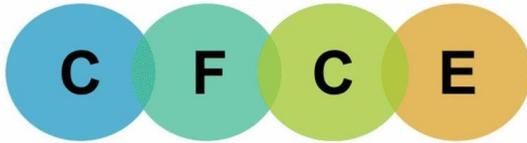


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2016 CFCE Golf Tournament

On June 9th, 2016 we had the privilege of hosting the 7th Annual CFCE Golf Tournament at The Arrowhead Golf Course in Littleton, CO. It was a baking hot start to the day with crystal blue skies and a glowing lawn ready for some long drives and perfect putts from our loyal CFCE supporters. We had a wonderful day which we kicked off with a BBQ lunch and some time to practice on the driving range. Despite a delayed start on the golf course, our players were patient and understanding and we started off with the ball drop competition. By some miracle, the ball that landed closest to the hole was the same winner as last year! Lance Volmer scored the jackpot prize for the second time in a row and very kindly donated a portion back to CFCE. Thank you, Lance, and you better be ready to win next year just in case those lucky numbers come up again!



Once the golfers were on the course we had many games to keep them entertained, including the Hole-in-One, longest drive, closest to the pin and the betting hole. We also served popcorn and raffle tickets on the course this year.

After 16 holes of great weather, the rain arrived to end our day with only one hole remaining for many of our players! This led them inside to come and join us for our after party and raffle. We had so many fantastic prizes this year including Broncos tickets, ski lift passes, restaurant gift cards and family fun adventures. We had a total of 22 prizes and then had a live auction for a 7-night stay at the Wyndham Vacation Resort Steamboat Springs, kindly donated by Roxanne and Jim Waechter. All of our games, raffle and auction helped us raise money towards our program. We are also extremely grateful to all of our sponsors who you can see on page 5. Without their generous sponsorship we would not be where we are today at CFCE!

We would also like to thank Chase Hoffman for being our photographer this year. On the next few pages you will see a selection of photos from Chase of our event. We hope you enjoy!

Thank you once again to all of our golfers, supporters, raffle/auction donors, families and the many volunteers who helped this event be the success it was.



Golf Tournament Committee:
Chelsea Arenas, Jennifer Doyle, Pete Doyle, Brittney Kemp, Jim Waechter III, and Roxanne Waechter

Golf Tournament 2016



2016 CFCE Golf Tournament Winners



1st Place

Team: Liller-Lillo-Befort-Miller



2nd Place

Team: Nemnich- Strecker- Kelloff- Edwards

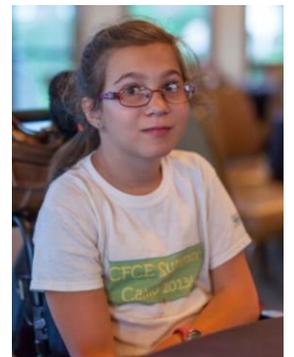


3rd Place

Team: Gottschalk- Gottschalk- Gottschalk- Gottschalk

Thank you to our Golf Tournament volunteers!

C FCE extends a huge thank you to all of the volunteers at the 2016 Golf Tournament. This event would not be possible without you, and thanks to your support we had a very successful fundraiser!



Chelsea Arenas, Jadyne Arenas, Heather Armijo, Ava Baker, Caroline Baker, Chloe Baker, Jill Baxa, Debbie Cardinelli, Nathan Charlan, Renee Charlan, Zachary Charlan, Mia Deutsch, Jennifer Doyle, Peter Doyle, Leon Griess, Vicki Griess, Brittney Kemp, Maribeth Kemp, Hunter Kozney, Meighan Meeker, Carl Palmer, Robin Palmer, Carlyn Poortinga, Tiffany Poortinga, Mary Wade, James Waechter, Jim Waechter III, Libby Waechter, Roxanne Waechter, and Lara Wood

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TWIN PETROLEUM
Jim & Roxanne Waechter

How YOU can help support our next steps...

- **Monthly Giving**

Commit to giving a small amount every month to CFCE with a direct deposit of \$10, \$20 or whatever you can offer to support us throughout the year.

- **Like Us On Facebook!**

Did you know that we have a Facebook page? Like us and you will see pictures of the kids at Summer Camp along with other updates at CFCE!

