

We wish you had the pleasure to know Rob, but for those of you who did not.

Rob “Nicky” Nicholson was born and raised in Green Bay, Wisconsin. Hockey was his passion from a very early age. Rob had been a player, coach, mentor and administrator. Playing in the BCYHA, USHL, and drafted by the NHL. After his playing career he started coaching and mentoring local talent at every level from high school, college, and junior hockey.

When we lost Rob on November 27, 2016, it did not take long for us to start thinking of how we could do something to keep his name alive. An event that combined three of his favorite things: golf, hockey, and helping others. It was not long after that first mention of a possibly golf outing in his memory that we were in full blown planning mode of a memorial golf outing. The first year we did the outing strictly as a memorial outing; which was great, but we both felt we needed to do more. We wanted to do something to help someone, in some way, just like Rob loved to do. Helping the youth of local area clubs was an immediate thought for us and we ran with it. The 1st Annual “The Nicky” was in the works and our excitement over such an amazing cause, so close to Rob’s heart.

Our mission is to continue Rob’s enthusiasm for helping others by raising funds for local youth hockey programs; Green Bay, De Pere and the girls program. We had many different ideas as to how we wanted to distribute this money, but in the end we stuck to our goal “to help as many local youth hockey families as possible”. The easiest way we saw fit was to split our funds raised equally amongst every player. We are so proud to announce that \$13,791.25 was raised in our 1st year. This would not have been possible with our all of our sponsors, donors, and participants.

We can’t do this without the help of our amazing community members and the many area business that donated. We would love to have you at our event to golf, volunteer or just joining us for dinner and live music. Next year the event will be held on Friday, June 21st.

An example of how funds will be distributed..... \$13,791.25 divided by 400 players (just an example) means \$34.47 per player. To be added as a line item subtraction to the player dues invoice.

“Remember, a kid on ice is a kid not in hot water”

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