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I want to invite you to participate in a very special event. Our Club will hold its **5th Annual Chili Cook-Off** to benefit the **American Cancer Society Relay for Life** on **Saturday, February 27th**. The event will be held at **Fudpucker's in Destin**. As part of the event, we will be raffling off items, with all proceeds to benefit Relay for Life. We need your help to make it a success.

Every dollar raised for Relay for Life makes a difference to people in our community whose lives are touched by cancer. The Society has contributed to almost every major discovery in cancer research. Millions of lives have been saved as a result, including people you may know. For those people and countless others, the research the Society has funded is resulting in better ways to prevent, detect, and treat cancer. In addition, our club is a 501(c)3 organization.

Here's how you can help:

1. Please consider contributing an item to the raffle. You, your employer, or both can donate the item. Some items that have sold well in other raffles are gift baskets, wine, holiday items, children's items, food items, gift certificates, electronic equipment, artwork, and books. I have enclosed a donation form for you to complete.
2. You are welcome to provide a monetary donation; the check should be made payable to Emerald Coast Parrot Head Club. Donations are tax deductible.
3. Mark your calendar now and plan to attend the auction on February 27th. We encourage you to bring a friend or colleague and your checkbook.

Thank you in advance for your support of this important event. Feel free to give me a call should you have any questions or wish to drop off an item to raffle. We will also be happy to pick up the item. Together we can make a difference!

Sincerely,

Chili Cook-Off Committee
Emerald Coast Parrot Head Club

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