

Airway Meadows Golf Course held its 5<sup>th</sup> Annual Benefit Tournament on Sunday, August 24<sup>th</sup>. 120 players came out to play in the 4-player scramble tournament. This year's event was to benefit the family of Lori and Corey Martin who are recovering from a devastating car accident in November 2007. The accident took the life of Jessica, the oldest daughter and severely injured the other daughter, Corey, who is currently undergoing intensive rehabilitation. We raised \$6365 for the family through the golfers who participated, the selling of hole sponsor signs, a 50/50 raffle and a live auction. Below are the top finishers in the event.

#### Low Net Division:

1<sup>st</sup> place: (51) – Helen Waite, Peg Nelson, Roy Vanderbogart, Bob Macey 2<sup>nd</sup> place: (51) – Tom Gibney, Rich Gabarow, George Gabarow, Chris Dannehy 3<sup>rd</sup> place: (52) – Tony Leombruni, Frank Dorsey, Jimmy Maye, Bob Lindsey 4<sup>th</sup> place: (53) – Matt Leonard, John Rion, Cesar Rodriguez, Tom Duval

Low Gross Division:

1<sup>st</sup> place: (59) – Rob Fosmer, Brett Belden, Ivy Vitenbergs, Catie Dillman

2<sup>nd</sup> place: (60) – Dean Holtby, Aaron Holtby, Tom Turner, Josh Nealon

3<sup>rd</sup> place: (60) – Andy Meilun, Jim Carbone, Tom Rebeisz, Bill Hayes

4<sup>th</sup> place: (60) – Marty Breen, Ed Eustio, Damon Adams, Rich Andersen

Closest to the Pin #9 – Marie Petrie 4' 9" Closest to the Pin #17 – Helen Waite 6' 9" Women's Longest Drive #2 – Helen Waite Men's Longest Drive #8 – Ed Eusbio Seniors Longest Drive #14 - Uncle Frank Most Accurate Drive #5 – Paul Brucker



## Welcome to the 5<sup>th</sup> Annual

## 2008 Airway Meadows Benefit Tournament

**'08 Recipient: Lori & Corey Martin family** *In memory of Jessica* 

> Sunday, August 24<sup>th</sup>, 2008 18 Hole – 4 Player Scramble 1:30 P.M. Shotgun Start



Jessica was a Ballston Spa Scotties Cheerleader In addition to having many other interests

### Lori & Corey Martin Family

On November 6, 2007 Lori Martin, a single mother of three, received the worse news a parent could imagine. Two of her children were in a fatal car accident. Lori's eldest daughter Jessica Canfield, only 16 years of age, was driving when she lost control of the vehicle and hit a tractor trailer head on. She died on impact. Lori's other daughter Corey, was riding in the backseat and was airlifted to Albany Medical Center, where Lori was told she may not live. Corey's seatbelt caused great damage to the girl's small body. Corey's large and small intestines were severely injured and her aorta was torn. Her vertebrae were chattered and the pressure of the seatbelt severed her spinal cord. Lori was told if Corey did live, she would never walk again. While her youngest daughter teetered on the brink of life, Lori was burying her oldest child.

Lori and her family spent one month at Albany Med. in the Intensive Care Unit waiting and hoping that Corey would survive. She lost weight and her condition seemed to deteriorate. Finally, she was discharged to Sunnyview, a rehabilitation center. Corey spent four months trying to relearn simple tasks like seeing and speaking. She was unable to focus her eyes and slurred her speech. She could not walk, run or play. She was bound to a wheelchair and Lori did not leave her side.

Corey has been considered a miracle child. She can walk 20 feet with special braces and continues to improve. So much of the family's life has changed over the past few months to be with her daughter. Prior to the accident she was in nursing school working on a degree to support her family and hopes to one day finish nursing school.

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# <u>Donations of Prizes</u> <u>Raffle & Auction Items</u>

In alphabetical order

- Airway Meadows Golf Club
- Anonymous
- \* Brian Rhodes, PGA Prof.
- Bend of the River Golf Club
- Brookhaven Golf Club
- Cronin's Golf Resort
- Curt Lohrey, PGA Prof.
- Fran's Hallmark
- ✤ Jayme & Joan Heber
- Minisceongo Golf Club-Pomona, NY
- Northway Golf Center-HOLE IN ONE
- Queensbury County Club
- Reed's Hydraulics
- Sagamore Golf Course
- ✤ Sanctuary Spa
- Saratoga Lake Golf Club
- Saratoga National Golf Club
- Stone Dock Golf Club High Falls,NY
- Tee Bird Country Club
- Titleist
- Top of the World Golf Course
- ✤ 1,000 Acres Golf Resort

## Donations of Food & Beverage

• Fitzgerald Bros, Saratoga Eagle, US Foods

## <u>Sponsor Level Cash Donations</u> for Corey & Lori Martin Family

In alphabetical order

- ✤ Adirondack Trust Company
- \* ASAP Container Rentals
- ✤ Airway Meadows Inc. -Jayme & Joan Heber
- ✤ Airway Meadows Grounds Crew (2)
- ✤ Airway Kitchen, Tavern, Beverage Cart Staff
- Airway Meadows Pro Shop Golf Staff
- ✤ Airway Meadows group of Member Friends
- Airway Meadows Ranger Chuck
- C1 Maternity Saratoga Hospital Employees
- Doc's Steakhouse
- Fran's Hallmark Shop (2)
- ✤ Gene Henry Trucking
- Grasshopper Gardens (2)
- Heber Associates Staffing Services
- New Dimensions Landscaping
- ✤ Jointa Lime
- Pallette Stone
- Reed's Hydraulics
- Republican Laing for NYS Assembly
- ✤ Saratoga-Wilton Elks #161 (2)
- ✤ Steve Rajeski Electric
- Stone Bridge Iron & Steel Co.
- TMG-The McCormick Group (2)
- ✤ Val pak Direct Mail
- ✤ Warren Electric Supply (2)
- Wilton Medical Arts Employees

### Misc. Cash Donations: Janet Penk