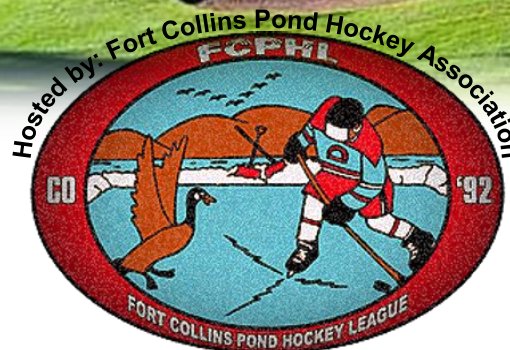


SPONSORSHIP GUIDE

9th Annual Paul Thompson Memorial Gopher Classic Golf Tournament

Red Feather Lakes
3350 Fox Acres Drive East
Red Feather Lakes, CO 80545



Tournament Date:
Friday, Sept. 13, 2024
10 a.m. – 4 p.m.

Benefiting **Northern Colorado Youth Hockey**

Northern Colorado cares about our youth

Your sponsorship dollars benefit our local community

NoCo Pond Hockey Association

Est. 1992

We Believe in the "3 C's": Community, Charity and Challenge. The Fort Collins Pond Hockey League is a 501(c)3 non-profit organization that provides access to the sport of pond hockey in Northern Colorado. We believe that hockey is best enjoyed when it is simple, free of charge and left in the outdoors where it belongs. It's our goal to build community by bringing people of different ages, genders and backgrounds together to enjoy this great game.

Through our stewardship of the Prospect Ponds in Fort Collins (otherwise known as the "Home Pond"), we act to maintain the ice so that others may experience this unique opportunity to enjoy a great game in the company of great friends. Charitable funds raised during our events are used to help develop local youth hockey programming, to support select high-value community programs, and to also support individual hockey players and their families during times of severe illness or injury.

Come celebrate Paul's legacy by championing the well-being of young people across northern Colorado. Join us in nurturing their physical and mental health, ensuring a brighter future for generations to come.

Northern Colorado Youth Hockey

We're thrilled to announce our beneficiary, Northern Colorado Youth Hockey, where every golf swing you take will make a difference in the lives of young athletes.

Together, We Can Make a Difference:

Imagine the joy on a child's face when they step onto the ice for the first time. That's the impact you'll have. Join us on the greens, tee off for a cause, and let's ensure that every aspiring hockey player gets their shot at the net.

Supporting Families in Need:

All proceeds from this tournament will directly benefit players who require financial assistance to cover the costs of youth hockey. We believe that every child should have the opportunity to lace up their skates, hit the ice, and experience the camaraderie of team sports. By participating, you're not just playing golf; you're investing in the dreams of young hockey players. Your contribution will help pay for equipment, league fees, and ice time, ensuring that no child is left behind due to financial constraints.

Here's how your contributions will be distributed:

1. Aspiring young hockey players will complete an application outlining their specific needs.
2. They'll also be invited to express their dedication to the sport and explain how financial assistance would impact them personally and highlight the transformative impact your generosity could have on their hockey journey and beyond.

Title Sponsor:

Cost: \$3,000

- Large banner at registration table.
- Bow flag at the #1 hole (Paul Thompson Memorial Hole, in front of clubhouse where everyone gathers).
- Logo on Website.
- Social media and all marketing material.
- Company name mention in emails to players.
- Shout outs during the day and at the banquet.
- 1 free foursome entry into the tournament.

Paul Thompson CPR/AED training hole:

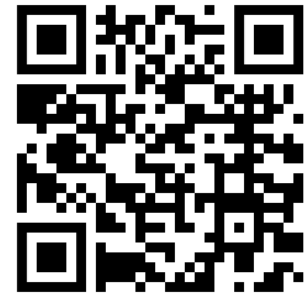
Cost: \$3,000

- **Your company will receive an AED** and employees will be taught hands only CPR and how to use the AED.
- Logo on the sign at the CPR area in front of the clubhouse.
- Shout outs throughout the day.
- Logo on website and post on social media.
- Teach golfers how to save a life and increase survival of a cardiac events in northern Colorado.

Banquet and Award Show Sponsor:

Cost: \$2,000

- Prominent exposure of your logo via a banner at the award ceremony in the clubhouse and on the banquet tabletops.
- Large logo on website, social media and player pamphlet recognition.
- Shout outs throughout the day.



