

Gregg's Story

Gregg was born on January 14, 1984, a healthy baby boy. For the first ten weeks of his life, everything seemed perfect. But one evening, he began showing signs of respiratory distress. What we initially thought was a typical case of croup quickly turned into the worst time of our lives.

Gregg was admitted to North Shore University Hospital, where he received expert care from the Pediatric ICU and Pediatric Oncology Department. His team of doctors and nurses were exceptional, and they had hoped that the tumor in his chest would be treatable. However, when Gregg underwent a biopsy, the tumor turned out to be far more serious than anyone had anticipated. There were major complications, and tragically, Gregg passed away during the surgery.

Gregg's death has been a life-changing event for our family in ways we never could have imagined. From that day forward, we realized that life can change in an instant, and that it's important to live fully, appreciating every moment.

We also became more acutely aware of the struggles, suffering, and pain that others face on a daily basis. In the years since Gregg's passing, we have been fortunate to participate in various events and initiatives to support others who are facing difficult circumstances. Honoring Gregg's memory through helping those in need has been one of our greatest sources of comfort. Our hope is that by giving back, we can make a difference in the lives of others, just as the support we received helped us through our darkest days.



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Dr. Mark Weinblatt and Dr. Phil Scimeca were two of Gregg's doctors during his time at North Shore University Hospital. They truly left a lasting mark on our family, and we will forever be grateful for the compassionate care they provided during such a difficult time.

Dr. Weinblatt, alongside Dr. Glasser, has led the NYU Langone Cancer Center for Kids in Mineola for many years. It's the largest outpatient facility in Nassau County dedicated to treating children with cancer and blood disorders. The center is also the county's only member of the Children's Oncology Group (COG), an internationally renowned consortium of hospitals recognized for their leadership in childhood cancer treatment.

This affiliation with COG positions the NYU Langone Cancer Center for Kids—Mineola at the forefront of cancer research, utilizing the latest treatment protocols to ensure the best possible outcomes for its young patients. It's an honor to have witnessed firsthand the incredible work done by the team, and we continue to support their efforts in memory of Gregg.

After another successful event last year, we are proud to announce that we have been able to donate \$55,000 to the Cancer Center for Kids, bringing our total donations to an incredible \$838,000! This achievement would not have been possible without the generosity and support of family, friends, and business associates who helped turn our family's dream into reality.

Honoring Gregg's memory and continuing to support children and families who are fighting cancer is something we hold dear to our hearts. We believe that with your continued involvement, we can make an even bigger impact in the future. We invite you to participate in our upcoming outing and join us in this important cause.

To learn more about the Cancer Center for Kids and see the amazing work being done, please visit their website below.

Thank you for your support, and we hope to see you at the event!

www.nyulangone.org/locations/nyulangone-cancer-center-for-kids-mineola

*Debi, Bill, Bryan, Mary, William & Connor,
Mike, Kristina, Daniella, Francesca & Avery*



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Gregg's Wings
Golf Outing
AUGUST 17, 2026



Schedule

LAWRENCE YACHT & COUNTRY
CLUB

101 Causeway, Lawrence, NY 11559

10:00 am

Registration &
Driving Range Opens

10:00am - 11:30am

Breakfast

11:30am

Shotgun Start

4:30pm - 6:00pm

Cocktail Hour (Open Bar)

6:00pm

Dinner

7:00pm

Awards, Raffles &
Silent Auction



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