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## **SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATIONS-** **DEADLINE TO APPLY IS MONDAY JUNE 30!**

We have recently updated our scholarship application and guidelines on the website. Deadline for applications is June 30<sup>th</sup>. Please visit our website – [www.trafficclubofmemphis.com](http://www.trafficclubofmemphis.com) for details.

### **PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE**

While vacations are a time to rest and enjoy with family and friends, it is amazing how busy it seems when it comes to the transportation business. It seems all companies manage to get by with working extra hours, splitting duties or working late to get caught up before starting a vacation. Just like in the Traffic Club, even though we do not meet during the summer months, the Board is poised to continue to grow the Club and do positive things in the industry. We have an important deadline that you can help with. Applications for the Traffic Club of Memphis Educational Foundation Scholarship need to be postmarked by the end of month. These scholarships, up to \$2,500, are earmarked for upper class (persons) in the transportation, supply chain and logistics fields (or related fields). Please talk this up if you know of someone deserving, and have them visit the website to make sure all pre-requisites are met. I would love nothing more than to give out multiple scholarships to reflect an awesome golf tournament held last month which raised money for these scholarships. Many of you have told me that was one of the best tournaments ever, and we will keep on striving to make it better and better.

As we get a breather from the normal hustle and bustle, the Board wishes you and your family a safe and happy traveling season. Get rested while you take vacation since the work is piling up for you when you get back! Enjoy the summer...

Dan Pallme  
President

# **FALL GOLF TOURNAMENT**

**Date:** Monday September 8, 2008

**Time:** 1:00 PM – Shotgun start

**RSVP:** **ALL PAYMENTS AND TEAM RESERVATIONS ARE REQUIRED BY 12 NOON, THURSDAY SEPTEMBER 4, 2008**

**NO PAYMENT WILL BE RECEIVED AT THE COURSE/CHECK-IN! WE ARE REQUIRING ALL TEAMS PRE-PAY FOR THIS EVENT VIA PAYPAL ON OUR WEBSITE BY THURSDAY SEPTEMBER 4 OR VIA CHECK POSTMARKED BY TUESDAY SEPTEMBER 2, 2008!**

**Place:** Memphis National Golf Club  
10135 National Club Drive  
Collierville, TN 38017  
(901) 853-8058

**Tariff:** TBD—Watch for a TCOM “blast” message very soon with sponsor, team and individual options and details regarding the fall tournament but mark down the date as we hope you support and fill up the fall tourney like you did supporting our spring event!

**Recipient:** This benefits our Scholarship Educational Foundation. Through 2007, we have awarded over \$25,000 in scholarship money. **Please note the deadline for receiving Scholarship applications is June 30, 2008**

**WE ARE ACCEPTING DOOR PRIZES.**

**PLAN ON SIGNING UP EARLY SO YOU AREN'T LEFT AT THE 19<sup>TH</sup> HOLE!**

## 2008 SPRING GOLF RECAP

Thanks go out to all who supported our recent spring golf scramble. Due to your tremendous support, we sold out this event for only the second time in our recent history. We look forward to another great event coming up on Monday September 8 as we hope to duplicate that success.

### \$PON\$OR\$

**GOLD = \$1500**  
Cornerstone Systems  
Katt Worldwide

**SILVER= \$1000**  
FedEx Corporate Svs.  
Green Mountain Consulting  
Hub Group  
UPS

**BRONZE= \$500**  
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CSX Intermodal  
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Eagle Systems  
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### HOLE SPONSORS

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Mercer – [www.mercer.com](http://www.mercer.com)  
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## TEAM/INDIVIDUAL RESULTS

### FIRST FLIGHT

#### First Place

Dan Zarndt  
Mark Hubbard  
Bruce Steinkamp  
Jody Phillips

#### Second Place

Jamie Wade  
Jerry Kraus  
Mike Duffy  
John Baldinger

#### Third Place

Paul Maynard  
Larry Netter  
Chris Demos  
Chuck Fanning

### SECOND FLIGHT

#### First Place

Donald Fox  
David Messner  
Don Grable  
Sherri Tipton

#### Second Place

Brad Harrison  
Chris Carr  
Mike Williams  
Mike Lambert

#### Third Place

Glen Harkum  
Chip Riley  
Ralph Alleman  
Graham Bonner

### THIRD FLIGHT

#### First Place

Wayne Hamm  
John Addison  
Herb McEwen  
Jack Davis

#### Second Place

Jerry Gorman  
Lance Paczkawski  
Angie Blackwell  
Jerry Autry

#### Third Place

Tony Smith  
Cliff Thorman  
John Carlson  
Mike Kennedy

### CLOSES TO PIN

#5- Derrick Phillips #7- Mace Montgomery #11-Buzz Fly #15-John Baldinger

### HOLE SPONSOR RECOGNITION WINNER

After a random selection from the 11 correct entries in our first HOLE SPONSOR RECOGNITION CONTEST, congratulations go to team #11B (Robbie King, Tom Howard, Joe Hanson, Dave Derhard) who was one of 11 correct entries for the HOLE SPONSOR RECOGNITION and each of the four-team members received a round of golf for 4 at Memphis National including cart. Watch for a similar contest in this fall's scramble.

## **Mission Statement:**

The fostering of professionalism of its members by providing a networking system and a forum for presentation of transportation, distribution, and logistic topics.

## **PAYPAL EXPRESS LANE CHECK-IN!**

For those of you who used the Pay Pal option in previous speaker meetings, you noticed that you were able to by-pass any check-in line and go directly to the end of the table, pick up your name badge and step right in to the meeting room. This is just another way that we are trying to make your meeting attendance more *attendee-friendly*, and we encourage those of you who are able to do so, use the Pay Pal option when making your reservation and move to the head of the check-in line! *Please see above that all golf reservations must be paid in advance..... no cash, or checks will be accepted at the door.*

## **EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITIES**

If you know of a TRANSPORTATION employer that has open positions, or you are seeking transportation employment, you may now send this information to [marty.morelli@yellowcorp.com](mailto:marty.morelli@yellowcorp.com), and this information will be added to our website.

## **2008 Event Calendar**

|                 |   |
|-----------------|---|
| Sept 8 (MONDAY) | Fall Golf Outing – Memphis Nat'l.       |
| Oct 14 -        | Speaker Meeting-Racquet Club            |
| Nov 11-         | Speaker Meeting (Election)-Racquet Club |
| Dec 5 -         | Christmas Party – Racquet Club          |

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