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16th Annual R.F. Wood Golf Tournament Raises over \$25,000 for Boys & Girls Clubs of MetroWest

Marlborough - The 16th Annual R.F. Wood Kids Classic Golf Tournament took place on Monday, July 14th, at Marlborough Country Club. Over 140 golfers and volunteers joined together to remember the late Bob "R.F." Wood and raise much needed funds for the Boys & Girls Clubs of MetroWest.

"With the support of our generous sponsors, golfers and the Wood family the 2008 tournament raised over \$25,000 to help fund after school programs at our Clubhouses throughout MetroWest," said Fran Hurley, President of the Boys & Girls Clubs of MetroWest. "We look forward to next year's tournament."

Tournament sponsors included DCU for Kids, Fletcher Tilton and Whipple and Middlesex Savings Bank. Golfers enjoyed breakfast courtesy of Harvest Café of Hudson and Starbucks. Delicious box lunches were provided courtesy of Panera Bread.

"DCU is very proud to be a sponsor of the 16th Annual R.F. Wood Kids Classic Golf Tournament to benefit the Boys and Girls Clubs of MetroWest!" said Donna Russo, Vice President of Human Resources for DCU. "It was heartwarming to hear the many stories from adults who are determined to give back to the club all they received as children. Many attribute their success today to the support, encouragement, and opportunity to grow personally that they too received as children from the club".

Each year the Boys & Girls Clubs of MetroWest presents the R.F. Wood Award to an individual who represents the qualities that "R.F." Wood valued – including outstanding dedication and volunteerism for the Boys & Girls Clubs of MetroWest. The 2008 R.F. Wood Award was presented to David Roach Jr. of Marlborough. A former Club member, employee and now a Club volunteer, Dave attended the Boys & Girls Club for over 10 years. When asked about the importance of the Boys & Girls Clubs Dave will share countless memories and positive experiences of his time as a Club member. Known for his sense of humor and modesty, Dave will often tell people about his dedication to the Boys & Girls Clubs "It's all about the kids."

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The Boys & Girls Clubs of MetroWest serves over 3,200 children and youth each year making it one of the largest Boys & Girls Club organizations in Massachusetts. With over 100 years of providing quality out-of-school programming for the children and youth of greater Marlborough, Hudson and Framingham The Boys & Girls Clubs of MetroWest remains dedicated to being the Positive Place for Kids.

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