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Seymour Pink hosts a memorable fundraiser in Oxford

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OXFORD - Neither rain, nor snow, nor August heat can stop the dedicated volunteers who support <u>Seymour Pink</u>.

My husband Ralph and I learned that Saturday at the nonprofit's fundraiser, *A Pink Day to Remember*, held outside Rose's Family Restaurant at Little River Shopping Center.

Seymour Pink, a community's fight against breast cancer, generously helped my family after my breast cancer diagnosis and treatment.





And I will always be grateful.

The organization's mission is to fund breast cancer research, raise awareness, and support victims of the disease and their families.

It was nice to see a lot of the friendly faces of those who make Seymour Pink the wonderful organization it is

A major fundraiser, *A Pink Night to Remember*, was scheduled in March but the pandemic forced cancellation of the annual event.

Volunteers came up with an alternate plan - an outdoor get-together for survivors and supporters that followed social distancing requirements.

And it worked!

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Tables loaded with raffle prizes were set up along the sidewalk and I was lucky enough to win a beautiful basket donated by the Oxfordbased *Grateful Vibes*

<u>Only</u> organization. It was filled with love!

There were chocolates, a pink blanket, a pink candle, a pitcher, a mug, and much more.

Ralph and I celebrated by enjoying a late lunch at Rose's.

We both hope Saturday's event was a fundraising success! I'd like to send my gratitude to all who made it happen.





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