



# LOUDOUN BREAST HEALTH NETWORK

ANNUAL REPORT

2025

# Mission Statement

**The Loudoun Breast Health Network (LBHN) is an all-volunteer, 501 (c) (3) non-profit organization with the mission to assist Loudoun County residents diagnosed with breast cancer through outreach and support.**

## 2025 Board Members

Vice President:	Tammy Gray
Secretary:	Chantel Smith
Treasurer:	Lindsey Hunt
Members at Large:	Margo Fallon
	Misty Simon
	Pam Smith



# Our Year in Review

At the Loudoun Breast Health Network, we believe that no one in our community should have to choose between their health and their financial security. This past year, thanks to the unwavering generosity of our supporters, we provided critical financial assistance to local residents undergoing breast cancer treatment. From covering essential rent and utility payments to providing comfort items like wigs and bras through our New Beginnings program, we have turned "help" into a tangible reality. Together, we aren't just funding services; we are easing the burden of a diagnosis and ensuring that our neighbors in Loudoun County can focus entirely on what matters most: healing.

## About Us:

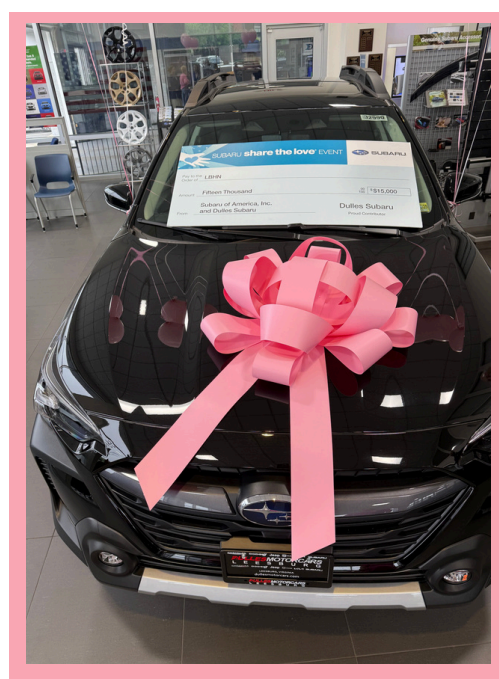
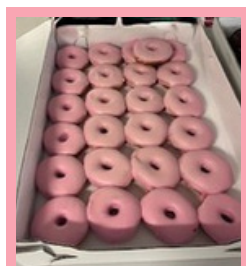
As a local 501(c)(3) nonprofit dedicated to the residents of Loudoun County, LBHN operates with a singular focus: direct, grassroots support. As an entirely volunteer-led organization, we take pride in keeping administrative overhead at a minimum, ensuring that the vast majority of our fundraising, grants, and donations go exactly where they are needed most. What truly sets us apart is our accessibility; we bypass traditional hurdles by allowing clients to apply for assistance directly. By removing the requirement for hospital or Nurse Navigator referrals, we ensure that support is never more than a conversation away.



# Community Outreach and Fundraising

In 2025, LBHN attended 38 community events, including fifteen (15) school events and thirteen (13) additional community events across Loudoun County to expand awareness and strengthen support for our mission.

More than just numbers on a calendar, these events represent a groundswell of local support. The incredible generosity we witnessed has deepened our roots in Loudoun County and amplified our ability to provide direct, life-changing assistance.



# The Power of Local Giving

**During calendar year 2025, LBHN provided \$116,829.47 in direct assistance through our Pink Assistance Fund (PAF), helping Loudoun County residents undergoing breast cancer treatment focus on healing rather than financial stress.**

**A Fourteen-Year Legacy of Support:  
Between 2012 and 2025, LBHN has distributed \$881,903.56 in critical financial support to residents of Loudoun County in need.**



# Financial Highlight

At LBHN, our mission is made possible by the passion and dedication of our volunteers. This all-volunteer structure allows us to keep administrative costs extremely low and ensure that the funds we raise through donations, grants, and community support go directly to those who need them most. The vast majority of every dollar raised is distributed to Loudoun County residents through our Pink Assistance Fund (PAF) and New Beginnings Program, providing immediate and meaningful relief during breast cancer treatment.

