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Mall Walk 2024 held on Sunday, February 25, 2024, at the Voorhees Town Center was the best Mall Walk ever!!!

As of today, more than 17 Teams participated — we usually have 8 or 9 Teams at our Walk. We usually have about 150 Walkers participate—This year over 190 actual Walkers!!!

## AND, we raised more than **\$60,000!**

All of the Walkers walked the route four times with treats after the laps including special goodie bags after the first lap, specialty candy bags donated by Rhoda Wus after the second lap, pretzels donated by J & J Snacks after the third lap, and wonderful stuffed animals donated by lots of supporters after the 4<sup>th</sup> lap.

A variety of fun activities were part of the action including face painting, pet rocks decorating, tattoos, karate demonstrations by Tang Soo Karate, blood pressure screening by the students from Rowan Community Health Project, Guess the Treats, a Selfies Place, Animal Creations, Footprints for the Homeless, Magician Ed Cohen along with a Scavenger Hunt which had its own prizes. Other entertainment which kept everything going were the activities from Party People DJ, Russ Einbinder and Ben. Plus, the surprise feature of the Walk was the *Eagles Drumline*. They gave a memorable performance and then started the Walk. They were fabulous along with all the other entertainment and activities.

Be on the lookout for a special edition of IHOC's newsletter with all the happenings of Mall Walk 2024 including lots of photos and a listing of the individual winners and the TEAM winners.

Mall Walk 2024 was truly special for many reasons. One of the biggest reasons was the loads of volunteers who made the Walk possible. Their energy and caring made a huge difference. We realize that the increase in Walkers made for some unforeseen challenges at the Walk. So, IHOC will do what it always does. We will make adjustments and have another amazing Mall Walk next year.

A special thanks to our hundreds of Benefactors, Sponsors of Walkers, the actual Walkers, and our dedicated Volunteers. All of you together made the 2024 Mall Walk so SPECIAL!!!!







