



**Herndon Braves  
Collegiate Summer Baseball Team**

**3rd Annual  
Braves Golf Classic  
July 9, 2009**

Dear Business Friend and Neighbor,

The Herndon Braves will be having their Third Annual Golf Classic on July 9, 2009 to raise funds for our collegiate wood bat summer baseball team. All of the proceeds generated from this event directly benefit the team through purchases of equipment. Costs can be over \$50,000 a year to field and operate a team of this caliber. Remaining funds go to support area youth baseball programs. The Herndon Braves are a non-profit organization.

For most families, the cost of attending a major league game makes the event (at best) a special occasion. Your support will go toward improving access to quality family entertainment and improving the sense of community in our area. The Braves compete in the Cal Ripken Sr. Collegiate Baseball League. Summer baseball is essential to the furthering of skills required to make it in the majors and to improve collegiate careers. Pepperdine University player Donald Brown said, "We're living the dream. Playing baseball every day, someone putting you up in their home, and getting to see a great part of the country, it is a great opportunity."

Your contribution is fully tax-deductible and will be gratefully acknowledged with a letter and will be noted in our program. There is an obvious sense of civic pride pervasive within our community. Please take pleasure in knowing that your support is greatly appreciated by all of us – the athletes, parents, and coaches.

We hope that you will consider becoming a major sponsor of our golf tournament. We are enclosing a separate letter listing the various ways you can help support the Braves and our athletes. All donors will be recognized on our Website and during our home games. Please contact Kim Garten (703.481.1534) or Lisa Lombardozzi (703.973.4444) with any questions or concerns. Thank you very much for your consideration of this request. Donations can be mailed to – Herndon Braves, 1305 Kelly Court, Herndon, VA 20170.

Sincerely,

*Chris Smith*

Chris Smith  
Herndon Braves Head Coach



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**DONATION LEVELS**

**CONTEST SPONSOR (\$500)**

- There will be two (2) Longest Drive contests, two (2) Closest to the Pin contests, and Most Accurate contest. Your company name will be displayed at the tee or green.
- Opportunity to set-up table/tent advertising your business.

**PRACTICE AREA SPONSOR (\$250)**

- Meet and greet our participants at your own display as they practice and get ready for the tournament.
- Your company name will be displayed.

**HOLE SPONSOR (\$150)**

- Your company name will be displayed on the tee.

**SILENT AUCTION/DOOR PRIZE DONOR**

- Donate any items for our Silent Auction or Door Prize basket.

Item to Donate: \_\_\_\_\_

Expiration Date (if any) \_\_\_\_\_ Dollar Value \_\_\_\_\_

Donor: \_\_\_\_\_

(Name as it will appear in program)

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Email Address \_\_\_\_\_

Contact Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Website \_\_\_\_\_

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_



Please mail this contract and any donation/certificates to:

Herndon Braves  
1305 Kelly Court, Herndon, VA 20170  
703.973.4444

(Please call us to make arrangements to pick-up  
donations if necessary)

Herndon Braves are a non-profit, tax exempt under Section  
501(c)(3) of the IRS Code  
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