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## CHELCO golf tournament raises nearly \$11,000

DeFuniak Springs (June 20, 2021) – The 2021 CHELCO Charity Golf Tournament, held May 20 at Blackstone Golf Course, raised over \$10,800 to benefit three worthy causes: The American Heart Association, American Cancer Society and Friends for Autism Awareness.

Bonnie Whitfield, CHELCO's Communications and Community Affairs Supervisor said that this event raised more money than any in recent history.

"With the pandemic, we haven't been able to host many of our usual fundraising events," Whitfield said. "I'm thankful to our employees who volunteered and for all of our sponsors who made our tournament a huge success."

The tournament would not have been possible without the sponsors who helped raise money for these causes, including those who contributed \$1,000 at the Gold Level: Ritz Stores, Majors Financial Group, Tri-State Utility Products and Clary-Glenn Funeral Homes.

As pandemic restrictions continue to be lifted, visit CHELCO.com and follow CHELCO on social media, @MyCHELCO on all platforms, to stay up-to-date on all upcoming community events.

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