Members of Burleson Professional Fire Fighters Association Local #4025 are fighting back against cancer during Breast Cancer Awareness Month by selling t-shirts that sport the slogan “Courage for the Cure.” A portion of the proceeds from the sales will benefit the Careity Foundation.

The black t-shirts feature “Burleson Fire Department” in the top rocker and “Courage for the Cure” in the bottom rocker of the design. In the center of the pink Maltese cross is a firefighter kneeling, holding the nozzle of the hose. The hose morphs in to a pink ribbon, which is the symbol for breast cancer. The Maltese cross includes IAF Local 4025.

The shirts are being sold at Fire Station #1, 828 S.W. Alsbury Blvd. Stop by between 8 a.m. and 5 p.m., Monday-Thursday and 8 a.m.-noon on Fridays. Each t-shirt is $15. T-shirt sizes range from adult small to 3X. You can also place an order for a hoodie sweatshirt. The firefighters must have a minimum of 12 hoodie requests to process the special order. Hoodie sweatshirts are $25, and the payment must be made when the order is placed. The deadline to place a hoodie order is noon on Friday, Oct. 18.

Firefighters will be selling the 2013 breast cancer shirts at the City’s Oct. 26 Boo Bash. That event is 6 p.m.-8 p.m. in Old Town. T-shirts from previous years will also be available for sale at the event.

The Careity Foundation is a Texas 501(c) 3 dedicated to providing on-site support services in an oncology setting for economically challenged cancer patients and through early detection in North Texas. The pediatric palliative care program is directed at providing relief to children with devastating diseases and life threatening illnesses at Cook Children's Hospital in Fort Worth.

For more information about the t-shirts, call Fire Station #1 at 817-426-9176.