

# TRANSPLANT NEWS

Akron-Canton Transplant Recipients Int'l Organization (TRIO)  
September, 2016

## 2016 Schedule of Events

Monthly Meetings from 6:30 to 8:30 on the 3<sup>rd</sup> Tuesday of every month at Education Building "A" at the North Canton Medical Center.

### November, 2016 Akron Children's Hospital Holiday Tree Festival.

Please contact Sue or Rosie if you have a tree or ornaments for this year's "Donor" theme tree.

Holiday Celebration of Life Dinner on December 20<sup>th</sup> 6:30 to 9:00 at NCMC. A Lifebanc Donor family recognition followed by dedication of ornaments by organ recipients or their loved ones.

Liver Walk, One Step, One Walk, One Future Saturday May, 2017 at the Cleveland Metroparks Zoo.

Lifebanc Gift of Life Walk & Run August, 2017. Please join the Kidney Kats team.

Celebration of Life Picnic, August, 2017 from 1:00 to 5:00 at John Torok Community Center, Green.

Please keep the following members in your thoughts & prayers. Mary Fread, Isabelle Gordon, Rosie Price and Robin Pelton.

## 2016 Akron Canton TRIO

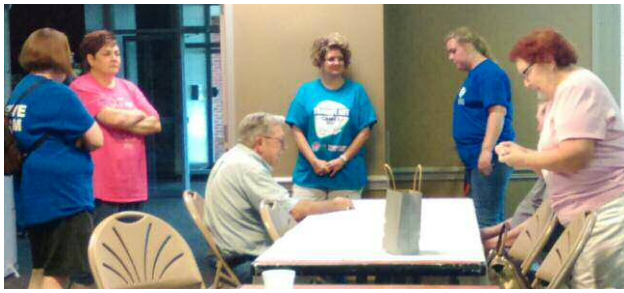
### Details:

Celebration of Life Picnic, August 14, 2016. It was a dark and stormy afternoon at the John Torok Community Center, but 21 brave soles gathered to celebrate at this year's picnic.



One person was ready to party





Some came a long distance to join us



We had a feast! Thank you Mary!





He partied hardy and then relaxed.

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## **About TRIO (Transplant Recipients International Organization)**

**Website: [www.trioweb.org](http://www.trioweb.org)**

### **TRIO's MISSION**

**TRIO is a non-profit organization improving the quality of lives touched by the miracle of transplantation through support, advocacy, education and awareness.**

### **Support**

**We provide support to transplant candidates, recipients and their families, donors and donor families to help alleviate the stresses and problems associated with the process.**

### **Advocacy**

**We make the concerns and needs that affect the welfare of transplant candidates, recipients, and donor families known to federal government bodies. We also effectively communicate the views of transplant candidates, recipients and their families,**

**donors and donor families to the general public.**

### **Education**

**We provide current information (with respect to developments in organ and tissue donation, transplantation, medications, social issues, and finances) to transplant candidates, recipients and their families, donors and donor families about initiatives and protocols in the field of transplantation.**

### **Awareness**

**We promote organ and tissue donation as an important social responsibility. We develop and support mechanisms to improve the availability of organs and tissues on an equitable basis to meet the need of transplant candidates.**

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