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34th Annual Golf Tourney raises over \$30,000

Wayne ARC Tournament raises funds to benefit the Arc of Wayne Foundation

Wayne ARC raised over \$30,000. at their 34th Annual Golf Tournament held at Wayne Hills Country Club on the 27th of June. We were proud to once again have Lyons National Bank as our Title Sponsor. Platinum Sponsors of the event were Ely & Leene, Mead & Maloy, Dobbins Drugs / Old Lyons Hardware and Relph Benefit Advisors. The success of this tournament is attributed to generous sponsorship, enthusiastic golfers and countless contributions of time and energy by committee members and volunteers. The committee is comprised of Steve Felker and Tim Cappon (Ely & Leene/Mead-Maloy Agency) both having served for 27 years, Bryan Peck (Lyons National Bank) , John Tickner (1420 WACK/ Big Dog Country), David Calhoun, Executive Director of Wayne ARC, and Tracy Crosby, Sue Kell and Sue Bryant all of Wayne ARC. Prior to play, golfers were treated to a powerful rendition of the Star Spangled Banner by Patricia Grimes who is served by Wayne ARC. We were also delighted to have Katie Vowell and Thomas DePew, also served by Wayne ARC, join us for the day.

The tournament boasts several events – most notably a hole in one contest sponsored Concord Ford, a putting contest and a closest to the pin contest in memory of Bill Patterson, the founder of the event. The putting contest this year was sponsored by Wayne Cooperative Insurance Company and was by won by George Evangelist who received a golf bag donated by Wayne Coop. The memorial closest to the pin contest sponsored by Ely & Leene Mead & Maloy Insurance Agency was won by Rich Baker who received a \$250.00 cash prize. The winning scratch foursome was Jay Barber, Jeff Dodsworth, Mike Surtel and Greg Voci. The winning net foursome was Nadi Bueso, Jorge Bueso, Rick Santell and Chris Parker. The generosity of the day was overwhelming and so appreciated.

The Arc of Wayne Foundation was created to exclusively support Wayne ARC by conducting fund raising activities, soliciting and accepting donated funds, grants, bequests, devises, trust remainders, and other gifts and donations, and managing, administering and distributing funds and/or assets to or for the benefit of Wayne ARC.

Wayne ARC is a private, not-for-profit 501(c)3 organization serving over 1400 people with and without developmental and intellectual disabilities throughout Wayne County. Wayne ARC is also a premier employer locally with over 550 employees. For more information regarding Wayne ARC or the Arc of Wayne Foundation, please contact us at 315-331-7741 or visit us on the web at www.waynearc.org or www.arcofwaynefoundation.org . To view photos from this event, connect with us on facebook.

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