



## KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

ST. MARGARET MARY COUNCIL #11091  
ALGONQUIN, ILLINOIS

May 14, 2018

Dear Sponsor:



Some very important charities need your help!

On Sunday August 19<sup>th</sup>, The Knights of Columbus will be hosting **The 19<sup>th</sup> Annual Hammer Open Charity Classic** golf outing. The event will be held at the Golf Club of Illinois in Algonquin, IL. The Hammer Open raises money to support four charities that focus on children in need. These charities are:

- Foundation Fighting Blindness
- Rett Syndrome Assoc. of Illinois
- Juvenile Diabetes Research Foundation, JDRF
- Big Brothers and Big Sisters of McHenry County

Enclosed is a brief description of these charities & their services to those in need.

We are soliciting your organization's sponsorship by donating a product or service that can be used as a gift/prize or the contribution of a cash donation. Proceeds from the event are donated to these four worthy charities. Over the last 19 years we have raised over \$195,000 to support these and other charities.

Enclosed is a breakdown of sponsorship options available for the Hammer Open. Please consider sponsoring this event that helps so many children and people in need. Your donation and support will be recognized during the event by up to 150 attending golfers and volunteers who are local to the area with great appreciation. Also consider joining us for the event.

Sincerely,

Kevin Fitzgerald  
Hammer Open Committee Chairman  
Knights of Columbus Council #11091

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### FOUNDATION FIGHTING BLINDNESS

[www.blindness.org](http://www.blindness.org)

**Our Mission:** The mission of the Foundation is to drive research providing preventions, treatments and cures for people affected by blinding retinal diseases.

**About Us:** The urgent mission of the Foundation Fighting Blindness, Inc. is to drive the research that will provide preventions, treatments and cures for people affected by retinitis pigmentosa, macular degeneration, Usher syndrome, & the entire spectrum of retinal degenerative diseases.



**We're creating a world without T1D. You play the most important part.**

JDRF is the leading organization funding T1D research. Millions of people around the world live with type 1 diabetes (T1D), a life-threatening autoimmune disease that strikes children. There is no way to prevent it, and at present, no cure. JDRF works every day to change this by amassing grassroots support, deep scientific knowledge and strong industry and academic partnerships to fund research to find a cure.



### Rett Syndrome Association of Illinois

[www.rettillinois.org](http://www.rettillinois.org)

**Our Mission:** To serve as a support systems for families of individuals living with Rett Syndrome. Connect families to the network, provide encouragement, information and tools they need in order to empower them to lead rewarding & fulfilling lives with their loved ones.

**Goals & Purpose:** Develop awareness and understanding of Rett Syndrome, host conferences, workshops and support group meetings, promote the general welfare of those with Rett Syndrome, further the advancement of research of Rett Syndrome, collect and disseminate information about Rett Syndrome



### Big Brothers Big Sisters of McHenry County

[www.bbbsmchenry.org](http://www.bbbsmchenry.org)

**Vision:** All children achieve success in life.

**Mission:** Provide children facing adversity with strong and enduring, professionally supported one-to-one relationships that change their lives for the better, forever.

**Accountability:** By partnering with parents/guardians, volunteers and others in the community we are accountable for each child in our program achieving:

- Higher aspirations, greater confidence, and better relationships
- Avoidance of risky behaviors
- Educational success



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## 2018 Sponsorship Application

St. Margaret Mary Knights of Columbus Council 11091 presents  
**The 19<sup>th</sup> Annual Hammer Open Golf Outing.** All Proceeds will benefit,  
Foundation Fighting Blindness, Rett Syndrome Assoc. of Illinois, Juvenile Diabetes  
Research Foundation and Big Brothers and Big Sisters of Mc Henry County.  
Thank you for your generosity.



Event Date Sunday August 19, 2018 • Golf Club of Illinois • Algonquin, IL

YES! I want to sponsor the 19<sup>th</sup> Annual Hammer Open Charity Classic

### LEVEL OF SPONSORSHIP:

- PREMIUM EVENT SPONSORSHIP:** \$2,500.00  
Named sponsor of the event: The “*Sponsor’s Name* 19<sup>th</sup> Annual Hammer Open” 3’ x 8’ Banner with Sponsor’s name/logo which will be prominently displayed at event. Full page inside cover (8” x 10”) black and white ad in event program.
- BEVERAGE CART SPONSOR:** \$250.00  
Sponsor’ name and logo prominently displayed on (2) beverage carts plus acknowledgement in the event program.
- TEE OR GREEN SPONSORSHIP:** \$150.00  
22” diameter golf ball sponsorship sign with sponsor’s name/logo with stake plus acknowledgement in event program.
- DINNER TABLE SPONSORSHIP:** \$100.00  
Sponsor’s name and logo prominently displayed on banquet dinner table plus acknowledgement in event program.
- Benefactor (Please Specify Donation):** \_\_\_\_\_  
Acknowledgement in event program.

Enclosed with this completed form is my check made payable to “Knights of Columbus Council 11091”

Company Name	Date
Address	
City, State, Zip Code	
Contact Name	Phone Number
Email Address	Website

Please mail all payments and information to:

Kevin Fitzgerald  
540 Forest Circle  
Algonquin, IL 60102

Questions? Call Kevin Fitzgerald at (847) 652-5950  
Or email kevfitz@ameritech.net

Advertising Instructions:

- Please complete your advertising instructions on the reverse of this form or email Kevin.
- Please provide a completed hard copy or email your ad to Kevin. Note ad sizes above. Acceptable formats for logos and ads are high resolution (300dpi) Mac or PC TIF, JPEG, EPS or Illustrator files. For tee/hole signs, Illustrator (vector) files are preferred.

Thank you for your generous support of the 19<sup>th</sup> Annual Hammer Open Charity Classic!

Contributions, gifts, etc. paid to the Knights of Columbus Council #11091 are not deductible as charitable contribution.