

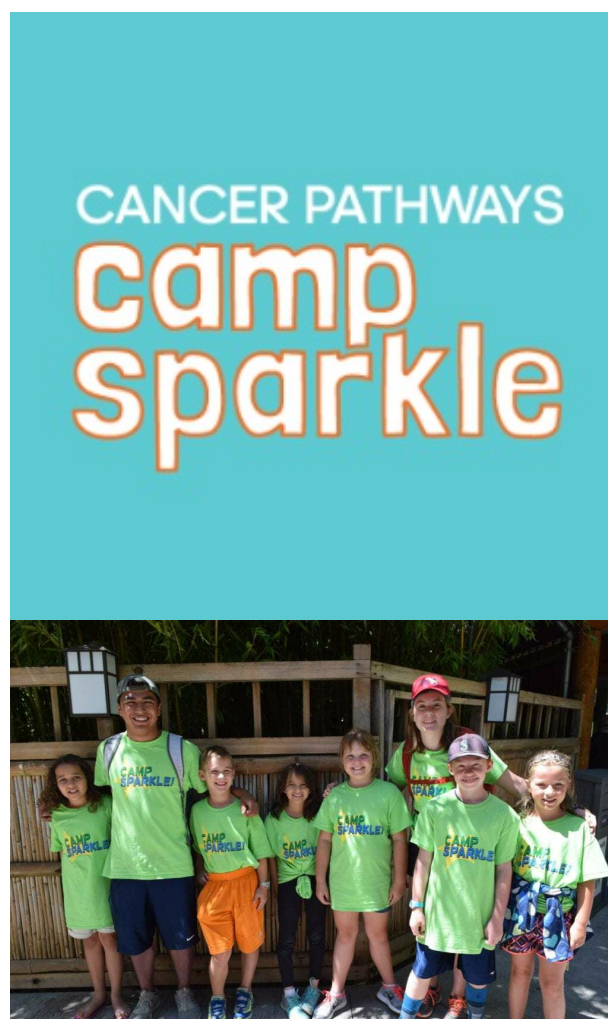
## Summer is just around the corner! Register for Camp Sparkle

Join us for our annual free day camp for all children and teens affected by cancer. Ages 5-12 are campers, ages 13-15 are junior counselors and ages 16 and older are counselors. The camp runs Monday through Friday from 9am to 4pm. Enjoy field trips, friendships with other kids who experience cancer, outdoor activities, therapeutic arts and yummy lunches and snacks!

### 2022 Dates:

- **Seattle:** June 27- July 1
- **Virtual Camp:** July 18-22 (10am-1pm PST)
- **Bellevue:** July 25-29
- **Everett:** August 1-5
- **Tacoma:** August 8-12

[Register](#)



## UPCOMING EVENTS



## Bryce Fisher Golf Tournament

Join us as we get back into the Swing of Things! Come enjoy a day of fun and food for a great cause at our **15th Annual Cancer Pathways Bryce Fisher Golf Classic presented by Alliant Insurance.**

**Friday, July 15, 2022**  
**The Golf Club at Newcastle**

[Sign Up to Golf!](#)

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## 25th Annual Surviving with Style Fashion Show & Gala

**Let's Face Cancer Together!** Join us as we gather for a night of celebration, hope and inspiration. We are grateful for your support in our mission to ensure no one faces cancer alone.

**Saturday, October 22, 2022**  
**Westin Seattle**

[Buy Tickets](#)



**Interested in a sponsorship opportunity?**

**Email** [Rana@cancerpathways.org](mailto:Rana@cancerpathways.org) or [Debra@cancerpathways.org](mailto:Debra@cancerpathways.org)

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## CANCER UNWRAPPED



## Winning Teen Essays

Our 2022 Cancer Unwrapped teen essay contest was a heartwarming and wonderful event. To date, we have

received over 7,000 essays over 16 years from all 50 states, giving teens a chance to be heard and tell their stories. And we listened. After the essays were read this year by national judges, we chose 20 winners from 14 states and each winner received \$1,000. The teens reading their heartfelt stories about their personal diagnosis or that of a loved one at the virtual reception is always the highlight and is touching and powerful to family, friends and judges attending.

You can read the Cancer Unwrapped 2022 winning essays [here](#). You will be moved, inspired and motivated. You will remember these essays for a long time. We are so proud of all our teens. They have a lot to say and a lot to teach us.

Many thanks to the Lucky Seven Foundation and the late Sally Nordstrom for all their support.

[Read Essays Now](#)

## ENCOMPASSING CANCER PODCAST

### enCOMPASSing Cancer

We have officially published six episodes of the EnCOMPASSing Cancer podcast and have more than 7,000 downloads! Episodes are now being released twice a month on Mondays. We invite you to listen on [Apple Podcasts](#), [Spotify](#) or [Google Podcasts](#), and don't forget to follow the show so you never miss an episode!

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CANCER PATHWAYS



## SPOTLIGHT



**ANTHONY TIPPINS**

**"Cancer Pathways is a safe space to learn, to share and celebrate little triumphs in a disease that takes away the essence of your being. As the only living member in my family that has had cancer, I feel that God wants me to share my story."**

### SPOTLIGHT ON ANTHONY TIPPINS

**BOARD MEMBER & VOLUNTEER**

Anthony was introduced to Cancer Pathways more than a decade ago by his friend, Rose Dennis. He quickly

became the go-to for fashion show choreography and coaching the models at our annual, premier event. He kept his childhood cancer experiences quiet — he was diagnosed with testicular cancer at 13 — as he listened to models share their stories at a fashion show meeting.

"My heart and spirit silently wept as I heard the stories of these survivors and warriors fighting for their lives in various stages of their treatment," Anthony said. Aside from his grandmother's help, Anthony felt alone at 13. His mother died of breast cancer when he was 3.

