



Ally's "TEN" Year Old Birthday/FUNdraiser Roller-skating Party!!!!



Who: Family, Friends, Classmates (and their families), and Anyone who would LOVE to join us in celebrating Ally Krajewski's 10th Birthday.

Date: Saturday, February 13th **Time:** 4:30pm - 6:30pm

Location: Orbit Skate Center – 615 S. Consumers Ave, Palatine (847-394-9199)

We have rented the WHOLE RINK to skate and celebrate! Feel free to invite others!

You may bring your own skates (all types, as long as clean and have no nuts or bolts sticking out anywhere). Don't forget your socks if skating! For very little kids - they may need gym shoes on with the free rental skates. Wheelchairs are allowed on the rink, but anyone else on the rink MUST wear skates (some exceptions might be able to be made since this is a private party).

GIFT Alternative: You may give Ally a Birthday Gift if you desire, but **INSTEAD** of gifts, **please consider making a donation in ANY amount you wish.** Suggested minimum donation of \$15 per person includes skating, skate rental, cake/cupcakes, limited pizza and pop (and remainder goes to Ally – see below). The cafe will also be open for additional food and drinks that guests can purchase. Raffle tickets will be sold at the party for a chance to win prizes.

RSVP/Donation: Please try your best to RSVP by Saturday, Feb 6th with number of adults/children and who will be skating. RSVP on the Facebook event, Tina's cell 773-981-7211, or email tina@angelally.com. We need to give an estimate to Orbit Skate Center and pre-order pizza. If you'd like to make a donation ahead of time, you can do one through Paypal to tina@angelally.com (use friend option to avoid fees) or checks payable to Allyson Krajewski can be mailed to Tina Krajewski – 3614 N. New England, Chicago, IL 60634. You may also give your donation the day of the party.

**** We are in need of donations/prizes for the raffle. Please contact Tina ASAP if able to help. Please let us know donation details by Monday, February 8th. ****

Reason for Birthday/FUNdraiser: Our main goal is to gather with as many friends and family members as possible to celebrate Ally and have FUN!!! Those who were able to attend Ally's Skating Party last year know it was a HUGE success. This year is even more special with Ally turning a MIRACULOUS TEN years old. We want to celebrate with family, friends, classmates (and their families are welcome to stay too)! Ally does not need many gifts, so this is why we are doing a FUNdraiser instead. Your donation will help cover the skating/pizza costs and additional \$ will go into Ally's account to help with costs associated with traveling to/from Cincinnati Children's Hospital for her spine surgery (re-scheduled for March 16th), her daily vitamins/supplements, therapy/adaptive toy items, enrichment activities Ally loves....and her other needs.

We are so proud and happy of all that Ally has accomplished, overcome and taught all of us in the last TEN years. With a diagnosis of Type 1 SMA (Spinal Muscular Atrophy), she continues to beat the odds and inspires us EVERY day!!!! All of her muscles are affected by SMA, but her brain and spirit remain strong. Ally communicates using her eyes to tell yes/no, gazing at items or pictures, and by operating a computer with her eyes and switches. She is learning to drive a power wheelchair with limited movement in her fingers and will be rolling around the skating rink with family and friends. She attends Coonley School, started Girl Scouts this year, and we try to do many FUN outings. All of this alone is a HUGE reason to celebrate with family and friends (old and new). Thank you in advance for any donations you make and also for your support, prayers and friendship as we celebrate this miraculous milestone in Ally's life!

Ally's personal website: www.angelally.com

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