

## ORGANIZING A GOLF CLUB EVENT IN SUPPORT OF THE PLAYER DEVELOPMENT TRUST FUND

This information is designed for British Columbia Golf Player Development Trust Fund Directors, Junior Chairs, Zone Committees, and others who may offer to assist in the task of increasing the number of clubs participating in fund raising events on behalf of the Player Development Trust Fund.

## WHAT SOME GOLF CLUBS HAVE DONE TO RAISE FUNDS

A number of golf clubs participated in fund raising events using various strategies including:

- A club membership donated a lump sum and added to it by a raffle using several prizes donated by suppliers and members.
- A club, which has no men's night but has 4 social mixed golf events followed by a dinner, conducted a "fifty fifty" draw at each event.
- A club designated one of their weekly men's nights as "PDTF Day" and sold chances on a variety of prizes that had been solicited from members and local businesses.
- A club combined a "fifty fifty" draw with a putting contest. The club donated several prizes using funds from their men's night entry fee.
- A club's "Founders Charity" tournament donated a substantial sum. The tournament donates to several charitable organizations.
- A club raffled a donated high end Callaway driver. Members and others bought squares on a board.
- A club charged an extra amount for entry in to a men's night event after an advertising campaign that clearly showed where the money was going and how it would be used.
- A club sold advertising in the form of tee signs to local businesses.

All efforts and donations are welcome and much appreciated.

Clubs wishing to hold a fundraiser are encouraged to contact Shirley Simmons-Doyle at <u>shirley@bcga.org</u> or 604-279-2580 Ext. 124 for further information.