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‘Make a Hole, Make a Difference’ – Registration underway for Pamlico CC Foundation’s 17th annual Pepsi Cup Golf Tournament

The Pamlico Community College Foundation is inviting area golfers to chase around that little white ball for a good cause.

Registration is underway now for the 17th annual Pepsi Cup Golf Tournament benefitting the Pamlico Community College Foundation.

The tourney is scheduled for Saturday, May 20, at Minnesott Golf & Country Club, which is off N.C. 306 near Arapahoe in Pamlico County. On the day of the tournament, sign-in will begin at 8:30 a.m., with a shotgun start following at 9:30 a.m.

“The Foundation’s golf tournament is one of our biggest, most popular fundraisers of the year,” said Michelle Noevere, the primary organizer of this year’s tourney. “Everyone has a great time, and the event raises critical funds that directly help our students enroll in college, pay for their books, finish their degrees and improve their lives.

“We are fortunate to have lined up some generous sponsors for this year’s event, and we’re always looking for more. We’re also looking for players to come out and play a round for our students.”

Entry fee is \$70 per player, or \$55 for first responders, including police officers, firefighters and EMS workers. The entry fee pays for a continental breakfast at 8:30 a.m., a luncheon, golf and cart, a mulligan and a tee.

This is a superball tournament. Teams of four will compete; if you don’t have a team, you will be matched with other players to form a team.

There will be a fantastic prize for a hole-in-one on Hole No. 5: a trip for two to Hawaii **OR** \$10,000 in cash. There also will be prizes for holes-in-one on other holes, as well as prizes for the winning team, plus door prizes, a 50-50 raffle and a silent auction.

“We are so fortunate to live in a wonderful community that supports our college and supports our students,” said PCC President Dr. Jim Ross. “The Pepsi Cup Golf Tournament is a fun way to raise money for deserving PCC students and to enjoy a round of golf in a beautiful spot. You can’t beat it.”

As of May 3, the event’s Platinum Sponsors included The Pamlico News and the PCC Small Business Center. Gold Sponsors included Piedmont Natural Gas, Pamlico Quick Lube and Car Wash and Jim and Michelle Krauss. Silver Sponsors are Bojangle’s, Garland Fulcher Seafood, Hardison Tire and Towing and Superior Cranes, Inc. The law firm of Delamar & Delamar is a Hole Sponsor.

Register now at www.pamlicocc.edu/about-foundation.php or contact Michelle Noevere at 252-249-1851, ext. 3084, or mnoevere@pamlicocc.edu, for more information about playing in the tournament or about sponsorship opportunities.

The deadline to enter is May 15, so act soon!

PHOTO CAPTION: Members of the winning team at last year’s Pepsi Cup Golf Tournament were, from left, Lee Ashburn, Scott Hooks, Jim Krauss and Dave Kline. Contributed photo