

**STAFF REPORT: Financial Services**



**REPORT TO:** Council  
**MEETING DATE:** September 3, 2008  
**REPORT NO.:** FS.08.40  
**SUBJECT:** Village at Blue Mountain Foundation 4<sup>th</sup> Annual Charity Golf Event Sponsorship  
**PREPARED BY:** Robert Cummings, Director of Financial Services

**A. Recommendations**

THAT Council receive Staff Report FS.08.40 "Village at Blue Mountain Foundation 4<sup>th</sup> Annual Charity Golf Event Sponsorship"; and

THAT Council authorize a sponsorship to the Foundation in the amount of \$500.00.

**B. Background**

The Village at Blue Mountain Foundation is a charitable organization that is dedicated to enhancing the quality of life in the communities surrounding The Blue Mountains. The Foundation's main goal is to offer financial support to registered non-profit organizations in the area of health, human services, education, the arts, culture, the environment and recreation. Emphasis is placed on underprivileged children and family programs.

**C. The Blue Mountains' Strategic Plan**

Realizing the community vision through innovative leadership and strong partnerships

**D. Environmental Impacts**

Supporting Environmentally sound decisions

**E. Budget Impact**

The sponsorship will be funded from the Council Corporate Events Budget

**F. Attached** (Relevant documentation not personal information about an identifiable person)

1. The Village at Blue Mountain Foundation Silent Auction/Prize Donation Opportunities (previously received by Council on July 14, 2008)

Respectfully submitted,

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Signature



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*We are hoping that we can count on your support again this year for a great cause and a great event...*

**THE VILLAGE AT BLUE MOUNTAIN FOUNDATION**  
4<sup>TH</sup> ANNUAL CHARITY GOLF EVENT - FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 26<sup>TH</sup>, 2008

*Silent Auction/Prize Donation Opportunities*

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To achieve our goals we organize an Annual Golf Event where fundraising dollars will be achieved through event registration, auction items, sponsorship and donations. In order to organize high quality events the Foundation will need funds from corporate sponsorship and individual donations. Since July, 2004, the Foundation has raised approximately \$100,000 through its Annual Charity Golf event, sponsorship and donations.

This year marks the 4<sup>th</sup> Annual Village at Blue Mountain Foundation Charity Golf Tournament and it will be held on Friday, September 26<sup>th</sup>. For registration, please contact Brenda Greene at 705-445-0231 ext 7051. Challenge and treat yourself to a round of golf at one of Ontario's most beautiful resort courses, Monterra Golf. The format will be an 18-hole scramble. The Event will include amazing prizes, on-course activities, a silent auction followed by cocktails and live entertainment. Highlighting the evening will be an extremely indulgent culinary experience by Oliver & Bonacini at the beautiful Westin Trillium House.

We are currently planning the silent auction and hope that you will consider donating an auction item. Your participation will have exposure to a well-targeted audience of permanent and recreational homeowners in the area, corporate sponsors, resort partners, community organizations as well as the local community. Tax receipts will also be issued for items donated.

We sincerely thank you for your kind consideration in making a donation. Please complete the attached Auction Donation Form and fax to 705-443-5547 or call us at 705-445-0231 ext 7051.

Help us GIVE where we play!

Sincerely,

Deb Piggott

*Foundation Coordinator*

**VILLAGE OF BLUE MOUNTAIN FOUNDATION**

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*Another Reason The Village at Blue is so Special*