

## TOM CAVATAIO CLASS '84

Tom was a Brentwood Guy his whole life. From playing hockey to restoring cars, he always had a smile on his face. While at Brentwood High School, Tom was diagnosed with Crohn's Disease. Tom passed away Dec, 10, 2011 just 3 days after his 45<sup>th</sup> birthday,

His 30 years of having Crohn's and eventually Colon/Rectal Cancer never stopped him from helping others. His desire to always help his friends has brought all together for this terrific event.

The funds for Tom will be used for the Tom Cavataio/CCFA Scholarship. This helps children under the age of 18 the pleasure of attending a summer camp geared towards kids who have Crohn's Disease. Tom volunteered as a counselor at CCFA's Camp Oasis. He helped the children with Crohn's Disease understand the affects and difficulties that come with Crohn's Disease. He showed them that a "normal life" is possible even with an incurable disease.

His family Thanks everyone for their continued support in Drop the Puck on Cancer.