WILL BENEFIT**



“Angels from Amber” is a charity started to honor Amber Dugan, a young lady who succumbed to cancer in 2009 at the age of 14. Amber loved giving other children gifts while at the Children’s Hospital and this charity keeps that love alive by donating “care packages” to children and their families who are battling serious illnesses. The care packages which include fun items like toys as well as necessities such as gas cards are given to the children and their families to help them get through even the most difficult of times.

**Please consider helping us by attending or donating to this annual event.  
Also please support our sponsors!**



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## Cornhole Details

Recreational team registration from **9-10am**, no teams allowed to register after 10am.

### Recreational Cornhole:

- \$25/team to enter
- Prizes awarded to the top finishing teams (no cash prizes)
- Recreational Doubles will be pool play seeding a double elimination, single game bracket. Based on number of teams, pool play may split teams into two separate brackets (i.e. 6 team pools may be played where the top 4 go into the main bracket and play for the prizes and the bottom two teams go into their own bracket to separate the skill levels)
- This is a Recreational tournament. If you can consistently make 2 or more bags per round, please consider the Competitive division. **NO** players listed on any cornhole rankings allowed to participate in the recreational division
- Both Recreational and Competitive tournaments will use high quality boards and two-sided bags from Hammerhead Backyard Games

Competitive team registration from **2-3pm**, no teams allowed to register after 3pm.

### Competitive Cornhole:

- \$35/player to enter (\$25 if you're a member of the Cornhole Players Association - CPA). This entry gets you into both Competitive Doubles and the Competitive Blind Draw tournaments
- CPA Memberships may be purchased at the event if desired (\$15/membership or \$25/membership and receive a CPA t-shirt)
- Competitive Doubles is first and will use a modified TRIPLE elimination tournament bracket, single games, random placement in bracket, pay per win format (each win in the tournament earns a prize)
- 70% of the entry fees will be paid out in the Competitive Doubles tournament (**most likely OVER 100% payout in cash and prizes for competitive players**)
- Competitive Blind Draw will follow and be double elimination, single games, random placement in bracket. Players will be grouped into Group A and Group B. Group A will consist of all players finishing in the top 50% of the Competitive Doubles tournament while Group B will consist of all players finishing in the bottom 50% of the Competitive Doubles tournament. One Group A player will be randomly partnered with one Group B player for this portion of the event
- The winning Blind Draw doubles team wins **TWO bids into the Championship of Bags Tournament, a \$250 value!**
- 2<sup>nd</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> place teams in the blind draw will win other prizes
- More information on the Championship of Bags Tournament can be found here:  
<http://americantailgatingleague.com/cobs/>

### The Amber Dugan Fund

Amber Dugan was diagnosed with Ewings Sarcoma, a rare and aggressive form of bone cancer in August 2004 which she bravely fought for nearly 5 years. Unfortunately, Amber passed away May 28th, 2009. During all of Amber's treatments she never complained or asked, "why me?" She never felt sorry for herself but was so pained by seeing so many other kids suffering in the hospital. She wanted to make a difference in their lives and came up with a plan. Amber had to stay in the hospital every three weeks for about a week. As she packed her suitcase, she always made sure to bring some new toys and stuffed animals to pass out to the kids there. She started looking for goodies while we were out at stores and donated toys that were meant for her. By Christmas, she had totes of toys. So we headed to the hospital and Amber was able to go room to room and pass out presents to all the kids. She loved seeing the smiles on their faces and I loved seeing the one on hers!

During Amber's treatments, family and friends set up "The Amber Dugan Fund" to help with the many expenses. They called themselves "Angels for Amber". They truly were "angels", and we her family were very grateful. We knew one day we would find a way to pay it forward. So now, we use The "Amber Dugan Fund" to honor Amber and help other children still fighting by sending out "Angels from Amber" packages. We have been able to give toys to the oncology floor, send care packages, give gas cards for treatment travel and send holiday gifts to the patients and their siblings. We ask for your donation so that we can continue to grow and be able to help so many more families.

Thank you for your support in keeping Amber's dream alive and putting a smile on her face wherever she is! ~ Melissa Dugan



**Amber Dugan (1995 – 2009)**