

April 23, 2018

Dear Sir/Ma'am,

Casting for a Cause was formed to improve and maintain the financial strength of other essential charitable organizations, as our way of giving back to the community. Each year our 5 member board will select a meaningful organization and/or cause to benefit from the proceeds of our annual fishing tournament. The *Ross Granger Memorial Fund* was selected as the beneficiary for our inaugural *Casting for a Cause* tournament to be held on July 26, 2018. Our son, Karl, met Ross in 2003 while attending elementary school, they soon became very close friends and team mates. Ross Granger was an extraordinary young man that influenced everyone he met. Founded on 11/29/2016, the *Ross Granger Memorial Fund* awards annual scholarships to students that exemplify and model strong faith, academics, leadership and athleticism.

Ross Granger was a standout student, athlete, and faith leader at Erath High School. After graduating with a 4.0 GPA he was offered a scholarship to play the game he loved, baseball at LSUE, but before he could start pursuing his dream he was diagnosed with a brain stem astrocytoma, only two months after his graduation in 2015. Ross never complained and he never gave up, instead he went to work. During his illness, Ross devoted as much of his free time as possible speaking to student athlete groups about the love of God and overcoming adversity. WUPKAR, "Wake up, Pray, Kick Ass, Repeat" was his daily mantra. Ross was truly a remarkable young man that had a whole community fighting with him. Ross Granger will forever be a great man that will continue to touch the hearts of our community. Before he was called home on November 11, 2016, he requested that a scholarship be awarded in his memory.

Your generous donation and participation will allow the *Ross Granger Memorial Fund* to continue with great success.

The tournament will be held at Don's Boat Landing in Erath, Louisiana beginning at 12:01 am on Thursday, July 26, 2018 with the final weigh-in at 1:00 pm on Sunday, July 29, 2018.

We thank you for your support of the *Casting for a Cause* and the *Ross Granger Memorial Fund*. For additional information please contact us at casting4acause@gmail.com or visit www.rossgranger.org. Nominations for 2019's recipient will be accepted by email starting August 1, 2018.

Very Respectfully,

Gary C. Howell Jr.
Casting for a Cause
casting4acause@gmail.com
337-319-8108

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Sponsorship levels

\$1,000 Platinum Sponsorship

- Logo featured on the platinum sponsorship board.
- Logo featured on the back of the tournament t-shirts.
- Logo featured on the Ross Granger Memorial Fund and Don's Boat Landing Facebook page with link and/or advertisement to the business location.
- Ability to display and distribute marketing materials throughout the event.
- 4 tournament entry tickets.

\$800 Gold Sponsorship

- Logo featured on the gold sponsor board.
- Logo featured on the Ross Granger Memorial Fund and Don's Boat Landing Facebook page with link and/or advertisement to the business location.
- Ability to display and distribute marketing materials throughout the event
- 2 tournament entry tickets.

\$600 Silver Sponsorship

- Logo featured on the silver sponsor board.
- Logo featured on the Ross Granger Memorial Fund and Don's Boat Landing Facebook page with link and/or advertisement to the business location.
- 1 tournament entry ticket.

\$400 Bronze Sponsorship

- Logo featured on the bronze sponsor board.
- Logo featured on the Ross Granger Memorial Fund and Don's Boat Landing Facebook page with link and/or advertisement to the business location.

All other Donors

- Logo featured on the Ross Granger Memorial Fund and Don's Boat Landing Facebook page with link and/or advertisement to the business location.

All sponsors will receive recognition on stage during awards ceremony.

Items donated for the silent or live auction will feature donors name

All sponsors will need to email a copy of logo to casting4acause@gmail.com as well as the link to the business website and/or address to be featured on Facebook.

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SPONSORSHIP FORM

Casting for a Cause & the Ross Granger Memorial Fund expresses great appreciation for the following contribution:

Company name: _____
Address: _____
Contact person: _____
Phone number: _____
Sponsor level: _____

All monetary donations and completed forms must be turned by July 6, 2018 and can be dropped off at or mailed to:

CASTING FOR A CAUSE

Attn: Sponsorship
5515 W LA Hwy 688
Erath, LA 70533

CASTING FOR A CAUSE *Fishing Tournament* **Benefiting the Ross Granger** **Memorial Fund**

Thursday, July 26, 2018
through
Sunday, July 29, 2018

Event will be held at:

Don's Boat Landing

5515 W LA Hwy 688
Erath, LA 70533

Thursday - Captains cocktail
hour with DJ

Friday - 9pm Johnny Guinn

Saturday - 7pm Clay Cormier
followed by Curtis Grim

Sunday - 3pm Jamie Bergeron

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DONATION FORM

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DONATION ITEMS	VALUE
1	\$
2	\$
3	\$
4	\$
5	\$
TOTAL	\$

Items received by: _____ Date: _____

All monetary, auction items and completed form must be turned in by July 16, 2018 and can be dropped off or mailed to:

Casting for a Cause
5515 W LA Hwy 688
Erath, LA 70533

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Request for Taxpayer Identification Number and Certification

**Give Form to the
 requester. Do not
 send to the IRS.**

▶ Go to www.irs.gov/FormW9 for instructions and the latest information.

