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Tailgate party raises money for spinal cord paralysis cure

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Fox Rehabilitation of Cherry Hill hosted a tailgate party at Citizens Bank Park on Friday June 18 that raised more than \$2,000 for the Philadelphia chapter of The Buoniconti Fund, a nonprofit dedicated to finding a cure for paralysis caused by spinal cord injury. The event, which coincided with the Phillies' fifth annual occupational therapy awareness night, attracted more than 1,000 Thomas Jefferson occupational therapy students, along with their friends and family.

The Philadelphia chapter of the Buoniconti Fund was established in 2004. This is the second straight year that Fox Rehabilitation has sponsored an occupational therapy night event.

Charity case

Philadelphia-based civil justice law firm Anapol Schwartz donated \$50,000 through its charity foundation to the Magee Rehabilitation Hospital to establish a fund that will help amputees get necessary products and services that are not covered by their insurance. The gift will help amputees get wheelchairs, home modifications, driving lessons, and "smaller quality of life items."

The Magee Rehabilitation Hospital is part of the Jefferson Health System in Philadelphia and serves people who have suffered debilitating brain and spinal cord injuries, strokes and amputations.

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