Scan the QR code to
learn Hands-Only CPR
UCHealth Healthy Hearts and Minds



Player Gifts: 2 spots for co-sponsors **Cost: \$1,000**

- Logo on each player gift (umbrella, CapX baseball hat, etc.)
- Large logo on website and social media post.

Cart Sponsor:

Cost: \$1,000

- Logo on tournament rules and individual hole contest in every cart.
- Large logo on website and social media post.
- Shout outs during the tournament.



Beer Cup:

Cost: \$750

- Logo on re-usable beer cups at keg holes on the course.
- Logo on website and thank you on social media.
- Shout outs at the tournament.

Beverage Cart:

Cost: \$500

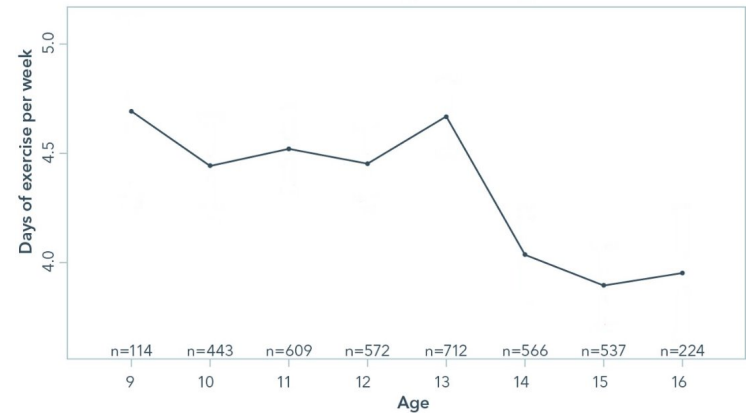
- Logo on the cart.
- Shout outs from the beverage cart.
- Logo on website and thank you on social media.

Middle School Girls

Research shows that girls' participation in sports tends to drop significantly during middle school. Why? Social pressures, lack of representation and stereotypes play a role.

Our mission is to reverse this trend. By supporting our golf tournament, you're empowering girls to stay in the game. Let's break down barriers and encourage them to keep playing,

Exercise compared to age.



Hole in one:

Cost: \$1,000

- Logo at 4 - par 3 holes to win big prizes.
- Large logo at \$10,000 hole in one contest at #18 signature hole.
- Large logo on website, social media post and player pamphlet.

Driving range:

Cost: \$500

- Bow flag or large sponsor sign at driving range.
- Logo on website and post on social media.
- Shout outs at the tournament.



Putting Green

Cost: \$500

- Bow flag or large sponsor at the putting green.
- Logo on website and post on social media.
- Shout outs at the tournament.

Golf Holes:

Cost: \$150

- Logo at the hole.
- Small logo on player pamphlet.

Improving Physical Health for Youth

Physical Hockey is a dynamic sport that engages the whole body. Skating improves cardiovascular fitness, while stick handling and shooting enhance coordination and strength.

Plus, the adrenaline rush during a game? It's better than any energy drink!



Improving Mental Health for Youth

Team sports foster resilience, discipline, and teamwork. They provide an outlet for stress, boost self-esteem, and create lasting friendships. When kids step onto the rink, they're not just chasing a puck—they're building character.



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The Golf Club at Fox Acres
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*It's that time of year again. . . Come out to enjoy
a day of elevated golf with us in the warm
Colorado sunshine while helping to raise money
to remove the financial barriers
for youth to play hockey.*

To become a sponsor or to
register for the tournament
scan the QR code below.



About the Event

Pricing: \$650 per foursome

Who can Register:

All ages and levels of golf talent welcome.

Registration Options:

Register as a foursome, threesome, twosome or single golfer. Register as a "Free Agent" and we will work to get you onto a team.

Tournament Format:

Shotgun start, 4 person scramble

What's Included in Registration:

18 holes of pristine golf, golf cart, driving range use, player gift bag, beer at select holes on the course and post-tournament dinner reception.

Questions:

For questions or more information, please contact

registrar@nocopondhockey.org or call

Dave Beichley (c) 970.481.8070

Lodging

Fox Acres has 16 hotel rooms on-site that are available for booking. Please see their lodging webpage for details about these rooms: GCFA Lodging. The majority of rooms have two queen beds. Each team is allowed a 2 room maximum. Once you have registered a team, you may contact the staff at Fox Acres to book lodging: **Phone: (970) 881-2574**

Email: dkennedy@golfclubatfoxacres.com

Other nearby lodging options are available through VRBO, Hometogo, Airbnb, Rent by Owner, Ramona Lakes Cabins, Beaver Meadows Resort Ranch, Lone Pine Reality and Vacation Rentals.