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## Assabet Valley Staff Bowls for Dollars

When one of their own was diagnosed with cancer, the Assabet Valley staff rallied to offer support in several ways. Initially, staff members were urged to send a flurry of cards and letters of encouragement, hoping to lessen the pain through smiles. More recently, a bowling fundraiser was held at the Shrewsbury AMF Lanes. There were 63 people who attended the Rosie Bowl, which raised \$430.00. These proceeds will go toward a scholarship for an Assabet student who has overcome an adversity, while the 50/50 proceeds will help provide support for their colleague during the next round of chemotherapy treatments. The school is planning to hold another event in the spring, hoping to raise enough to make it a \$1,000.00 scholarship.

"When we approached Christine Contreras from AMF headquarters, she was so helpful and did everything she could to make this work for us. Everyone had such a good time, we will definitely do it again in the spring," remarked Andrea Cronin, one of the event organizers.

Tagline: Assabet Valley staff members enjoy a fundraising event at the AMF Lanes in Shrewsbury.