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10th ANNUAL A BREATH OF HOPE GOLF CLASSIC

At Rush Creek Golf Club, Maple Grove, MN

[WAYZATA, MN, MAY 19, 2022] — A Breath of Hope Lung Foundation will host the 10th Annual A Breath of Hope Golf Classic on Monday, June 13th, 2022. This event is vital to raising awareness about lung cancer, informing the public about screening availability and treatment options, supporting lung cancer patients and their families on the journey, and raising critical funds for lung cancer research.

From executive director, Nancy Torrison: "We look forward to hosting our 10th Annual A Breath of Hope Golf Classic at Rush Creek for the first time, and thrilled to have grown to two shotgun scramble, best ball tournaments with tee times at 7:30 am and 1:30 pm. Our buddy, KFAN's Common Man, will join us once again to razz the crowd!"

The event day also includes 18 holes of golf, a cart, lunch with the morning session or dinner with the afternoon session, raffle items, and an R & R-themed silent auction – all while supporting A Breath of Hope's mission to fight against lung cancer!

Event Details:

- **When:** Monday, June 13 | 7:30 A.M. Morning Tournament | 1:30 P.M. Afternoon Tournament
- Where: Rush Creek Golf Club, Maple Grove, MN
- **How:** Register at abreathofhope.org/events (Afternoon tournament is full, morning tee times are still available!)
- Why:
 - Lung Cancer is the leading cause of cancer deaths in the U.S. claiming more lives than breast and colon cancers combined

- o Less than 21 percent survive five-years past their diagnosis
- o 60% of the lung cancer diagnoses each year happen to nonsmokers
- Nearly two times as many women die of lung cancer as breast cancer each year – yet lung cancer research is funded by as much as 10 times less than breast cancer per cancer death

We invite you to contact us if you are interested in an interview with patients, survivors, or a physician. Public awareness is critical to saving more lives.

If you would like more information about this topic, please call Nancy Torrison at 612-807-6111, or email Nancy@abreathofhope.org.

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A Breath of Hope Lung Foundation is a national 501 (c)(3) nonprofit organization dedicated to defeating lung cancer and bringing hope. A Breath of Hope's Mission is to fight lung cancer by funding innovative research, educating the public for improved disease awareness, and supporting patients and caregivers on the path to survivorship.