



Mamawetan Churchill River Health Region

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Health Region to host fundraising golf tournament

The Mamawetan Churchill River Health Region is “*Driving the Next Century of Healthcare*” by hosting a golf tournament to help raise money to purchase and install new ultrasound and x-ray equipment for the La Ronge Health Centre. The event will be held on Saturday, June 9, 2007 at the beautiful Eagle Point Resort in La Ronge.

“The health region’s first such tournament in 2005 was great fun and raised over \$13,000 towards the purchase of ECG equipment at the Pinehouse and Sandy Bay Health Centres,” said Kathy Chisholm, Chief Executive Officer of the Mamawetan Churchill River Health Region. “We’re looking forward to another successful event.”

The “Texas Scramble” format of the tournament is designed to make it enjoyable for even the occasional recreational golfer. A supper and awards presentation at the Eagle Point Resort will cap off the day’s activities. There will be an elimination draw for the grand prize of a golf getaway for four at Elk Ridge Resort in Waskesiu Lake.

“We’re grateful to have Investors Group and Eagle Point Resort as the major sponsors of this fundraising effort,” said Chisholm. “An enhancement of our diagnostic imaging capabilities will benefit all the residents in our region.”

Golfers can support this worthy cause by registering in teams of four players or as individuals. The registration fee of \$100 per golfer may also be raised by pledges. Receipts will be issued for pledges of \$10 or more, and incentive prizes will be awarded for varying pledge levels.

Registration forms are available at the health centres in La Ronge, Pinehouse, Sandy Bay and Creighton. They may also be downloaded from the health region’s website: www.mcrrha.sk.ca

The deadline for registrations is May 25, 2007. Registration is limited to 18 teams of four.

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