



MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 27, 2021
8:30 AM REGISTRATION
10:30 AM SHOTGUN START
BRYN MAWR COUNTRY CLUB
LINCOLNWOOD, ILLINOIS

18-HOLES OF GOLF ALONGSIDE CELEBRITIES
BBQ LUNCH & COCKTAILS ON THE COURSE
19TH-HOLE RECEPTION WITH COCKTAILS & HEAVY APPS.
VIP DINNER & PAIRINGS AUCTION (SUNDAY, 9/26)

As many as 70 million Americans live with digestive diseases – ranging from daily difficulties to chronic and debilitating conditions to fatal diseases. Since 1961, the GI Research Foundation (GIRF) has partnered with the renowned University of Chicago Medicine to prevent, treat, and cure digestive diseases, and to improve the quality of life for digestive diseases patients all over the world.

Historically, the Larry A. Pogofsky All-Star Challenge features a celebrity softball game, home run derby, and kids' baseball clinic with Chicago's biggest baseball (and hockey and football) legends. This year, due to the Pandemic, the event moves to "the greens." Golfers will enjoy 18-holes of golf with a celebrity, grilled lunch and cocktails along the course, a 19th-hole reception with cocktails and heavy appetizers, and more. The All-Star Challenge kicks-off with a **VIP Dinner & Pairings Auction** on Sunday, September 26th, where guests can mingle with celebrities and bid on a star who will join their golf foursome on Monday, September 27th.

Larry A. Pogofsky, one of the original White Sox investors, was a die-hard baseball fan who loved and respected every player that had the privilege to put on a major league uniform. Larry was also passionate about healthcare research thanks to a life-changing experience at the University of Chicago Medicine. He was a long-standing board member and former president of GIRF. The GI Research Foundation is proud to present the All-Star Challenge, which honors Larry's love for sports and continues his legacy funding important medical research.

**Golf with professional athletes and celebrities including Frank Thomas, Chris Chelios, Brian Urlacher, Marcus Allen, Toni Kukoc, Ryan Dempster, Jermaine Dye, Fergie Jenkins, Ozzie Guillen, Adam Russell, Lance Briggs, Scott Posednik, Andrew Vaughn, Lee Smith, Katie Kearney, Darryl Boston, Cliff Floyd, Carlos Zambrano, Ryan Cabrera, Frank Winters, Adam Greenberg, Toby Hall, Carl Everett, Brian Anderson, Zach Collins, Joe Crede and more!*

*Subject to change.

For more information, please contact Brittany Zelwin at 312-332-1350 or bzelwin@girf.org.

EAGLE SPONSOR.....\$20,000

1. Two foursomes **2.** Four tickets to the Sunday, 9/26 *VIP Dinner & Pairings Auction* **3.** Exclusive opportunity to select two celebrities to pair up with golf foursomes **4.** One Hole Sponsorship **5.** Name or logo featured on pin flags **6.** Eagle Sponsor recognition on event signage (includes *VIP Dinner & Pairings Auction*) **7.** Eagle Sponsor recognition on invitation, website, and additional event communications **8.** Verbal recognition during event reception **9.** Opportunity to include promotional item in gift bags

BIRDIE SPONSOR.....\$10,000

1. One foursome **2.** Two tickets to the Sunday, 9/26 *VIP Dinner & Pairings Auction* **3.** One Hole Sponsorship **4.** Birdie Sponsor recognition on event signage (includes *VIP Dinner & Pairings Auction*) **5.** Birdie Sponsor recognition on invitation, website, and additional event communications **6.** Verbal recognition during event reception **7.** Opportunity to include promotional item in gift bags

VIP DINNER & PAIRINGS AUCTION SPONSOR.....\$5,000

1. Four tickets to the Sunday, 9/26 *VIP Dinner & Pairings Auction* **2.** Prominent recognition on *VIP Dinner & Pairings Auction* signage **3.** Recognition on invitation, website, and additional event communications **4.** Verbal recognition during *VIP Dinner & Pairings Auction*

19TH-HOLE RECEPTION SPONSOR..... \$3,500

1. Four tickets to the 19th Hole Reception **2.** Prominent recognition on 19th-Hole Reception signage **3.** Recognition on invitation, website, and additional event communications **4.** Verbal recognition during event reception

BEVERAGE CART SPONSOR.....\$2,500

CONTEST SPONSOR.....\$2,500

GOLF CART SPONSOR.....\$2,500

PIN FLAG SPONSOR.....\$2,500

1. Two tickets to the 19th-Hole Reception **2.** Logo or Name on relevant signage **3.** Recognition on website and additional event communications

HOLE SPONSOR.....\$1,000

1. Logo or Name on hole signage **2.** Recognition on website and additional event communications

FOURSOME.....\$4,000

1. Golf foursome with a caddy, complimentary pairing, breakfast, lunch, 19th-Hole reception, gift bags, and more **2.** Two tickets to the Sunday, 9/26 *VIP Dinner & Pairings Auction*

INDIVIDUAL GOLFER.....\$1,250

19TH-HOLE RECEPTION TICKET.....\$150

SOLD OUT



**LARRY A. POGOFSKY
ALL-STAR CHALLENGE ON THE GREENS
MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 27, 2021
BRYN MAWR COUNTRY CLUB**

- ☐ Eagle Sponsor. \$20,000
- ☐ Birdie Sponsor. \$10,000
- ☐ VIP Dinner & Pairings Sponsor. . \$5,000
- ☐ 19th-Hole Reception Sponsor. . \$3,500
- ☐ Beverage Cart Sponsor \$2,500
- ☐ Contest Sponsor \$2,500

- ☐ Golf Cart Sponsor \$2,500
- ☐ Pin Flag Sponsor \$2,500
- ☐ Hole Sponsor \$1,000
- ☐ Foursome \$4,000
- ☐ Individual Golfer \$1,250
- ☐ 19th-Hole Ticket \$150

CONTACT INFORMATION

Name:

Company:

Address/City/State:

Phone:

Email:

Golfer Name(s) and Email(s):

PAYMENT OPTIONS

- ☐ Check enclosed. *(Payable to GI Research Foundation, 1954 First St., Highland Park, IL 60035)*
- ☐ Please send an invoice.
- ☐ Credit Card.

Name on Card:

Credit Card #:

Billing Zip:

CVC:

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