- **Attend Our Fundraisers**

We plan to host multiple fundraisers this year to help us gain more momentum towards our goals for the next year. Sign up today for updates about future fundraisers! Email us at www.conductiveed.com

- **Volunteer!**

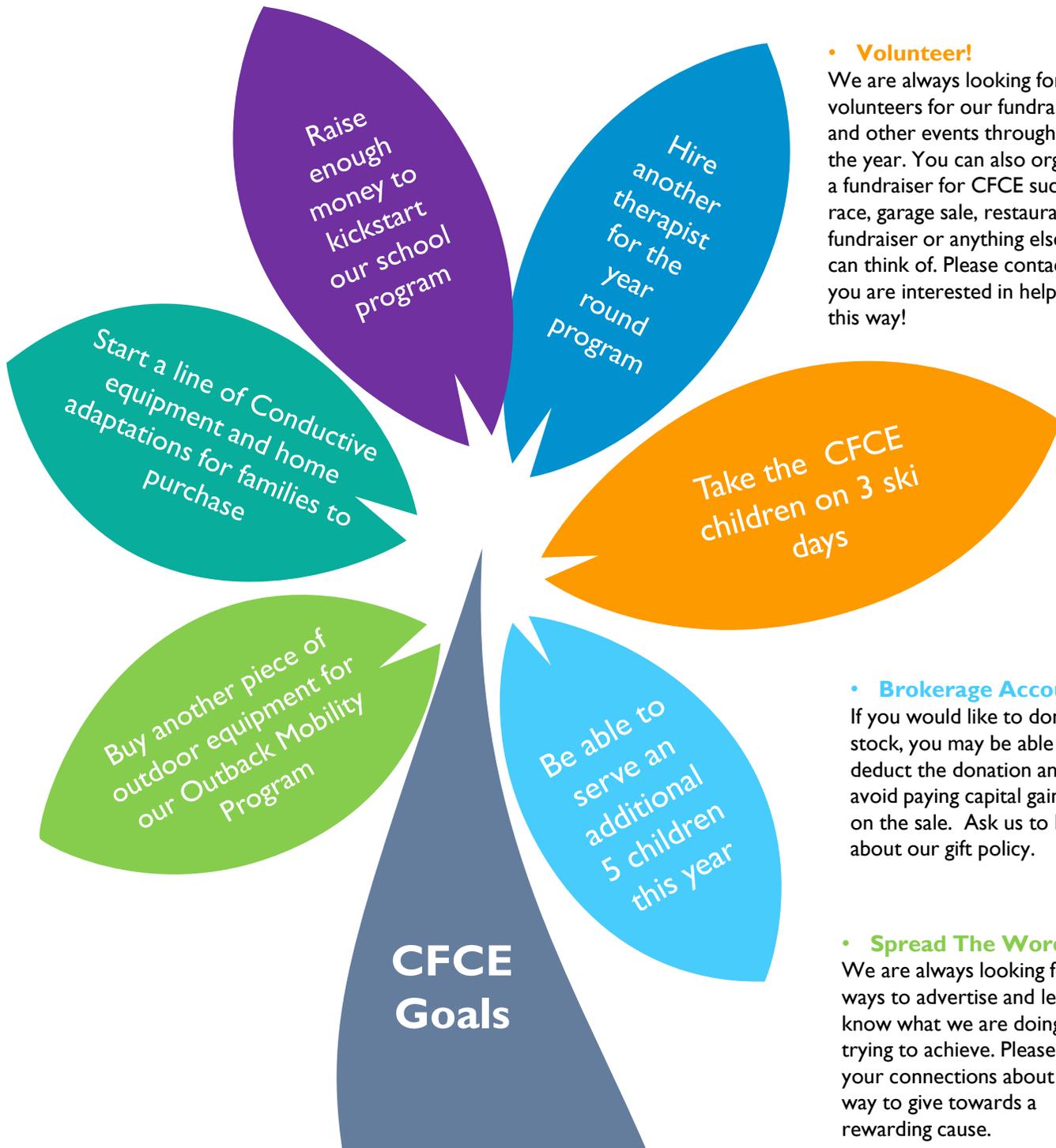
We are always looking for volunteers for our fundraisers and other events throughout the year. You can also organize a fundraiser for CFCE such as a race, garage sale, restaurant fundraiser or anything else you can think of. Please contact us if you are interested in helping this way!

- **Brokerage Account**

If you would like to donate stock, you may be able to deduct the donation and avoid paying capital gains tax on the sale. Ask us to hear about our gift policy.

