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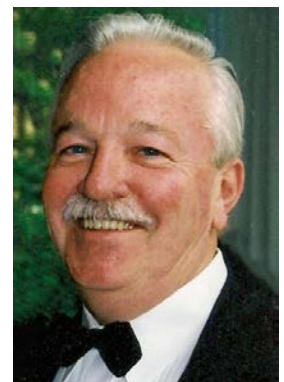
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Get “Your Passport to Fun” at the Family Hospice and Palliative Care 29th Annual Golf Benefit, May 23

PITTSBURGH – March 9, 2016 – Family Hospice and Palliative Care is welcoming the return of golf to the Olympic games after 112 years with an “Olympic-sized” Golf Benefit on May 23 at the Valley Brook Country Club, McMurray, PA.

All competitors have a chance at medaling in one or more events, including a hole-in-one for \$50,000 sponsored by USA Compression, hole-in-one for a two-year vehicle lease sponsored by Bobby Rahal Automotive and skill prizes for the best score, longest drive, longest putt and closest to the pin. Golfers can also participate in the 100m Duckie Freestyle, sponsored by Julian Gray Associates, by sponsoring a duckie for \$5 from the country of choice to swim the Country Club stream. Sponsor of the winning duck will receive a prize.

Registration will begin at 9:30 a.m. with a shotgun start at 11 a.m. A silent auction begins at 4 p.m. and includes condominium stays at Hilton Head, SC; Topsail, NC and Snowshoe, WV, as well as tickets to sporting and cultural events, and more. Beginning at 4:30 p.m., the awards dinner will feature international fare and Pittsburgh sports author Jim O’Brien as emcee. All golfers will receive a signed copy of his book *Fantasy Camp: Living the Dream with Maz and the ‘60s Bucs*. Non-golfers are also welcome to attend the dinner and silent auction and can purchase tickets individually.



Various levels of involvement, including individual golfer and foursome registration, are available. All monies raised from the Golf Benefit help to provide charitable care and bereavement services, such as Camp Healing Hearts for grieving children. Family Hospice invites members of the community to carry the torch be a champion for local families who need support.

Registration is available online at www.FamilyHospicePA.org. For more information, contact Christine Jamison, special events coordinator, at 412-572-8812 or cjamison@familyhospicePA.org.

About Family Hospice:

Family Hospice and Palliative Care has been providing compassionate care throughout Western Pennsylvania since 1980. As the area’s largest nonprofit hospice provider, Family Hospice serves nine counties in the region, helping patients make choices about their care, supporting family and friends who are grieving and educating both professionals and the community about end-of-life issues. Through a commitment to quality services, Family Hospice provides a complete continuum of care to patients and families. For more information, visit FamilyHospicePA.org, www.Facebook.com/FamilyHospicePA or Twitter.com/FamilyHospice.