

# Colossal Colon Tour

## Learn the real story on colon cancer at several locations near you

Our giant inflatable colon is back on the road this March for Colon Cancer Awareness Month! The Shepard Cancer Foundation is partnering with Vidant Beaufort Hospital and Vidant Gastroenterology in Washington for our local initiative to spread cancer prevention awareness. What better way to teach people about colon cancer than by registering for Dinner with gastroenterologist, Thomas Ruffolo or walking through an inflatable colon that features various stages of disease including normal colon tissue, Crohn's Disease, polyp, malignant polyp, colon cancer and advanced colon cancer?

### The Colossal Colon Tour is coming to a location near you!

Monday, March 4 at Rachel K's Bakery, 9:00 – 11:00 am

Monday, March 11 at Walmart, 9:00 – 11:00 am

Monday, March 18 at King Chicken, 9:00 – 11:00 am

Monday, March 25 at BCCC, 9:00 – 11:00 am



### Dinner with a Doc featuring Dr. Thomas Ruffolo

March 7 | 6:00 – 8:00 pm

Martelles Feedhouse in Engelhard

March 14 | 6:00 – 8:00 pm

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Let's face it, it isn't easy to discuss what happens in the bathroom. But what if it could save your life? Come hear local gastroenterologist, Dr. Thomas Ruffolo, discuss the difference between prevention and early detection, share information about the signs and symptoms of colon cancer, and explain how early screenings are saving lives.

Event is free but registration is required.

Call toll free at 855-MYVIDANT (855-698-4326)

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## WHY should I learn more about colon cancer?

Everyone has the risk of developing colon cancer

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Symptoms can be missed or mistaken for 'tummy troubles'

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Colon cancer is preventable and can be treated when caught early

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Event is made possible by the Shepard Cancer Foundation  
Dinner will be served.

