

## Hope and Support for Layla

Layla is a sweet and brave little four year old girl full of love, smiles and hugs. It is no coincidence that she was born on Valentine's Day.

Unfortunately, Layla suffers from seizures caused by a very rare brain tumor, known as Hypothalamic Hamartoma. (HH). This affects 1 in every 200,000 people.

Thankfully this type of tumor is benign, but causes gelastic seizures also known as "gelastic epilepsy." This type of seizure, which involves a sudden burst of energy, usually in the form of laughing or crying and usually occurs for no obvious reason.

The Pike County Sheriff's Office is sponsoring a fundraiser to help offset medical and travel expenses. Layla, Lyndsay and Chris (her mommy and daddy) will be traveling to Texas Children's Hospital in Houston for Layla's surgery. They will need to stay in Texas for approx. 3 weeks.

**\*\*\*\*\*Spaghetti dinner @ the Shohola Firehouse \*\*\*\*\***

**November 10, 2018**

**4:00 to 7:00 PM**

**Tickets are \$10.00 each and can purchased at the Pike County Sheriff's office**

**Or call 570-296-6459 ext. 1278**

Thank you to everyone for your love and support.

Please keep Layla and her family in your prayers.

