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Dear Sport Enthusiasts,

The painful experience of personal loss, such as the death of a loved one, can be turned into an opportunity to help others.

For Diana Napper, founder of A Glimmer of Hope Foundation, the death of her best friend Carol Jo Weiss Friedman from breast cancer turned into an opportunity to comfort those who suffered from the disease and to fight to help others avoid this horrific disease. Even better for Napper, the foundation she started was the fulfillment of a promise to her friend, who made her vow to pursue her dream of opening a jewelry business and using money from that to open a hospice in her name.

Napper decided to design a pin that would capture the pain and emotion that she and her friend had experienced. Eventually, she sold more than 15,000 pins, raising nearly \$500,000 for breast cancer research. The pin, designed in 1994, has a teardrop Swarovski crystal symbolic of the tears shed over the disease and a pearl representing hope.

Last year the foundation reached a milestone-over \$1 million dollars raised, which all went toward research. Now, more than ever, due to the high number of young women being diagnosed, there is a true urgency to find a cure. This remains the continued effort of this foundation.

This October 7th, A Glimmer of Hope Foundation has partnered with Home Depot for the first annual "CLAYS FOR THE CURE" event to be held at Seven Springs Clay Course. **At this event, every target you hit is a win for breast cancer research! So please join us and make a difference in the lives of these young women.**

CLAYS FOR THE CURE HOSTS:

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Diana Napper—*Founder, A Glimmer of Hope*

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