- **Spread The Word!**

We are always looking for new ways to advertise and let people know what we are doing and trying to achieve. Please tell your connections about us as a way to give towards a rewarding cause.



Meet The CFCE Kids!

Pryce: written by Nicole, Pryce's mother

Pryce is a wonderful vibrant almost 4 year old boy. Pryce experienced a semi traumatic birth after laboring all day to discover he was breach and required an emergency C-section. After a few months of seemingly normal development, Pryce began to miss common milestones like sitting up and reaching for toys. Pryce underwent several series of tests and MRI's and was diagnosed with partial Agenesis of the Corpus Callosum. The Corpus Callosum is a large nerve connection between our right and left brains hemispheres and Pryce's was only partially developed. This makes Pryce's world difficult to make sense of. What a typical child learns in a few weeks may take Pryce months to years. Sight, speech, balance and overall body control requires both sides of our brains to master and we have to teach Pryce's brain to make these connections. This means that Pryce cannot speak, crawl, roll over, stand or sit up independently, and cannot feed himself on a regular basis. However, Pryce has always had wonderful hearing and loves music, laughter, riding horses, attending basketball games and being in the swimming pool.



For the past 5 months, Pryce has been a part of CFCE program and over that time has made significant gains towards independence. Pryce showed a strong determination to walk after the very first class! He is now sitting up with little help, using his arms and legs with more coordination and focus, and it is obvious he is getting stronger every day. He works so hard, but the pride in his face when accomplishing something is priceless! We have literally searched the globe for different methods of therapy and Pryce has experienced most of them at some point with less success than what we have found with Conductive Education. We could not be more excited about the upcoming summer camp and what new milestones Pryce will achieve. Our new motto we live by is Impossible is Nothing.

Pryce wants to run through the sprinklers and ride his bike without help, he doesn't need to tell us that, we can see it in his eyes! We believe this program will help him achieve his goals. Pryce is a very busy kid that can still throw a tantrum when dessert is taken away, but his progression since beginning the CFCE program has been an inspiration to us all and this couldn't be possible without the support of everyone, (sponsors, golfers, volunteers) and of course Jen!



Hudson: written by Robin, Hudson's mother

Hudson is a happy, sensitive, caring, kind and shy 11 year old with a sharp wit. He was diagnosed with spastic diplegia at 20 months of age. In those early years, he received speech, occupational therapy, physical therapy and hippo therapy. Since age 4, Hudson started with a reverse walker, moved to forearm crutches and a manual wheel chair and now uses walking canes and a wheel chair to move about.

For the past 5 years, Hudson has received physical therapy weekly with CFCE, Ms. Jen, where he uses a wheel chair and walks short distances with walking canes. In the past and due to your support, he has attended CFCE summer camps and loves participating in the winter ski program. He has improved his skiing skills and enjoys the freedom on the slopes. His ski instructors feel he should be able to advance a new level next season. We are so appreciative for your support to this program.

Hudson works hard every week for Ms. Jen. We both feel that he maintains and keeps his strength due to her efforts. Ms. Jen is an amazing and incredible therapist and resource. She goes above and beyond what I have seen with other organizations. She provides information and resources about possible interventions to help with foot pain and strengthening. She knows how to encourage Hudson to work hard while most of the time he feels like he is having fun. She accommodates our not-so-good days and continues to push him to grow and be strong giving him the confidence he needs to grow. While only a compliment a dedicated therapist can appreciate, Hudson will state, "I get angry with her because she makes me do so much!" When asked do you like Ms. Jen otherwise and does she help you, the response is always, "Yes". Thank you Ms. Jen!

Hudson enjoys hand cycling, wheelchair rugby, kayaking, sled hockey and of course video games. We wouldn't be where we are without CFCE. We greatly appreciate your support of their programs! Thank you from the bottom of our heart!

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Follow us on Facebook at <https://www.facebook.com/conductiveed/?fref=ts> to get updates on our latest fundraisers, events, and also see the growth of the CFCE kids throughout the year!

IMPORTANT DATES:

Summer Camps Run June 6th - Aug. 12th
Fall Classes Start: Aug
Fall Fundraiser: TBD

I'll do my part to help CFCE....

Yes, I would like to donate to CFCE and help individuals with motor disabilities. I want to do my part to help them achieve their goal of independence. I've enclosed my **tax-deductible** gift of:

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