

**12<sup>th</sup> Annual  
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Golf Tournament**



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**AN INVITATION TO JOIN US:**

Don't miss the 12<sup>th</sup> annual U.S. Electric Wheelchair Hockey Association (U.S. EWHA) golf tournament, our premier annual event to raise funds to support wheelchair hockey (PowerHockey) in Minnesota and throughout North America. Join us for a fun filled day of golf, food, fun, friends and prizes.

**THE EVENT:**

Over 120 golfers will tee off in a shotgun start at **1 p.m.** on **Friday, July 25, 2008**, at the **Links at Northfork** in, **Ramsey, MN**, one of the states few true Scottish links style golf courses.



Upon arriving participants will register, enjoy a hosted lunch buffet, warm up their swing at the course's



driving range, putting green and/or the 3-hole practice loop. Upon completion of the 4-person scramble style golf tournament, participants will enjoy a dinner and banquet featuring a raffle and silent auction. The post tournament banquet is hosted by hockey play-by-play announcer **Mr. Wally Shaver**.

**DETAILS:**

Friday, July 25, 2008

Registration begins @ 11 a.m., Shotgun start @ 1 p.m.

The Links at Northfork, Ramsey, MN (30 minutes NW of Minneapolis)

\$110 per person, includes golf, cart, lunch & dinner

\*Corporate sponsorships available

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**BECOME A SPONSOR:**

Sponsoring our 12<sup>th</sup> annual golf tournament offers opportunities to showcase your company and support the development of our PowerHockey programs in Minnesota and around North America.

We invite you to consider joining us as a corporate sponsor in one of the following ways. Your company will be showcased to all event attendees and the community at large.

**SPONSORSHIP  
OPPORTUNITIES:**

***Eagle Package***

**A \$1,000 donation (\$700 tax-deductible)**

Benefits:

- ~ *One foursome (4 golfers);*
- ~ *One hole sponsorship included;*
- ~ *Recognition as a "Corporate Sponsor" on promotion material, web, email and at event;*
- ~ *Onsite signage & Unique promotional tie-in opportunities (can provide more information upon request)*

***Birdie Package***

**A \$500 donation (100% tax-deductible)**

Benefits:

- ~ *Recognition as a "Corporate Sponsor" on promotion material, web, email and at event;*
- ~ *One hole sponsorship included;*
- ~ *Onsite signage & Unique promotional tie-in opportunities (can provide more information upon request)*

\*Both the Eagle and Birdie Packages include your corporate logo on all appropriate promotional material, such as event brochure, website, e-mails, t-shirts and signage. We will need your logo BEFORE MAY 1<sup>ST</sup>, 2008, to ensure it makes our printing deadlines. Email your artwork/logo (Illustrator EPS file) to Craig McClellan [craigm@powerhockey.com](mailto:craigm@powerhockey.com)

***Hole Sponsor***

**A \$100 donation (100% tax-deductible)**

Benefits:

- ~ *Your name printed on a sign placed at a "tee-off" area on each hole;*
- ~ *Your name printed as a 2008 Hole sponsor on event website;*
- ~ *One person may attend the post tournament banquet with opportunity to purchase additional banquet tickets for \$20 each.*

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**ABOUT US:**

The U.S. EWHA (also known as Minnesota PowerHockey League) is an all-volunteer Minnesota non-profit corporation. We are legally a 501 C 3 non-profit through a group ruling exemption via Disabled Sports USA, a national organization with chapters across the country. We are one of their MN chapters.



**HOW IT BEGAN:**

Our organization was founded by its original players in 1993. As friends who met and played early forms of this sport at summer camp, they found a passion to play hockey and simply wished to find others who also played. The sport adapts amazingly well to power wheelchair users and can be an exciting fast paced sport with a few minor adaptations.

As a small grass roots organization the founders quickly began finding others around the world who either played some version of hockey or wanted to participate. However, the sport had NO major organization supporting the sport or believing it could work. Thus, the creation of the U.S. EWHA and the need to raise money for the sport.

Upon connecting with various small start-up teams/leagues around the world, the U.S. EWHA founders quickly attempted to connect people and help build the sport now known as PowerHockey.

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U.S.EWHA/MPHL  
ACHIEVEMENTS  
& HOW YOUR DOLLARS  
HELP:

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- ~ '92-93 Five founding members look to develop the sport.
- ~ '93 MN Stars travel to Germany to participate in first International event.
- ~ '94 MN league founded with four teams, approx. 25 players.
- ~ '95 MN Stars compete in Toronto with other Canadian teams.
- ~ '96 MN Stars travel to Calgary for another Canadian tournament.
- ~ '97 MN league grows, adding players from around the state.
- ~ '98 MN Stars compete in London, Ontario.
- ~ '99 MN league adds a team from Hibbing, MN (The Rolling Rangers).
- ~ '00 MN Stars back to Toronto, with a quick game in MI to meet new players.
- ~ '01 Hosts the worlds largest wheelchair hockey event in MN, PowerHockey World Cup, with teams from Finland, Germany, Italy, Australia, Toronto, Calgary, MI and MN.
- ~ '02-04 MN league expands, now includes teams from Hibbing, Rochester and 4 metro teams.
- ~ '04 MN hosts PowerHockey Cup. MN Stars win North American Championship.
- ~ '05 MN league moves season games to larger facility.
- ~ '06 Minnesota sends TWO teams, Stars and Saints to Calgary for PowerHockey Cup event.
- ~ '07-'08 Planning next major event, to be held in MN Summer '08!

Help us continue providing a "quality" hockey program for the players.

**U.S. EWHA 12<sup>TH</sup> ANNUAL GOLF TOURNAMENT  
SPONSORSHIP CONFIRMATION FORM**

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**We are proud to sponsor the U.S. EWHA 12th Annual golf tournament with our gift of:**

**Eagle Package--\$1,000**    \_\_\_\_\_

**Birdie Package--\$500**    \_\_\_\_\_

**Hole Sponsor--\$100**    \_\_\_\_\_

**Please send a check made payable to U.S. EWHA by May 1st 2008**

**Mail to:**

**U.S. EWHA Golf tournament  
7216 39th Ave. N.  
New Hope, MN 55427**