



## **9th Annual Derek Teele Memorial Golf Tournament**

- When:** Saturday, April 30th, 2016 @ 1:00PM  
**Where:** Countryside Country Club, Clearwater, FL  
**Time:** Registration starts @ 11:00AM with a 1:00PM shotgun start for golf  
**Format:** Four person scramble  
**Details:** \$90.00 per player includes your round of golf, dinner, goody bag, raffle prizes and contests. There will also be an after party at the country club following the awards banquet  
**Contests:** Four closest to the pins, long drive (men & women), putting contest & best dressed foursome

Please join us for a great day of fun as we celebrate the life of Derek Teele.

All tournament proceeds will be used to support local charities and help various people and organizations in need within the local community. Your support will allow us to help others in Derek's name and keep his loving spirit alive!

**Special tournament theme:** This year we want you to "Throw Back & Get Creative!" Show your spirit by creating your own Derek Teele Foundation outfit or break out your old Derek Teele Foundation/golf tournament gear to show your support!

This past year, the Derek Teele Foundation has . . . .

- Provided school backpacks & supplies to two elementary schools in Pinellas County
- Donated to H.O.M.E. to help children with emotional problems
- Provided Thanksgiving baskets to several military families
- Provided Christmas gifts to several foster children thru Eckerd Youth Alternatives
- Provided two scholarships at Dunedin High School, the "Derek G. Teele Memorial Scholarship"
- Donated to Clearwater for Youth
- Sponsored the City of Dunedin Teen Leader Program
- Donated to Shepherd's Village (to help single parents and their children)
- Supported the Pinellas County Humane Society
- Donated to Eckerd Raising Hope, Inc. (to help foster kids)

We miss Derek everyday but we know his spirit lives on in all of us. By working together to support these and other causes, we can create something positive, despite our loss. We can definitely see Derek smiling!

Check out our website at **[derekteelefoundation.com](http://derekteelefoundation.com)** for more information. For your convenience, the website allows you to register and pay via Paypal.

**Your participation and support of this event are greatly appreciated!**

*The Derek Teele Foundation is a non-profit, tax-exempt corporation officially qualified under section 501C (3) of the IRS code. **Tax I.D. # 90-0462618***



## **Team Registration:**



**Team Captain:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Phone #:** \_\_\_\_\_

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

**Email address:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Player 2:** \_\_\_\_\_

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

**Email address:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Player 3:** \_\_\_\_\_

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

**Email address:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Player 4:** \_\_\_\_\_

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

**Email address:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Single player entry:**

**\$90.00**

**Team entry:**

**\$360.00**

**New Gold sponsor:**

**\$250.00**

**Returning Gold sponsor:**

**\$200.00**

**Silver sponsor:**

**\$100.00**

**Total:** \_\_\_\_\_

**\$250.00 Gold Sponsor:** Have your business name, contact info, and logo printed on a 2'x 4' banner to be displayed at the tournament. You keep the banner for future use.

**\$100.00 Silver Sponsor:** Family, friends, or businesses are welcome to sponsor a hole. Your personal name(s) or business will be displayed on a sign at a designated hole.

**Business name/Contact person:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Phone number:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Email address:** \_\_\_\_\_

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- All registrations are due by **April 10, 2016**
  - Please make checks payable to the **Derek Teele Foundation**
  - You can also register and pay online at **derekteelefoundation.com**

**Mail registration forms to:**

Bob Teele  
2555 Westbrook Lane  
Clearwater, FL 33761

**Contact information:**

PH: (727) 430-1277  
Email: rteele@tampabay.rr.com

## **Derek Grafton Teele - a.k.a. "Larry"**

**Derek went on to bigger and better things in heaven after tragically losing his life on earth in a car accident on May 4, 2007, slightly before his 18<sup>th</sup> birthday.**

**Derek was a pretty typical teenage boy with a huge personality and a huge love for sports. From a very young age he always had a ball in his hand. If he couldn't be playing sports he would be going to games, watching sports on TV, writing line-ups for fantasy teams, writing out plays, or playing sport games on his Sony Play Station.**

**He was a very passionate person and it showed in everything he did from the way he spoke, to his every move. He was keenly aware of everything around him and was very sensitive to people's needs. Whether it was an older person struggling to walk in a parking lot, a child crying, a couple arguing in public, or an animal that strayed from home, he noticed all of it. He felt for each individual and helped out any way he could. Turned inward, this sensitive passion caused Derek to always want to be the best at everything he did and he was definitely his hardest critic.**

**Loyalty was another quality that Derek possessed. If he trusted a person or felt a connection with a teacher or subject, he was 100% dedicated to it or them. He deeply loved his family, friends, and pets. Derek did not filter any of his emotions, so everyone knew exactly where they stood with him.**

**His gentle soul and intense spirit were very evident in one of his favorite sayings; "I'm a lover, not a fighter, but I will fight for love!" His personal goal in life was to make people smile and his smile was radiant! So, when the sun and moon rise each day, we can be reminded of the extraordinary beauty that will always be Derek Grafton Teele.**

