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## Pittsburgh Pirates President, Frank Coonelly to keynote Larry's Hometown Heroes

Ticket proceeds will benefit the Wounded Warrior Project

PITTSBURGH – NewsRadio 1020 KDKA and Morning Host, Larry Richert announce that Pittsburgh Pirates President, Frank Coonelly will serve as the Keynote Speaker at Larry Richert Honors our Hometown Heroes at the Lexus Club at PNC Park on Thursday, March 6, 2014. Jason Braase, a member of Warriors Speak, a Wounded Warrior Project (WWP) program will also serve as a guest speaker. Tickets are \$125 and proceeds benefit WWP.

Larry's Heroes honors five ordinary individuals in the community who have done extraordinary things. Those being honored are Anne Davis founder of Horses with Hope, a therapeutic riding center; Hazel Jackson, who built a Food Service Ministry at St. James African Methodist Episcopal Church; Monica Michna for aiding the disabled and veteran community as the Chapter President of Achilles International; Terrie Suica-Reed, the creator of Phase 4 Learning Center, a school for inner city kids that have been lost in the public education system and Megs Yunn, founder of a non-profit group called Beverly's Birthdays, providing birthday celebrations for children in local homeless shelters. Each hero will receive a \$1,000 donation to a charity of their choice.

Also in the audience will be local Wounded Warriors along with staff from the Pittsburgh Wounded Warrior Office. "We have met some amazing people since we started the Hero's campaign last year at KDKA Radio." Larry Richert said. "It's rewarding to share these special stories while supporting the Pittsburgh office of Wounded Warrior Project, a vital resource in helping us serve the men and women in uniform who have served all of us. You can't help be touched by the love in our community."

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The event begins at 5:30 PM and tickets are available through Eventbrite. More information can be found at [KDKA.com/heroes](http://KDKA.com/heroes).

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