At the second models meeting, Anthony spoke about his experience. "I wasn't alone anymore," he said.

Five years ago, Anthony received a second cancer diagnosis: anal cancer. He modeled in the show that year.

"To teach someone how to walk the runway as a fashion model is scary yet empowering," he said. "To announce that 'I have survived and don't I look great' —now that's what I call a happy ending. In cancer, there is not always a happy-ever-after. I love supporting Cancer Pathways because it supports people and families that are affected emotionally and physically with cancer. It gives them back their voice. It tells them you are not alone."

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## FOR ANYONE TOUCHED BY CANCER

### Support Groups & Wellness Classes

We provide [a wide variety of groups and wellness classes](#) for patients, family members and friends. All of our support activities are currently offered online. Times listed are in Pacific Daylight Time.

Questions? Please reach out to [Michelle@cancerpathways.org](mailto:Michelle@cancerpathways.org).



- Living with Cancer
- Bereavement
- Caregivers
- Mindfulness-Art
- Thoughtful Thursday

- Parent Grief Group
- Parent Living with Cancer Group
- Lung Cancer
- Workplace Support
- Gentle Yoga with Cindy Jaffe

We have some wonderful classes in the works for 2022. Check out all of our upcoming support groups, community education classes and more on our calendar!

[View Calendar](#)

## NEW TEAM MEMBER



**EMILY GOLDMAN**  
*Office Administrator*

## WELCOME EMILY

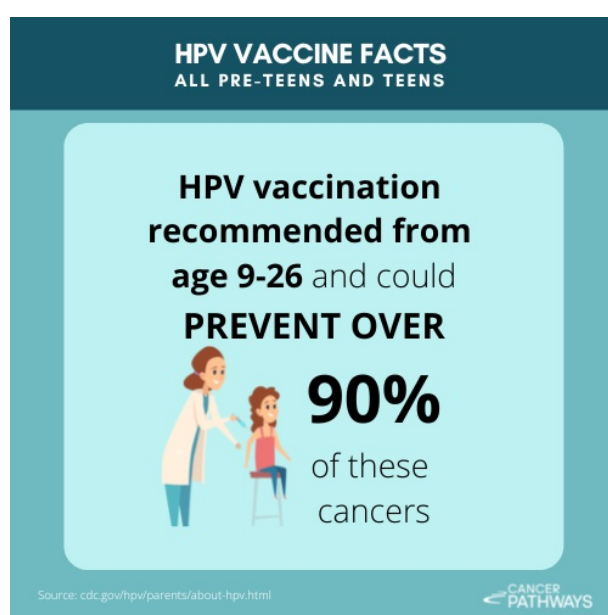
Emily, who recently moved from New Jersey to Seattle, has joined the staff at Cancer Pathways. She has always been drawn to the nonprofit world, especially in social services. Emily's father was diagnosed with a rare form of blood cancer several years ago, which made Cancer Pathways even more of a meaningful opportunity. In her spare time, Emily enjoys playing board games, watching TV and going for walks at local parks.

## NEW PROJECT

### PROJECT CHAMP

#### Cultivating HPV Awareness and Mobilizing for Prevention

We're excited to announce that we received funding from Fred Hutch to implement HPV education and prevention in rural communities in Washington. Please reach out to [lauren@cancerpathways.org](mailto:lauren@cancerpathways.org) if you are a middle/high school educator, healthcare provider, parent or community member in a rural community and would like to get involved.



## TEEN AMBASSDORS

We are pleased to highlight our 2021-2022 Cancer Pathways Teen Ambassadors! These students have worked hard to advocate and support people who have been affected by cancer in their community. Whether they have become a penpal to a camper at Camp Sparkle, created a cancer awareness club at their school or other various activities, they are actively making a difference in the lives of others.

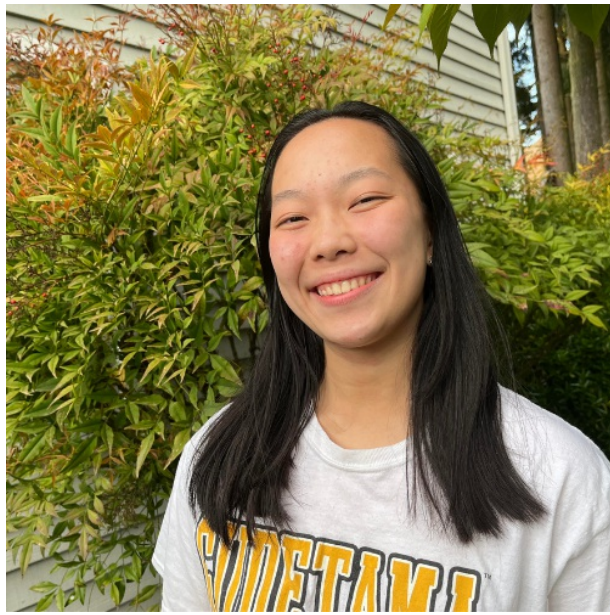
- Varun Challa, Clements High School, Texas (not pictured)
- Maddie Chang, Chaparral High School, California
- Sarah Feng, Shorewood High School, Washington

- Ivan Angel Zarate, Socorro High School, Texas

## Learn More About Teen Opportunities



Maddie



Sarah



Ivan

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### SPARKLE SATURDAYS

Our children and family program will resume in September with a monthly Saturday therapeutic arts group, field trips, fun activities and celebration of friendships. There are groups for parents and children, and a junior counselor and counselor program available for ages 13 and up. Contact [michelle@cancerpathways.org](mailto:michelle@cancerpathways.org) with questions. More information to come.

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