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Annual “TD Bank Golf Tournament to Benefit the NMCC Foundation” to be held at Aroostook Valley Country Club August 11

Aroostook County - Officials with TD Bank and the Northern Maine Community College Foundation have announced plans to host their sixth annual golf tournament at the Aroostook Valley Country Club in Fort Fairfield on Thursday, August 11. Last year’s event was a huge success with 34 teams competing in the three-person team best ball scramble.

“TD Bank is pleased to again partner on this most enjoyable and beneficial event. Funds raised will support the many worthwhile ongoing activities of the NMCC Foundation and will provide important scholarships for many worthy students through the TD Bank Scholarship Fund,” said Michael Kelley, Sr., regional vice president of TD Bank. “As title sponsor, TD Bank is proud to be a partner with organizations such as NMCC, and, most importantly, pleased to be able to support area students in their quest to pursue higher education.”

In addition to the title sponsor TD Bank, MMG Insurance Company of Presque Isle, Quigley’s Building Supply of Fort Kent and Coca-Cola Bottling Company of Presque Isle, along with the Northern Maine Development Commission, Aramark and WAGM-TV, are major sponsors of the event. Last year’s tournament raised over \$16,000, and this year’s event promises to be even more successful with the addition of several new sponsors.

The tournament will also feature a hole-in-one prize, a cruise package sponsored by CruiseOne. Lunch will be provided by Aramark.

Among the hole sponsors are A&L Construction, Inc., Buck Construction, County Super Spuds Inc., Daigle Oil Company, Daigle & Houghton, Inc., Graves Supermarkets, Inc., Huber Engineered Woods, LLC, Husson University, Lynox Welding Supply and Sure Winner Foods. Half hole sponsors include Amanda Blade, LMT, Cary Medical Center, F.A. Peabody Company, Frank Martin Sons, Inc., Griffeth Ford Lincoln Mercury, Maine Public Service, Presque Isle Rotary Club, TAMC, Thompson-Hamel, LLC, United Insurance-Hayden/Perry Agency, Mars Hill/Hillside and Star City IGAs. Other tournament supporters include Country Collectibles, and Irish Setter Pub.

A silent auction following the tournament will include items donated by several businesses: Arby's, Aroostook Centre Mall, Aroostook Valley Country Club, Ben's Trading Post, Bradley's Citgo and Car Wash, Chandler Farms, Inc., County Physical Therapy, Cushman's Embroidery, Dead River Company, Braden Theater, H & K Tutoring, Hampton Inn of Presque Isle, Harry's Motor Sports, Hedrich Vending, Inc., Katahdin Trust Company, Kentucky Fried Chicken, Morning Star Art & Framing, Pat's Pizza, Pizza Hut, Rathbun Lumber Company, Subway, Sunrise Beads, S.W. Collins Company, and Swamp Buck Restaurant.

"I encourage all to come support this wonderful event," said Shannon Cook, of the NMCC Foundation. "We are pleased to again have the partnership with TD Bank and the support they give to this major fundraiser. We look forward to another successful event this summer. This golf tournament supports the NMCC Foundation's scholarship fundraising and directly benefits students."

Non-golfers are also welcome to attend the dinner and silent auction. Individuals interested in playing in the tournament, attending the dinner or supporting the event through a sponsorship or silent auction donation can contact Cook in the NMCC Foundation Office at 760-1188 or scook@nmcc.edu.

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The annual TD Bank Golf Tournament to benefit the NMCC Foundation regularly draws golfers and supporters of NMCC and customers of TD Bank from throughout Aroostook County and other parts of Maine. Among the participants in the 2010 tournament were (left to right) Gene Lynch of Presque Isle; Larry Wold of Portland, president of TD Bank in Maine; Greg Clark of Presque Isle; Michael Kelley, Sr. of Washburn, regional vice president of TD Bank; Phil Grondin of Yarmouth; and Norman Berube of Scarborough. This year's event is planned for August 11 at the Aroostook Valley Country Club.