

19th Annual

IT TAKES A COMMUNITY Kathy Bailey Memorial Basketball Game



*Norton Police
vs. Norton Teachers*

Friday, May 6 • 7pm
Norton High School

Proceeds directly benefit Norton families dealing with serious illness, the loss of a parent or child, or struggling with difficult financial situations

Master of Ceremonies:

Steven Bishop from “Men of Many Hats”

Norton High School Pep Band

Norton High School Concert Choir

Norton Varsity Cheerleaders

Members of the Boys & Girls Varsity Basketball Teams

Raffles and Face painting

If you would like to sponsor this event or have any questions, please email: ITACNorton@gmail.com

\$10 per person. To purchase:



If you would like to pay by check or make a donation, please make payable to It Takes A Community and send to your child’s school, or mail to 48 Harvey Street, Norton, MA 02766.

Please include how many tickets you would like to purchase and also your email address so we can confirm receipt.



In May 2003, Kathy Bailey, a young mother of two children, lost her courageous battle with brain cancer. To help Kathy’s family with her medical expenses, concerned friends organized a charity basketball game. Recognizing that tragedies similar to the Baileys’ affect Norton families every year, the charity basketball game was continued annually in Kathy’s memory. Over the years, the funds raised have helped many local families through very difficult times.

Although ITAC began as a way to support a Norton family facing a terminal illness, its mission has evolved to include families struggling with the death of a family member as well as other situations that result in difficult financial circumstances. Families in need have received funding for essentials like rent, utilities and groceries, as well as holiday gifts, school meals, and sports.

As of February 2018, ITAC is a 501(c)3 (non-profit) organization, and 100% of proceeds go toward families in need. We are continuing to honor Kathy Bailey’s legacy with the annual basketball game, and plan to expand to include a new annual fall event as well.

Norton is a community where neighbors take care of each other, especially in times of need. Help us celebrate Norton spirit by supporting “It Takes a Community.”

