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Golf for a Cause Raises nearly \$85,000 for Local Non-Profit Programs Across Waterloo Region

Waterloo Region, ON: The third annual Golf for a Cause charity tournament, hosted by United Way Waterloo Region Communities (UWWRC) and presented by Sun Life, teed up an incredible day of impact and raised nearly \$85,000 to support vital local programs and services supported by United Way WRC.

Held in Cambridge, ON, at the beautiful Whistle Bear Golf Club on June 10th, the sold-out event brought together a vibrant network of community leaders, local dignitaries, and corporate partners - all united by a shared commitment to building a stronger, more equitable Waterloo Region.

“This event is proof of what’s possible when a community comes together,” said Joan Fisk, United Way Waterloo Region CEO. “From supporting youth mental health to addressing food insecurity and housing instability, every dollar raised will help make life better for people across our region.”

The day featured several exciting contests and activations, including a \$15,000 hole-in-one challenge, a *Happy Gilmore* driving hole where players had to run while teeing off with a driver, and a speed competition for the fastest team to finish the hole.

The afternoon wrapped up with a high-energy 19th Hole Reception, proudly sponsored by TD, where guests enjoyed a farm-to-table grazing table, inspiring remarks from the Golf Cabinet, and the opportunity to connect with fellow changemakers.

Special thanks to all of our incredible sponsors, including *Title Sponsor* Sun Life; *Gold Sponsors*; Gore Mutual, Wawanesa, TMMC and Waterloo Region Sports and Entertainment, *Silver Sponsors*; TD, Onward Media, P&H Milling, and Enova Power Corp., and many more hole, contest, and prize sponsors whose support made this event possible.

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Funds raised will directly support over 73 local charities and non-profits, reaching nearly 300,000 people and families throughout the region.

To learn more about United Way's work or to get involved, visit uwaywrc.ca.

About United Way Waterloo Region Communities (WRC)

United Way WRC is dedicated to helping people live better lives in every one of the seven communities we serve, and we focus on understanding issues and solutions unique to our community. Thanks to generous donors and partners, we are privileged to collaborate with people, non-profits, and businesses to empower multiple innovative, impactful, and measurable solutions. We are fundraisers and local community builders that support a network of agencies whose programs and services are locally focused, informed, connected, and deeply invested in helping people reach their full potential. To ensure critical agencies, programs and services get the funding they need, and to ensure donors have a clear line of site to the work we do, we have focused on cause-based giving which allows for donations to be directed in a way that aligns with selected priorities and goals. To learn more, connect with us at www.uwaywrc.ca.

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