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TEE OFF IN SUPPORT OF THE SUNFLOWER FUND

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The Sunflower Fund will host their 11th annual Golf Day on 7 May 2019, at the immaculate and exquisite greens and fairways of the Pearl Valley Golf Estate, at the Val de Vie Estate in Paarl.

This masterpiece was shaped by golf legend Jack Nicklaus and his unique touch is evident throughout the course.

Each golfer will receive headgear from Cobra Puma SA and the top 4 four-ball teams will receive prizes.

The day starts with a shot gun start, and carts are included in the four- ball fee. Golfers will be treated to dinner and wine sponsored by Baarsma Wine, ending with a mini auction.

The Sunflower Fund is a donor recruitment centre and stem cell registry. They fight blood diseases like leukaemia through the recruitment of stem cell donors and maintaining a registry of potential donors committed to helping anyone in need of a life-saving stem cell transplant. Funds raised from this event will enable The Sunflower Fund to cover the cost of education and awareness about the need for and the process to become a blood stem cell donor, as well as to cover the cost of the HLA tissue –typing test involved in the recruitment of donors.

Help The Sunflower Fund save lives by booking your four-ball. To register or for more information contact Rasheda van den Hurk on 021 701 0661 or rasheda@sunflowerfund.org.za.

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About The Sunflower Fund

The Sunflower Fund is a donor recruitment centre and stem cell registry that is part of a global network, dedicated to creating awareness about blood diseases and stem cell donation, recruiting blood stem cell donors and maintaining a registry of committed donors.

The Sunflower Fund pays for the cost of the tissue-type testing. This is fundamental to saving the lives of South Africans who need a stem cell transplant. The chance of finding a matching donor is 1 in 100,000 – and as ethnic origin plays a significant role in the search for a donor, South Africa's rainbow nation is at a distinct disadvantage, requiring a large pool of prospective donors.

Should you wish to become a donor, support one of the fundraising projects or make a financial contribution, please contact The Sunflower Fund on toll-free number: 0800 12 10 82. Visit www.sunflowerfund.org.za to learn more or look out for the DONATE button to make a cash donation via the website.

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