

A Benefit for Emily Miller!

Emily is 32 years young. She is a beautiful, fun-loving, sweet woman who was diagnosed with Idiopathic Subepiglottal Stenosis two months ago. This rare condition was diagnosed after, what was to be a routine hip surgery that ended up with her nearly losing her life from respiratory failure after several attempts to intubate her unsuccessfully for the surgery. Emily needed an immediate airway, so an emergency tracheotomy was performed that saved her life. After several complications and nearly a month in the ICU and IMCU, she was discharged to home with a trach tube and PEG tube in place for nutrition, as she was not able to swallow or talk. Emily has a congenital narrowing of her trachea just below her vocal chords which is 4mm in diameter – smaller than a coffee stir stick (a normal female trachea is 22mm)! Emily needs to go to Massachusetts General Hospital in Boston, Massachusetts, where there is a world renowned doctor capable of correcting her condition with tracheal reconstructive surgery. Our goal is to help Emily GET TO BOSTON so she can resume a life that allows her to work, ride her beloved horse, Gable, play with her puppy, and continue a beautiful life with her husband, Matt.

We would love to see you at the "Buckin' Up For Emily" event, but if you can't make it, please consider making a donation to help defray the mounting medical expenses that Emily and Matt are incurring and will continue to incur, as we make the journey to Boston to get Emily well again.

SATURDAY, AUGUST 9TH 2014 12:00 - 5:00 PM

at

The Grand Island Rod & Gun Club

1083 Whitehaven Road, Grand Island, NY 14072

PRE-SALE \$20.00 Donation

Food, Drinks, Raffles, Prizes, and much more!

DOOR \$25.00 Donation

12 AND UNDER FREE

Must be present to win door prize

If you are interested in donating a basket or anything towards this event, please contact one of the hosts at: buckinemily@yahoo.com

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 716-695-6708

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716-998-6030

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Helping out is quick and easy.

If unable to attend and you would like to donate go to: <u>www.gofundme.com/9j2zz8</u>



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