



hds foundation

# We RISE

FOR AUTISM GOLF CLASSIC



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501(c)(3) Non-profit



## 2024 Sponsorship Opportunities



# ABOUT HDS FOUNDATION



In 2008, Cristina Miranda Gilson founded the HDS Foundation, a 501(c)(3) Non-Profit, to address the emerging needs of the Autism population. The foundation focuses on mentoring, job skills training, internships, and, ultimately, developing housing models for young adults on the Autism Spectrum.

Our organization's primary goal is to support students with Autism Spectrum Disorder (ASD) in developing social and independent living skills, preparing for post-high school life, and achieving success in post-secondary education and careers. We also aim to provide information on safe and Affordable Housing options.

Over the past decade, the HDS Foundation has awarded grants for programs meeting our criteria. Our Program Managers work with schools, teachers, and students to facilitate career fairs and community-based instruction experiences. Grant funds cover these activities ensuring that each student and their families incur no cost.

Our impact is evident through the exposure the students receive learning and practicing life skills each week during their Community Based Instruction field trips. We also offer support to families by providing resources that will help them plan for their child's post-secondary journey.

Our programs aim to foster personal growth and independence:

## **HDS B.R.I.D.G.E.S. Program:**

- Supports year-round programs for ASD high school students, incorporating community-based field trips and life skills initiatives.
- Builds communication tools, peer mentoring, and friendships, preparing students for life after high school.

## **Social Activities Program (S.A.P.):**

- Enhances the lives of teens and young adults transitioning to post-secondary education through positive social interactions.

## **HDS College Mentors Program:**

- Identifies peripheral needs of students with Autism Spectrum Disorder pursuing a college degree.
- Focuses on guidance and support for academic success, as well as social and interpersonal skills.

## **ASDY-TECH Employment Training and Mentoring Program:**

- Provides employment opportunities for young adults on the Autism Spectrum.
- Focuses on technical projects scalable to meet the employment needs of the ASD population while serving clients' service needs.

# EVENT INFORMATION



**Event Date:** Friday, April 26, 2024

**Venue:** Jacaranda Golf Club  
9200 W Broward Blvd  
Plantation, FL 33324



Embark on an exciting golf adventure at Jacaranda Golf Club with a shotgun start that sends foursomes through a complete 18-hole experience. Upon arrival, participants will be treated to a delicious lunch, and a dedicated beverage cart will accompany the golfers on the course throughout the day. The golf classic will end with an unforgettable awards ceremony and dinner reception, uniting individuals who share a love for golf and a philanthropic spirit.

## Event Highlights:

- Registration: 11:00 am
- Lunch & Silent Auction: 11:30 am to 12:30 pm
- Shotgun Start: 1:00 pm
- Dinner and Awards: 6:00 pm

**To register your Golf Team, visit [hdsfoundation.org](https://hdsfoundation.org) today!**

Sponsoring the We R.I.S.E. for Autism Golf Classic offers a unique opportunity for businesses to align themselves with a worthy cause while enjoying a myriad of benefits. By supporting this event, sponsors not only contribute to the Foundation's impactful work but also gain exposure to a diverse audience of golf enthusiasts and housing community members. The visibility gained through various promotional channels, including Public Relations, Marketing, event signage and social media, ensures that sponsors receive widespread recognition, enhancing their brand visibility and goodwill.

## Sponsor Benefits and Expectations:

- Pre-event PR and Media Coverage
- High Visibility, Brand Awareness, and Product Sampling
- Access to active participants and enthusiastic spectators
- Opportunities for video and print news coverage
- Communication, attention to detail, and follow-through
- Be very visible as a community CHAMPION in support of teens and young adults with Autism Spectrum Disorder and differing special abilities.



