



Boogie on Low Beach

Friday, July 21, 6:15pm. — Midnight

Many on Nantucket have experienced first-hand the effects of cancer. Many of those same people have benefited from the generosity and tenacity of the Dana-Farber Cancer Institute in Boston. The Institute strives to offer patients expert and compassionate care while advancing the search for a cure and for more effective treatments of cancer and cancer-related diseases. For the third year in a row, summer resident George Cloutier and his companion Tiffany Spadafora will host the Boogie on Low Beach, a "fun" raiser benefiting Dana-Farber, at their home at 40 Low Beach Road in 'Sconset. This year's theme is a Nantucket-style Mardi Gras, featuring the Storyville Stompers Brass Band from New Orleans along with traditional Louisiana-style food including jambalaya, red beans and rice, and King Cake dessert. Last year's event raised \$600,000 for Dana-Farber, with \$35,000 going to the Home Health Department of Nantucket Cottage Hospital. A half dozen islanders who are living with or helping others with cancer will be specially honored. It's a hot ticket and fun night of cocktails, schmoozing, live and silent auctions and dancing until midnight after a 6 PM starting time. Organizers have encouraged corporate sponsors and the purchase of entire tables, but individual tickets are \$300. For tickets and more information, visit www.danafarbernantucket.com or call 508-257-6688.