

Union Brothers and Sisters,

On August 31, 2008 at 9:00 AM, the National Assn. of Letter Carriers (NALC), Branch 373, in conjunction with the local Muscular Dystrophy Assn. (MDA) will be hosting a golf tournament at St Andrews Golf Course in NE CR.

Rooms have been blocked off at the Days Inn, 2215 Blairs Ferry Rd NE; Exit 24 off of I-380. The cost is \$64.95 and can be reserved by calling 1-319-378-3948 and using the term NALC/MDA.

To maximize our MDA donation, we are hoping that local area unions will help us by sponsoring a hole at a cost of \$50.00 per hole and joining in by placing a team in the field.

We are going to discount a golf participation package for each sponsor. For \$300, any local could field a four-person team along with the sponsorship of a hole. This fee would cover the green fees, cart, beverage tickets and a meal at the luncheon as well as a nice donation to MDA.

If anyone who reads this knows of individuals or companies that could donate products to use as prizes, that would help keep our costs down and increase the MDA donation. Credit will be given in the form of a tax credit though MDA as well as in the Tournament program, verbally at the Awards Luncheon and in our monthly newsletter that is sent out to over 400 members and 60 branches.

Listed below are ways that your Local can become involved in this event.

**Entry** - \$70 per golfer on a 4-person team. Players should be members or relatives of members of the local union.

**Product** – this can be used as prizes or raffles.

**Coupons /Vouchers** – as prizes.

**Cash/Check** – this would help us purchase prizes for the event. Make checks payable to MDA.

**Sponsorship** - \$50 will sponsor a hole and pay for a sign or flag at that hole crediting your organization.

**Sponsorship + Entry** –\$300 for a full four-player team plus hole sponsorship.

We are going to award prizes to individuals who gather pledges above the \$70 entry fee. Those pledges will be collected at the event and the winner will be acknowledged at the luncheon. The tournament will be flighted and the top three winners in each flight will be given prizes. There are going to be Mulligan packages that will be tied into raffles.

Please respond to this plea within the next few weeks so that we can publicize your involvement in this event and make the participants aware of the items that are available to be won. Be advised that ALL money collected above cost stays with the Muscular Dystrophy Assn.

Thank you for your consideration and feel free to contact us with questions or mail replies

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