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Clearview FCU and Pitt Athletics Present Donation to JDRF of Western Pennsylvania

Pittsburgh, Pa. – Clearview Federal Credit Union recently presented a \$9,960 donation to JDRF of Western Pennsylvania as part of the Points for Pediatrics program with the University of Pittsburgh.

Through this program, Clearview pledged to donate \$40 for each 3-point basket made by the Pitt men's basketball team during the 2017-2018 regular season games. Throughout the season, Pitt players made a total of 249 three-point baskets, earning a \$9,960 donation from Clearview.

On May 7, 2018, Clearview President & CEO Ron Celaschi presented a check to Steve Shivak, Executive Director for JDRF of Western Pennsylvania. To cheer on the cause, Pitt cheerleaders also attended the presentation, along with a JDRF family whose lives are impacted daily by Type 1 Diabetes.

This is the ninth year that Clearview has sponsored the Points for Pediatrics program with Pitt Athletics. Since 2010, Clearview has donated a total of \$44,660 to JDRF of Western Pennsylvania through the Pitt Points for Pediatrics Program.

Steve Shivak, Executive Director of JDRF, commented, "The Clearview Federal Credit Union Points for Pediatrics partnership is so important to JDRF. We love how Clearview, the University of Pittsburgh Athletic program and the Pitt men's basketball team help raise awareness of type 1 diabetes and make raising money so fun and exciting, especially knowing this was a record year for 3-point baskets. Clearview's generous donation brings us closer to our vision of a world without Type 1 Diabetes."

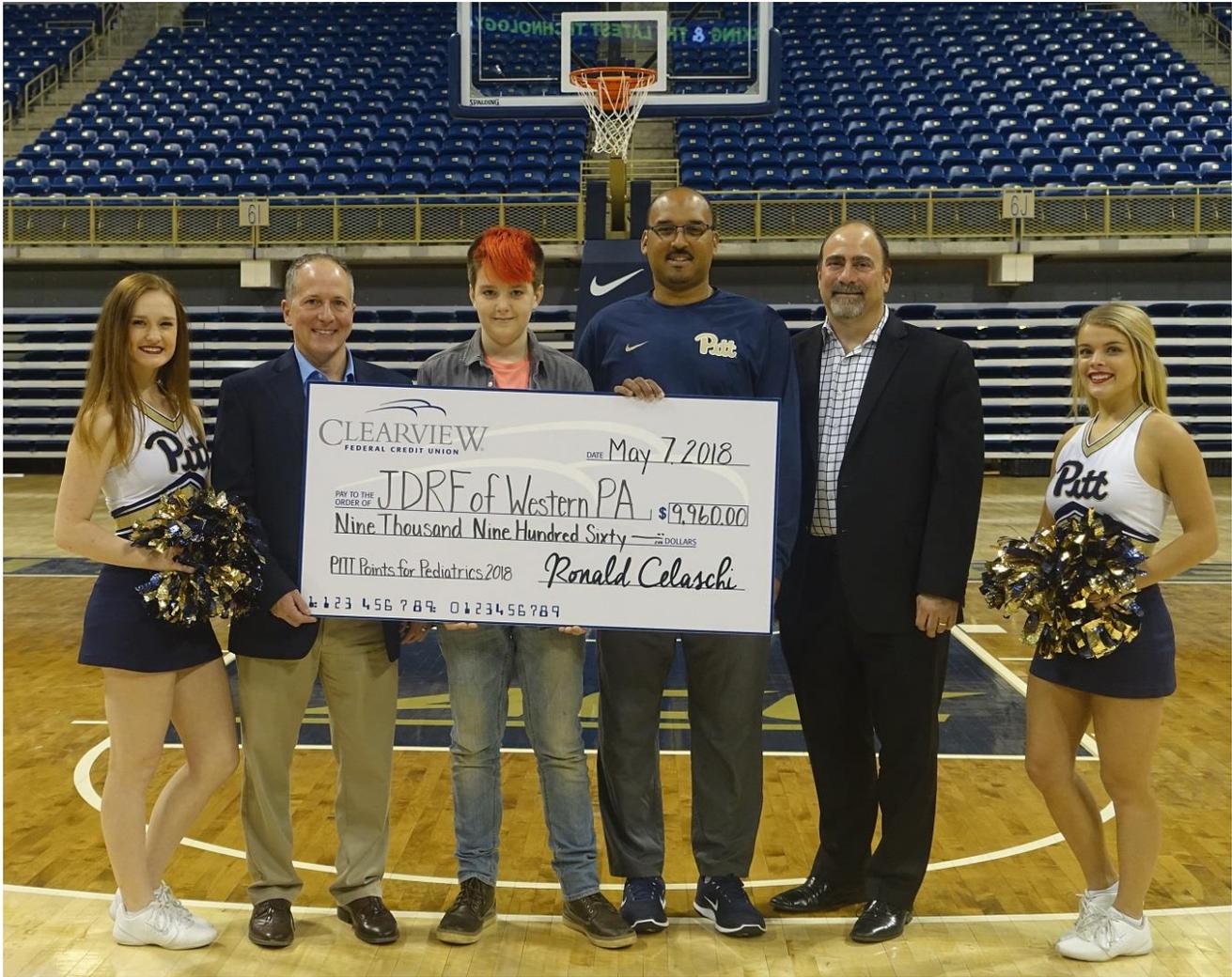
Clearview's President & CEO Ron Celaschi commented, "For almost a decade, we've proudly been a partner in the fight against Type 1 diabetes which impacts so many each and every year. Supporting local charities like JDRF is an honor for us because they make such an incredible difference in lives of those within our community. All of the Pitt players' hard work has truly paid off in a wonderful way."

JDRF is the only global organization with a strategic plan to end Type 1 Diabetes (T1D). JDRF's mission: Accelerating life-changing breakthroughs to cure, prevent and treat type 1 diabetes and its complications. Through research efforts, JDRF will turn Type One into Type None.

The University of Pittsburgh was founded in 1787. The University's over 12,000 employees serve about 29,000 students through their 16 undergraduate, graduate and professional schools.

Clearview Federal Credit Union serves close to 100,000 members, with reported assets valued over \$1.2 billion as of February 2018. Membership in Clearview is open to individuals who live, work, worship, attend school or volunteer in the Southwestern Pennsylvania community, which includes Allegheny, Armstrong, Beaver, Butler, Fayette, Greene, Indiana, Lawrence, Washington and Westmoreland counties. Membership is also open to immediate family members of current Clearview members. Visit clearviewfcu.org for more information.

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One of Pitt's new Assistant Coaches, Milan Brown, along with two of the Pitt Cheerleaders, celebrated the program and Clearview's donation with a local family who benefits from the services of JDRF. (Left to right): Pitt Cheerleader Nikki Wall, Clearview's President & CEO Ronald Celaschi, Logan K. of Bentleyville, Pitt Assistant Basketball Coach Milan Brown, JDRF's Executive Director Steven Shivak, & Pitt Cheerleader Francheska Pokora.



Logan K. of Bentleyville was treated to a tour of Pitt's Basketball facilities, along with JDRF Executive Director Steven Shivak and Clearview's President & CEO Ronald Celaschi.

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