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Fundraising Golf Tournament set for September 8th

Stonewall, MB – The Interlake Regional Health Authority is pleased to announce plans for the 9th annual Interlake RHA Whack 'n Hack Fundraising Golf Tournament on Friday, September 8th, 2006 at the South Interlake Golf & Country Club in Warren, MB.

The tournament is limited to 172 golfers, and all participants receive a tournament lunch, complimentary use of the driving range, 18 holes of golf (texas scramble format), shared power cart, Prime Rib dinner, with prizes and tournament gifts for everyone. Registration begins at 10:30 am and a shotgun start will be at 12:00 Noon.

Last years tournament involved 168 golfers from across the region and throughout Manitoba while raising just over \$6,500.00. Over the past eight years, a total of almost \$40,000.00 has been raised through this fundraising event.

Proceeds of the 2005 tournament provided client furnishings within hospitals and personal care homes throughout the region. "New and updated client care furnishings were much needed and are truly appreciated within our acute care and long term care facilities," remarked Lorne Charbonneau, Interlake RHA Vice President of Health Services.

"This annual event gives us an opportunity to work together with our Board of Directors, staff, and community partners towards a common fundraising goal which benefits the entire Interlake region," noted Kevin Beresford, Interlake RHA Chief Executive Officer. "We are looking forward to hosting our ninth annual event on September 8th and appreciate the continued support shown by the participants and sponsors of this very worthwhile fundraising activity," added Beresford.

Entry fee is \$85.00 per person and sponsorship opportunities are also available. Please contact Kevin O'Donovan, Tournament Coordinator at 467-4747 for more information.