### **Title Sponsor**

- Exclusive naming rights (We R.I.S.E. for Autism Golf Classic, Presented by HDS Companies)
- Logo prominently featured on all marketing materials.
- Prominent logo recognition on the HDS Foundation website hyperlinked to your company website.
- Logo recognition on Clear Channel Outdoor Digital Billboards.
- Prime positioning of company banner at the event.
- Complimentary entry for one (1) foursome.
- Opportunity to address attendees during the award ceremony.
- Recognition in post-event press releases.



**Investment: \$10,000**

### **Inclusion Sponsor (Opportunity for 4 Inclusion Sponsors)**

- Company name/logo recognition in digital promotional materials.
- Logo recognition on event welcome banner and signage.
- Prominent logo recognition on the HDS Foundation website hyperlinked to your company website.
- Logo recognition on Clear Channel Outdoor Digital Billboards.
- Verbal acknowledgment during the awards ceremony
- Complimentary entry for one (1) foursome.
- Opportunity to address attendees during the award ceremony.
- Recognition in post-event press releases.
- Two (2) Social media shout-outs before and after the event

**Investment: \$5,000**

### **Official Shirt Sponsor (Category Exclusive)**

- Company name/logo recognition in digital promotional materials.
- Company name/logo recognition on the Official Shirt sleeve.
- Logo on event welcome banner.
- Prominent logo recognition on the HDS Foundation website hyperlinked to your company website.
- Logo recognition on Clear Channel Outdoor Digital Billboards.
- Complimentary entry for two (2) golfers.
- One (1) Social media mention before and after the event.
- Recognition in post-event press releases.



**Investment: \$3,500**

### Hole-In-One Sponsor (Category Exclusive)

- Company name/logo recognition in digital promotional materials.
- Logo recognition on event welcome banner and Hole-in-One Signage.
- Prominent logo recognition on the HDS Foundation website hyperlinked to your company website.
- Logo recognition on Clear Channel Outdoor Digital Billboards.
- Complimentary entry for two (2) golfers.
- One (1) Social media mention before and after the event.
- Recognition in post-event press releases.

• Investment: \$3,500

### Longest drive Contest Sponsor

- Company name/logo recognition in digital promotional materials.
- Logo recognition on event welcome banner and Putting Green signage.
- Prominent logo recognition on the HDS Foundation website hyperlinked to your company website.
- Complimentary entry for two (2) golfers.

• Investment: \$1,500

### Putting Contest Sponsor

- Company name/logo recognition in digital promotional materials.
- Logo recognition on event welcome banner and Putting Green signage.
- Prominent logo recognition on the HDS Foundation website hyperlinked to your company website.
- Complimentary entry for two (2) golfers.

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ASSOCIATES

• Investment: \$1,500

### Beat the Pro Contest Sponsor

- Company name/logo recognition in digital promotional materials.
- Logo recognition on event welcome banner and Putting Green signage.
- Prominent logo recognition on the HDS Foundation website hyperlinked to your company website.
- Complimentary entry for two (2) golfers.

**NORTH STAR**  
FINANCIAL PLANNERS INC.

• Investment: \$1,500

### Ride & Wave (Hole & Golf Cart Sponsor)

- Signage at the designated tee and golf cart
- Recognition on the HDS Foundation website hyperlinked to your company website.

• Investment: \$1,200

### Empowerment Sponsor (Non-Category Exclusive)

- Sponsor three (3) B.R.I.D.G.E.S. Program Participants for the 2024-2025 school year.

• Investment: \$1,000

### Hole Sponsor or Cart Sponsor

- Signage at the designated tee or golf cart
- Recognition on the HDS Foundation website hyperlinked to your company website.

Investment: \$750

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**Let's share clubs, carts, and good times!**

WE R.I.S.E. BY LIFTING OTHERS

Help us to continue making an impact on the lives of teens and young adults with Autism Spectrum Disorder as they prepare for their post-secondary journey!

**WE WELCOME OUR 2024 SPONSORS WITH GRATITUDE!**



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**For more information on these sponsorship opportunities or to discuss customized sponsorship opportunities that maximize your company's branding, please contact:**

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