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SIAS Palliser hosts 16th golf classic

Annual tournament raises money for scholarships

SIAS Palliser Campus is hosting the 16th Annual Scholarship Golf Classic on Friday, June 2, at the Hillcrest Sports Center in Moose Jaw, SK.

"Palliser's annual Scholarship Golf Classic is an excellent opportunity for business and industry to help support post-secondary education," says Yvette Moose, 2006 honorary chair. "Alumni, faculty and staff meet employers, suppliers and friends for a great day of golf for an even greater cause – student scholarships."

Over the past 15 years, almost \$80,000 has been raised through the tournament, and almost 100 deserving SIAS Palliser Campus students have received scholarship support. "Student scholarships help keep SIAS programs attractive to potential students seeking education in Saskatchewan and in Moose Jaw in particular, and help keep Saskatchewan's best and brightest here at home in our province," says development and alumni officer Pam McLellan. "The golf classic scholarships are awarded based on a student's academic performance, campus involvement and community volunteerism."

The Texas scramble best ball tournament is open to the public. Registration is \$110 and includes 18 holes of golf, a cart, steak barbecue and a golfer gift. SIAS alumni will receive a discounted fee of \$100, and a special prize for the SIAS alumni team with the lowest score will be awarded. A variety of sponsorship options are also available including hole, tee or green sponsorship, and prizes or cash sponsorship. The deadline for registration is May 26.

The tournament kicks off with registration and a chance to putt for cash from 10 to 11:30 a.m., followed by a shotgun start at noon. Further registration and sponsorship information is available by contacting Pam McLellan at (306) 694-3958.

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