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## A's players Buchter and Hendriks to distribute "Brave Gowns" to patients at Kaiser Permanente Medical Center in Oakland on Wednesday, Sept. 4

WHAT:

Oakland A's players Ryan Buchter and Liam Hendriks are scheduled to join team mascot Stomper to visit patients at Kaiser Permanente Medical Center in Oakland on Wednesday, Sept. 4 at 11 a.m. The group will distribute 200 A's branded "Brave Gowns" to young patients, pass out A's goodies, and play with kids in the playroom.

The visit is in partnership with Major League Baseball and is part of the Starlight Children's Foundation, "Brave Gowns" program, which brings fun, logoed hospital gowns for children to wear while undergoing treatment.

The hospital visit comes in advance of the league-wide Childhood Cancer Awareness Day on Saturday, Sept. 7, in recognition of September as National Childhood Cancer Awareness Month in partnership with Stand Up To Cancer (SU2C). On-field personnel, including players, coaches, umpires, and grounds crew members, will wear gold ribbon decals and wristbands during all games that day.

**WHEN:** Wednesday, Sept. 4

11 a m to noon

**WHERE:** Kaiser Permanente Medical Center

3600 Broadway Ave., Oakland CA 94611

**MEDIA NOTE:** If you plan to attend this event, please RSVP to Erica George. Parking and hospital access

information will be provided upon RSVP.

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