



Rooney's Golf Foundation Tournament to Benefit Local Charities

James Patterson – Honorary Chair

West Palm Beach – Award-winning author, James Patterson will be the honorary chair for the 10th Annual Rooney's Golf Foundation Charity Golf Tournament. The event is scheduled for Thursday, October 27th at PGA National. Local Rooney Family businesses Palm Beach Kennel Club and Rooney's Pubs will coordinate the tournament with a committee of volunteers. This year the tournament will benefit the Autism Project of Palm Beach County, FAU Honors College, Pathways to Independence and Potentia Academy. The official sponsors are: Preferred Air-Conditioning & Mechanical, Inc and 1ST United Bank.

"This year is our 10th Anniversary and we plan to make it our biggest and best tournament ever!" said RGF Tournament Director, Alexis Barbish. "And now to have the world famous author, James Patterson involved, we could not be more excited. We are looking forward to seeing him on the course for the big event," she added.

The tournament will be played at PGA National Resort & Spa on the Champion, Palmer and Squire Courses. Exciting raffles and prizes will also be available with a chance to win a great vacation getaway, a big screen TV and much more. The tournament gets underway at 1:00pm with a shotgun start. After the tournament, a buffet dinner & awards ceremony will be held at Rooney's Public House at Abacoa. The RGF will also present its' 2nd Annual Poker Tournament on Saturday, October 15th at the Palm Beach Kennel Club to benefit the charities.

Since 2001, the annual golf tournaments and Rooney's Golf Foundation has donated over \$250,000 to local Palm Beach County charities.

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