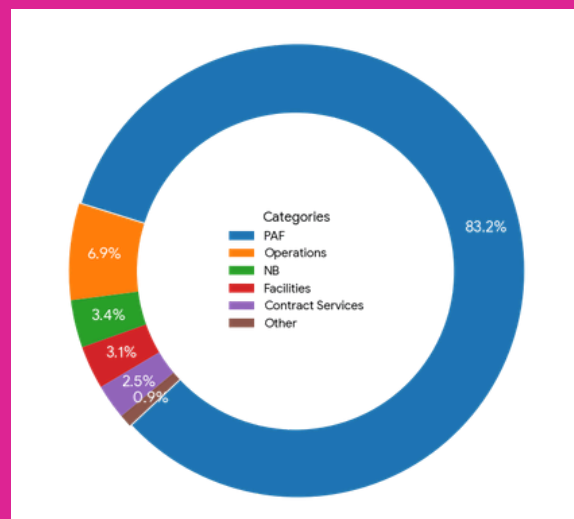
Total Operating Expenses \$18,666.25

Program (NB) Support Provided \$4,720.40

Total Pink Assistance Fund Support Provided \$116,829.47

Total Revenue \$139,816.66

Operating Expenses by Category



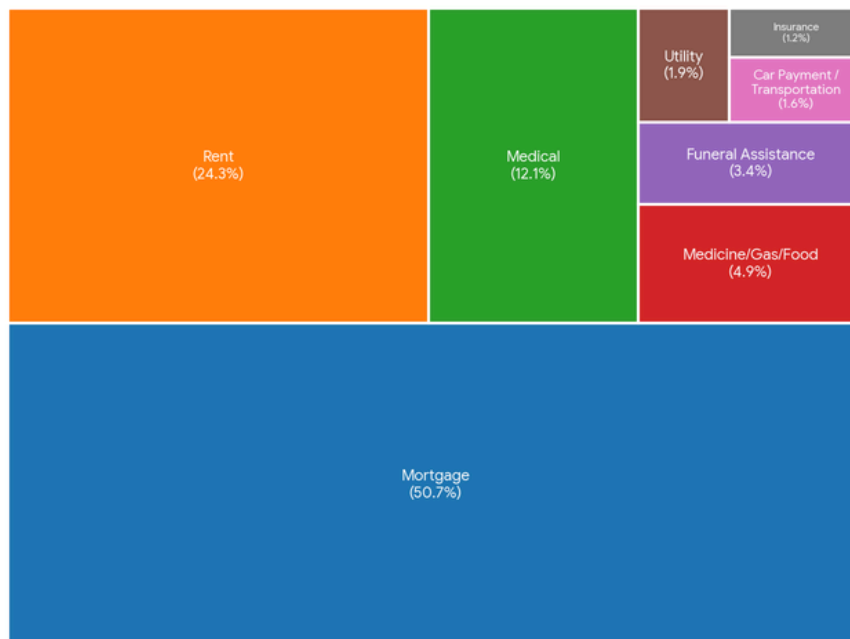
# Programs

**LBHN operated two (2) programs in 2025, the Pink Assistance Fund (PAF) and the New Beginnings Program.**

**Pink Assistance Fund (PAF):** The Pink Assistance Fund (PAF) provides financial support to Loudoun County residents diagnosed with breast cancer or undergoing active treatment within a twelve-month period. Assistance from the fund can be used for essential expenses such as medication, medical bills, gas, food, utilities, car payments, transportation, rent or mortgage, and other expenses approved by the LBHN Board.

In 2025, LBHN provided \$116,829.47 in PAF payments, helping twenty-six (26) residents and their families in Loudoun County. Since the program’s inception on January 1, 2012, LBHN has distributed a total of \$881,903.56 to local residents through the PAF, easing financial burdens and supporting recovery.

Pink Assistance Distribution: Category	Amount	% PAF Fund
Medicine/Gas/Food	\$ 5,700.00	4.9%
Insurance	\$ 1,348.86	1.2%
Medical	\$ 14,095.39	12.1%
Utility	\$ 2,257.69	1.9%
Car Payment/Transportation	\$ 1,833.26	1.6%
Mortgage	\$ 59,191.07	50.7%
Funeral Assistance	\$ 4,000.00	3.4%
Rent	\$ 28,403.20	24.3%
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$116,829.47</b>	



# Programs (cont)

**New Beginnings (NB):** The New Beginnings Program is designed to provide physical and emotional support to individuals undergoing treatment for breast cancer. In 2025, LBHN's New Beginnings Program continued to provide comfort, confidence, and critical support to individuals navigating breast cancer treatment and recovery with 108 touches.

## Items Provided

- Wigs: 11
- Bras: 1
- Hats/Scarves: 16
- Breast Forms: 17
- Miscellaneous Items: 7
- Donated Items: 21

**Lymphedema Support Initiative:** In July 2025, LBHN reached a significant milestone in its commitment to patient wellness with the launch of the Lymphedema Support Initiative. Recognizing that financial barriers often prevent patients from obtaining the tools necessary for recovery, we expanded our services to provide financial assistance for medical-grade compression garments. Proper compression is not merely a comfort measure; it is a clinical necessity for the effective management and prevention of lymphedema.

## Compression Garments Provided

- Compression Sleeves and Gauntlets: 11
- Reduction Wraps and Swell Pads: 3
- Compression Bras and Socks: 10

# Transforming Lives, One Note at a Time

## THANK YOU

As I said, "thank you" is just not enough. You and the Pink Assistance Fund have brought an unparalleled level of relief to my family during this challenging time.