Print or type. See Specific Instructions on page 3.	<p>1 Name (as shown on your income tax return). Name is required on this line; do not leave this line blank.</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Casting for a Cause</p> <p>2 Business name/disregarded entity name, if different from above</p>	
	<p>3 Check appropriate box for federal tax classification of the person whose name is entered on line 1. Check only one of the following seven boxes.</p> <p> <input type="checkbox"/> Individual/sole proprietor or single-member LLC <input type="checkbox"/> C Corporation <input type="checkbox"/> S Corporation <input type="checkbox"/> Partnership <input type="checkbox"/> Trust/estate <input type="checkbox"/> Limited liability company. Enter the tax classification (C=C corporation, S=S corporation, P=Partnership) ▶ _____ Note: Check the appropriate box in the line above for the tax classification of the single-member owner. Do not check LLC if the LLC is classified as a single-member LLC that is disregarded from the owner unless the owner of the LLC is another LLC that is not disregarded from the owner for U.S. federal tax purposes. Otherwise, a single-member LLC that is disregarded from the owner should check the appropriate box for the tax classification of its owner. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Other (see instructions) ▶ Non-Profit </p>	<p>4 Exemptions (codes apply only to certain entities, not individuals; see instructions on page 3):</p> <p>Exempt payee code (if any) _____</p> <p>Exemption from FATCA reporting code (if any) _____</p> <p style="font-size: small;">(Applies to accounts maintained outside the U.S.)</p>
	<p>5 Address (number, street, and apt. or suite no.) See instructions. 5515 W LA Hwy 688</p>	<p>Requester's name and address (optional)</p>
	<p>6 City, state, and ZIP code Erath, LA 70533</p>	
	<p>7 List account number(s) here (optional)</p>	

Part I Taxpayer Identification Number (TIN)

Enter your TIN in the appropriate box. The TIN provided must match the name given on line 1 to avoid backup withholding. For individuals, this is generally your social security number (SSN). However, for a resident alien, sole proprietor, or disregarded entity, see the instructions for Part I, later. For other entities, it is your employer identification number (EIN). If you do not have a number, see *How to get a TIN*, later.

Note: If the account is in more than one name, see the instructions for line 1. Also see *What Name and Number To Give the Requester* for guidelines on whose number to enter.

Social security number									
-				-					
or									
Employer identification number									
8	2					4	8	6	4
-				-					
6	6	6	6	4					

Part II Certification

Under penalties of perjury, I certify that:

1. The number shown on this form is my correct taxpayer identification number (or I am waiting for a number to be issued to me); and
2. I am not subject to backup withholding because: (a) I am exempt from backup withholding, or (b) I have not been notified by the Internal Revenue Service (IRS) that I am subject to backup withholding as a result of a failure to report all interest or dividends, or (c) the IRS has notified me that I am no longer subject to backup withholding; and
3. I am a U.S. citizen or other U.S. person (defined below); and
4. The FATCA code(s) entered on this form (if any) indicating that I am exempt from FATCA reporting is correct.

Certification instructions. You must cross out item 2 above if you have been notified by the IRS that you are currently subject to backup withholding because you have failed to report all interest and dividends on your tax return. For real estate transactions, item 2 does not apply. For mortgage interest paid, acquisition or abandonment of secured property, cancellation of debt, contributions to an individual retirement arrangement (IRA), and generally, payments other than interest and dividends, you are not required to sign the certification, but you must provide your correct TIN. See the instructions for Part II, later.

Sign Here	Signature of U.S. person ▶	Date ▶
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General Instructions

Section references are to the Internal Revenue Code unless otherwise noted.

Future developments. For the latest information about developments related to Form W-9 and its instructions, such as legislation enacted after they were published, go to www.irs.gov/FormW9.

Purpose of Form

An individual or entity (Form W-9 requester) who is required to file an information return with the IRS must obtain your correct taxpayer identification number (TIN) which may be your social security number (SSN), individual taxpayer identification number (ITIN), adoption taxpayer identification number (ATIN), or employer identification number (EIN), to report on an information return the amount paid to you, or other amount reportable on an information return. Examples of information returns include, but are not limited to, the following.

- Form 1099-DIV (dividends or interest earned or paid)

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- Form 1099-MISC (various types of income, prizes, awards, or gross proceeds)
- Form 1099-B (stock or mutual fund sales and certain other transactions by brokers)
- Form 1099-S (proceeds from real estate transactions)
- Form 1099-K (merchant card and third party network transactions)
- Form 1098 (home mortgage interest), 1098-E (student loan interest), 1098-T (tuition)
- Form 1099-C (canceled debt)
- Form 1099-A (acquisition or abandonment of secured property)

Use Form W-9 only if you are a U.S. person (including a resident alien), to provide your correct TIN.

If you do not return Form W-9 to the requester with a TIN, you might be subject to backup withholding. See What is backup withholding, later.