

WHAT IS A SHAVEE?



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The American Cancer Society is giving hope a home in Kansas City, and we need your help. For the past 25 years, hundreds of guests have come together every Spring to celebrate Hope Lodge Kansas City, a facility providing free lodging for cancer patients and their caregivers. The event will feature more than 20 community and corporate leaders committed to fundraising \$7,500 and shaving their heads (or beards) on stage as a symbol of unity for all Hope Lodge Guests.

If you're up for a 'hairy' challenge, we ask that you join us as a Shavee at this incredible lifesaving event to continue giving hope a home right here in Kansas City.

AS A SHAVEE...

- You'll meet your fundraising goal of \$7,500 to make it on stage and do your best to grow as much hair as possible to ensure those clippers will have to put forth some effort to make you bald AND beautiful.
- You'll feel proud knowing that 100% of the dollars raised stays here in Kansas City, to benefit Hope Lodge.

ABOUT HOPE LODGE

- Our Hope Lodge connects thousands of patients all over the country to world class cancer care in Kansas City by providing a free place to stay.
- In 2024, Hope Lodge Kansas City provided **17,565 nights of free lodging** to more than 1,000 cancer patients and caregivers, estimating **\$1.9 million saved** in hotel expenses.



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IMPORTANT DATES

Tuesday, February 17: Shavee Kickoff @ Hope Lodge

Friday, April 17: Shave To Save Event @ Overland Park Convention Center

TIMELINE

Commit to becoming a Shavee at any point leading up to event day but making the commitment early will set you up for success. Here's a snapshot of what joining Shave To Save as a Shavee entails:

AUGUST-DECEMBER Shavees commit! Mark your calendar for event night, April 17, 2026!

JANUARY Register to be a Shavee and create a personalized fundraising site!

FEBRUARY-APRIL Spread the word! Send emails, host fundraisers, share on social media to reach your goal for Shave To Save! You will receive a Shavee Fundraising Guide with steps to reach your goal.

APRIL YOU DID IT! You've reached your goal of \$7,500 for Hope Lodge and will take the stage on event night to shave your head or face!

Congratulations!

HOW TO SIGN UP

By selflessly devoting your time and energy through raising awareness and money, you become the voice of the American Cancer Society in your community. It's a big job and it's not one that we take for granted. So, thank you for helping us fulfill our mission to save lives, celebrate lives, and lead the fight for a world without cancer. To learn more about becoming a Shavee, contact your ACS Staff Partner, Kenzie Marshall at McKenzie.Marshall@cancer.org or visit, www.ShaveToSave.org.



Jeff Novorr

2025 Top Shavee
\$84,555



2025 Shavee Class



Ryan Jones

2025 Runner-Up
\$81,453