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Turn your steps into hope: Amblin' for Alzheimer's 2024

Anchorage, AK – [4/23/24] – **Join us for a journey across the caregiving galaxy on May 4th, 2024, as Alzheimer's Resource of Alaska hosts our 19th annual Amblin' for Alzheimer's walk at the Anchorage Golf Course.** This year's theme, "MAY THE 4TH BE WITH YOU," invites participants to don their favorite Star Wars costumes and walk for a cause that impacts more than 12,500 Alaskans—and that number is expected to double by 2030.

"Each step taken at Amblin' for Alzheimer's represents a stride towards understanding, care, and eventually a cure," said Julie Fate Sullivan, Honorary Chair of the event. She continues "Gathering together, dressed as our favorite Star Wars characters, not only raises funds but also lifts spirits, providing a fun, community-focused day for an incredibly important cause."

Amblin' for Alzheimer's is a non-competitive fundraising walk designed to support Alaskans living with Alzheimer's disease, related dementias, and other disabilities, and their caregivers and families. Since its inception, the event has brought together thousands of participants and has raised significant funds to support vital services and programs throughout Alaska offered by Alzheimer's Resource of Alaska. All funds raised stay in Alaska.

Registration Information:

Participants can register in advance online at www.alzalaska.org/amblin24. You can sign up as an individual, join a team, or create a new team.

Amblin' 2024 Event Highlights:

- Date: May 4, 2024
- Location: Anchorage Golf Course

- Check-in: 9:40 am
- Walk starts: 10 am Closing remarks: 11:15 am
- **Activities include:** A fun walk around along the cart paths of the front nine holes of the golf course, informational booths, costume contest, live music, breakfast sponsored by Sals New York Grill, Photo Emporium photo booth, face painting, and a closing ceremony with refreshments and door prizes.

About Alzheimer's Resource of Alaska:

Since 1984, Alzheimer's Resource of Alaska has been the leading organization in Alaska dedicated to providing support services to individuals living with Alzheimer's disease and related dementias. Our mission: support Alaskans affected by Alzheimer's disease, related dementias, and other disabilities to ensure quality of life.

For more information on how you can participate in or sponsor Amblin' for Alzheimer's 2024, please contact April Gunther Powers at apowers@alzalaska.org or visit our website at www.alzalaska.org.

Join us May 4th as we channel the Force for good, supporting those in our community living with Alzheimer's and related dementias and their caregivers and families!

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