I look forward to our paths crossing again soon.

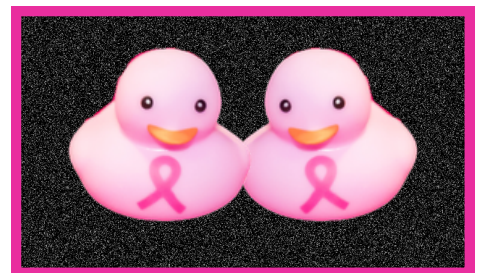
## Thank You

"Thank you so much! I am SO appreciative to you and LBHN for helping me during this time. I am starting to feel more positive about everything. It was so nice to talk to you on the phone and would love to meet in person for coffee sometime 😊"

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Thank you so much for this great news, this truly means so much to my family and I and we are forever grateful for the help of Loudoun Breast Health Network.

It was such a pleasure to speak with you the other day as well, I hope to be able to meet you someday.

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# Voices for a Cure: How Our Students Champion the Cause

## Glow in Pink: Pink Week 2025 Recap

This year, Briar Woods High School's Pink Week, titled "Glow in Pink," ran from October 21 to October 25, 2025. During the week, Briar Woods High School students and staff participated in a series of engaging activities including Candy for a Cure, "On Wednesdays We Wear Pink," Thursday Trivia, Find a Ribbon, and the Pink Out event. These initiatives helped educate the Briar Woods community about breast cancer while supporting the mission of the Loudoun Breast Health Network (LBHN). Throughout the campaign, they sold Glow in Pink merchandise, including t-shirts and pink accessories such as bandanas, bracelets, and beads. With the support of a sponsorship from The CDK Group, along with proceeds from merchandise sales, their campaign raised \$4,000 for LBHN. This contribution represents one of the highest donations in the program's history, exceeding the previous year's donation by 29%.





The Academies of Loudoun DECA chapter sold pink apparel through their school store. They created Pink Packs that included beads, ribbons, bandanas and a thank you note. They had students meet on the field during lunch in their pink gear for a large group picture.



Lightridge hosted a Pink Out Bake Sale October 14th -17th, as a student-led fundraising and awareness initiative organized by DECA members Hasini Dilliraj and Triti Ranjith Kumar, together with the Lightridge culinary department, in honor of Breast Cancer Awareness Month.

Over the four-day event, students and staff came together to raise awareness and support for local breast cancer patients and their families. Thanks to the generosity of the Lightridge school community, the fundraiser raised \$3,130 for the Loudoun Breast Health Network.

# Our Partners

**LBHN's work is made possible through the generosity and collaboration of our partners.**

## **COMMUNITY PARTNERS:**

- Booze Fighters MC, Chapter #105
- Burn Bootcamp Leesburg
- Cheer Sports
- Cosmo Nails
- Cycle Bar Ashburn
- Dulles Motorcars Subaru
- Full Distance Physical Therapy & Wellness
- Ketterman's Jewelers
- Long & Foster Real Estate
- Lost Rhino Brewing
- Loudoun Career Fire Fighters Association
- Method Health Club
- Montessori Academy
- Pearson Smith Realty
- Primrose Schools Aldi and South Riding
- Pure Barre Leesburg
- Radiance Salon and Medi Spa
- Real Alloy
- Salamander Resort
- Spanky's Shenanigans
- Village Pickle
- Williams Gap Vineyards
- YogaSix Ashburn

## **Non-Profit Partners**

- Benevity Community Impact Fund
- Gifts for Good
- Hearts and Homes
- I Give Foundation
- Inova Loudoun Life with Cancer
- Network for Good
- One Hope Foundation
- PayPal Giving Fund
- Pledge the Pink Foundation
- Step Sisters
- Walmart Foundation
- Walk4Mountains



# Our Partners

## **Loudoun County Public Schools Partners**

- Academies of Loudoun-DECA
- Brair Woods DECA
- Briar Woods FBLA
- Broad Run Art Honor Society
- Broad Run Cheer
- Broad Run Field Hockey
- Broad Run Football
- John Champe PowderPuff
- John Champe Volleyball
- Lightridge Volleyball Pink Out
- Lightridge DECA/FCCLA
- Loudoun County HS DECA
- Loudoun County HS Volleyball
- Riverside DECA
- Riverside Powderpuff
- Riverside Football
- Riverside Powderpuff
- Riverside Basketball
- Rock Ridge DECA
- Stone Bridge Girl Up
- Stone Bridge DECA - Spike Out and Football Pink Night
- Stone Bridge VB
- Tuscarora DECA - Pink Sale
- Tuscarora Football
- Tuscarora Volleyball