



# **10th Annual Derek Teele Memorial Golf Tournament**

- When:** Saturday, May 6th, 2017 @ 1:00PM  
**Where:** Countryside Country, 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:** Six 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 are celebrating our 10 year anniversary, so we are calling this year's theme "Teal for ten!" We want to create a teal out on the course, so come up with your best teal colored outfit to show your support!

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

- Provided school backpacks & supplies to some elementary schools in Pinellas County
- Donated to the Kimberly home to help pregnant women and their children
- Donated to the Suncoast Animal League
- Provided Thanksgiving meals to help feed the homeless
- Provided Christmas gifts to several foster children thru Eckerd Youth Alternatives
- Provided two scholarships at Dunedin High School, the "Derek G. Teele Memorial Scholarship"
- Sponsored the City of Dunedin Teen Leader Program
- Donated to Clearwater for Youth
- Supported the Pinellas County Humane Society
- Donated to Eckerd Raising Hope (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:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Shirt Size:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Phone #:** \_\_\_\_\_

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

**Single player entry:**

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

**\$90.00**

**Player 2:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Shirt Size:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Team entry:**

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

**\$360.00**

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

**New Gold sponsor:**

**\$250.00**

**Player 3:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Shirt Size:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Returning Gold sponsor:**

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

**\$200.00**

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

**Silver sponsor:**

**\$100.00**

**Player 4:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Shirt Size:** \_\_\_\_\_

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

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

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

**\*\*Each golfer will receive a polo shirt, so please provide shirt sizes\*\***

**\$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 16, 2017**
  - Please make checks payable to the **Derek Teele Foundation**
  - You can also register and pay online at **derekteelefoundation.com**

**Mail registration forms to:**

**Contact information:**

Bob Teele  
2555 West Brook Lane  
Clearwater, FL 33761

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

It is hard to believe that Derek has been gone for ten years but we are very proud of the work we continue to do through his foundation. Since establishing the Derek Teele Foundation in 2009, we have donated over \$100,000.00 back to the local community. Our work through the foundation has really helped our family heal and it warms our hearts to know that Derek's loving spirit lives on through everything that we do. We thank you all from the bottom of our hearts for believing in our cause and supporting our efforts for the last ten years!

## **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.

