

# More Than \$21,000 Raised So Far For Cancer Research by One Hair Studio *by Heather Balch.*

In the past three years, Avocado Hair Studio in Tantallon has been raising money for cancer and, in that three years, it has raised over \$21,000.

In this year's Titz N Glitz fundraising attempts, Lisa Rondeau from Giant Steps Daycare raised \$2,330 all on her own by getting her head shaved and collecting on the pledges.

She is challenging the people at all other daycare centers to get involved in the next head shaving

event in April 2007.

The youngest participant for this year's event, Tatiana Clark, was only nine years old.

"Some of the people I talked with said they got involved when they heard that some women couldn't afford to follow through with their chemotherapy because they couldn't afford child care while they were away from the home getting treatment," said Heather Balch.

"That's where Titz N Glitz becomes so important to these women," Heather continued. "The organization raises funds specifically to help women that need short term financial assistance while dealing with this terrible disease."

Dale Ensinger, co-owner of the Avocado, says everyone has been touched in their lives by cancer of some type and she is deeply sympathetic.



Dale Ensinger of Avocado shaves one of the many heads to support Cancer.