



City of

"Home of the Classics"



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RE: Donations for Community Policing Programs Needed

Dear Sir or Madam,

The Auburn Police Department strives to continue providing much needed programs to our community. Unfortunately, tax dollars do not fund these programs. We are hosting our 18th Annual fundraiser to acquire the funds needed to continue the following community programs:

1. **Shop with a cop-** Providing Christmas gifts to needy children. Providing a Christmas dinner for the whole family.
2. **RAD-** Rape Aggression Defense classes for women who are abused or for women who just want to learn how to protect themselves.
3. **K9 Program-** Food and veterinary care for the K9 drug dogs. Dogs are also involved with community programs in schools and nursing homes. Last year we lost one of our beloved canines. Luckily, because of donations to our fundraiser, we were able to replace him. This year we are replacing a second canine who has recently retired after 9 years of dedicated service. Every new canine cost between \$6000.00 and \$10,000.00.
4. **Healthy Halloween-** Providing a healthy and safe alternative to Trick or Treat in an indoor facility with games and healthy treats for children up to age 13.
5. **Christmas Tours-** Taking nursing home residents out for a Christmas light tour in limousines, offering them the chance to get out for the holiday. Sometimes this is the only time they get out in the community.
6. **Thanksgiving for the needy-** We adopt a needy family for Thanksgiving, making it possible for them to have a feast for the holiday that they may otherwise not have.
7. **Pathfinder Program-** Program to mentor at risk youth ages 16-21. We take them under our wing and introduce them to a positive path in life.

How can you help? There are a few ways:

1. **Sponsor a hole** at our golf outing (*July 14th*). Sponsors receive signage for their business and are listed on the program at the event. They are also recognized in the local newspaper, as well as in social media (*unless otherwise directed*). Sponsors receive a receipt for tax write-off for cash donations.
2. **Donate an amount of your choosing.** We know that times are hard and sponsoring a hole is not always an option for businesses. Every bit helps.
3. **Donate a contest prize** (*8 Prizes of \$100.00 value are needed*)
4. **Pay (part of) a bill.** Sometimes it is easier to pay some of the costs than it is to write a donation check. Bills: Fundraiser green fees (*\$5,700.00*) or meals (*\$1500.00*). K9 food bill (*average \$120.00 per month*). *Call for information.*

5. **Buy gift cards**-Walmart shopping cards for Shop with a cop or Kroger shopping cards for holiday meals, for example.
6. **Sponsor a team.** Send a foursome to golf with us at the event. Cost per team is \$400.00. *(This covers green fees, balls and towels, lunch for the team and a \$200.00 donation for our programs).*

If requests need to go through your corporate office, please let us know. (See Bottom)
Anything you can do will be greatly appreciated. We can't do it without you.

Thank you!

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Donation Form

Business Name: _____ Contact Name: _____
Mailing Address _____
Contact Email: _____ For updates / reminders

Team Registration:

\$400.00 For each Foursome

Check enclosed _____

Invoice us _____

Hole Sponsor:

_____ **Corporate: \$1000.00** Includes Free Team, Signage & Media recognition

_____ **Gold: \$500.00** Includes Signage & Media recognition

_____ **Silver: \$250.00** Includes Signage & Media recognition

_____ **Bronze: \$150.00** Includes Signage & Media recognition

Other Sponsor:

Other amount: \$ _____

Check enclosed _____

Invoice us _____

Contest Prize Donation:

_____ I/We would like to donate an item to be used as a contest prize at the event.

_____ Please contact me to pick the item(s) up _____

_____ Item(s) will be sent to the Police Department

_____ Donation requests need to go to: _____
