

Brad's Story

During his freshman year of high school, Brad played basketball and varsity football. In addition, he was one of three students in his grade to receive an academic scholarship to high school. With close friends and a steady girlfriend, Brad had a great life. During his sophomore year, one fateful night changed his life forever. Brad left a party with his best friends, one of which was driving drunk and without a license. A high-speed crash ejected Brad from the car even though he was wearing his seat belt. Shortly after the accident, doctors declared Brad braindead, although he eventually awoke from a coma. Brad suffered a traumatic brain injury that affects his motor skills. Although Brad can walk and talk, he usually relies on a wheelchair and a computer to communicate.

Brad developed a passion to give back to the community. "By telling other young adults about my struggles and the decisions I have made in my life, I hope to be able to take a negative outcome and turn into a positive for others. If my story causes one person to second guess their actions in different situations or to view their life in a different light, then I have accomplished my goal".

In addition to sharing his story to prevent others from making similar mistakes, Brad also wants to raise awareness about people with disabilities. Just because someone is in a wheelchair or has any other disability, doesn't mean that they can't be a swimsuit model!. "I want to break the stigma of being handicapped...and just make it celebrated with this calendar". Brad's mission is to change how society views persons with disabilities while empowering those with disabilities.

Brad Fritz has a dream to create a swimsuit calendar featuring disabled models. Brad wants the calendar to empower individuals with disabilities to believe in themselves and their capabilities. In addition, Brad wants to change the way others see persons with disabilities. He hopes that others will look beyond the disability through the calendar and see the person.

You can help!

We need donors to offset the cost of creating, printing, and distributing the calendars. We are also looking for partners to sell the calendars in their place of business.

Please complete the form below and return with your check to:

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Gift Amount

\$100 \$200

\$500

\$1000

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- __ I would like to be listed as a sponsor on the back page of the calendar.
- __ I would like to support Brad by selling calendars in my store.
- __ I would like to volunteer my time by assisting with the photos or mailing calendars.

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