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Kids' Chance Golf Tournament raises over \$40,000 for Scholarship Fund

Baltimore, MD: Kids' Chance of Maryland, Inc. held its annual golf tournament and scholarship fundraiser on Monday, July 17, at Rocky Point Golf Course in Essex. The tournament raised over \$40,000 for the Kids' Chance of Maryland, Inc. Scholarship Fund that will be awarded to children of workers killed or injured on the job.

"Kids 'Chance of Maryland would like to say a heartfelt 'Thank you' to everyone who made the 2023 Golf Tournament a major success! We couldn't have asked for better weather, or a better group of golfers, donors, sponsors, and volunteers that helped bring this event to life. As they say, 'It takes a village,' and our community stepped up in a major way!" Tom Phelan, Kids ' Chance of Maryland President.

Team Rehab at Work, of Rockville, MD, consisting of Matt Drzik, Nathan Paraska, Zach Erwin and Andy Nussdorf came in first out of 30 teams. Winners for Closest to the Pin were Dan Leibfeld, Brian Herring and Bruce Laird. Nate Paraska won the Men's Longest Drive, Ashley Strandjuel for Women's Longest Drive and Gary Claassen for Senior's Longest Drive.

The tournament was sponsored by Dr. John Parkerson; Aaron Schwartz; Worker's Comp Law Firm, LLC; Comp-X Medical Management Services; Tarpine, Heller, Pendergrass LLC; Warnken Law Firm; Dane Street; EZ Scripts Pharmacy; MC Innovations, LLC; Premier Mediation & Resolution Services, LLC; Barbara Zerolnik; Erlandson, Vernon & Daney, LLC; Schlachman, Belsky, Weiner, & Davey, P.A.; Support Claim Services; MedRisk; Semmes, Bowen & Semmes, Berman, Sobin & Gross LLP; First Rehabilitation Resources; Beiser Law Firm; Jeffrey Weinberg Mediation; MES Solutions; Everest Care/Aurora Case Management; ISG; Houlon, Berman, Finci and Levenstein, LLC; Tom and Patty Phelan; Rehab at Work and Genex/Apricus

Next year's tournament is tentatively scheduled for July 15, 2024.

A 1K Fun Run and Corn Hole Tournament for Kids' Chance of Maryland, Inc. will be held on October 2-3, 2023, at the Ashore Resort & Beach Club in Ocean City as part of the Maryland Workers Compensation Education Association Conference. Registration is open at mwcea.net.

About Kids' Chance of Maryland, Inc.

Kids' Chance of Maryland, Inc. is part of the national organization, Kids' Chance of America. Since 1996, Kids' Chance of Maryland, Inc. has provided scholarships to the children of Maryland's catastrophically injured workers. Every year, hundreds of workers are disabled by on-the-job injuries and, tragically, about 60 workers in Maryland lose their lives. Kids' Chance of Maryland, Inc. provides an opportunity for the children of these workers to pursue higher education, reach their goals, and fulfill their dreams for the future. Learn more at www.kidschance-md.org.

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