

NEWS RELEASE

GENIE® and WAYNE DALTON® SPONSOR AMERICAN CANCER SOCIETY EMPLOYEE RUN AND WALK



MT.HOPE, OH (July 11, 2013) - The Genie[®] Company, America's most recognized name in garage door openers, in conjunction with its sister division Wayne Dalton[®], a leading national manufacturer of residential and commercial garage doors, recently sponsored an employee 5k run and one mile walk at its corporate facilities to raise funds for the on-going battle against cancer.

The event benefitted the Relay for Life charity with the added bonus of helping to promote the employee wellness programs of both companies. Festivities took place during the workday in order to promote team spirit and camaraderie and featured free T-shirts and special prizes for participants.

Mike Kridel, President of Genie, said, "The fight against cancer is something that almost everyone can personally relate to in one way or another. I'm very impressed with all of our participants and organizers for their efforts to raise money for such a worthy cause. Genie and Wayne-Dalton share the campus here in Mt. Hope and we have quite a few employees who take advantage of our on-site fitness facilities. Combining an event that promotes general health, such as running and walking, with the great cause of Relay for Life is a natural fit."

Anne Wallick of Strasburg took first place in the female division of the 5k run while Greg Allen of Mansfield won the male division.

The Genie Company employs over 300 at its corporate office in Mt. Hope and manufacturing plant in Baltic. Genie's sister division, Wayne-Dalton, has over 700 employees at its Mt. Hope, Dalton, and Trail manufacturing facilities and offices, in addition to a Wayne Dalton Genie Sales Center in Green.

Genie and Wayne-Dalton are divisions of Dallas, Texas-based Overhead Door Corporation, which employs 3,500 between all of its divisions nationwide.

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