

Changes In Store For Relay For Life

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It's that time of year when Kearney County Relay for Life organizers begin calling on businesses and residents for donations and invite cancer survivors to participate in their annual event. Those calls won't be made anytime soon however because there will be no Relay for Life event in Kearney County this year.

"Kearney County is not allowed to have a Relay for Life event anymore. I was told they are choosing to focus on the larger events," Coordinator Toni Bockerman stated.

The decision doesn't only affect Kearney County. The Relay for Life event in Clay Center has been cancelled as well. Survivors and participants of the smaller events have been invited to join larger relays nearby. For Kearney County residents that means attending the Buffalo County Relay June 8 from 6:00 p.m. to midnight at Yanney Park.

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