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Great Food...Great Cause The First Annual “Kortney Rose Foundation Turning Point Fundraiser”

Raising money and awareness for pediatric brain cancer

The Kortney Rose Foundation (KRF) is teaming up with The Turning Point Restaurants (TP) for The first annual Kortney Rose Foundation Turning Point Fundraiser to raise money for pediatric brain tumor research and awareness.

When you eat at any of the five Turning Point locations in Little Silver, Holmdel, Long Branch, Manalapan or Hoboken on Friday October 22nd or Saturday October 23rd and donate \$20 or more to KRF you will receive gift cards for free entrees for your next visit.

The more you donate the more you receive. It's a win/win for all.
\$20 donation = TP gift card for 2 free entrees
\$40 donation = 2 TP gift cards, good for 4 free entrees
\$50 donation = 2 TP gift cards, good for 4 free entrees and a TP ceramic mug.

Kortney Rose Gillette was a vivacious nine-year old girl with a winning smile and unparalleled zest for life. She loved playing with friends and animals (stuffed or real) and enjoyed school at Wolf Hill Elementary School in Oceanport, NJ. This didn't change even after her diagnosis of a terminal brainstem glioma. On April 27, 2006, four months after her diagnosis, Kortney lost her brave battle with this pediatric brain cancer.

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The Kortney Rose Foundation (KRF) was founded by Kortney's mother, Kristen Gillette to honor Kortney's memory and celebrate her life. It was incorporated as a 501(c)(3) in 2007, to raise money for pediatric brain cancer research and awareness. The foundation has donated **\$260,000**, over the past three years, to the pediatric brain tumor research program at the Children's Hospital of Philadelphia (CHOP) specifically their Large Genome Project and the new World Class Tissue Bank.

Pediatric brain tumors are the leading cause of cancer-related deaths in children 20 and under. Children are now being diagnosed with brain tumor as often as Leukemia.

"The Turning Point has been a friend to the Kortney Rose Foundation in the past, hosting a fundraiser a few years ago at their Long Branch location. We are excited that they have expanded it into an annual event with all five Turning Point locations participating," according to Kristen Gillette, Kortney's mother.

Join us at any of the five turning Point locations, enjoy a great meal and help support a great cause.

If you would like more information about The Kortney Rose Foundation or to schedule an interview please call Kristen Gillette at (732) 222-1491, or email kortneyroseorg@aol.com. Visit our website: www.TheKortneyRoseFoundation.org