

Media Release

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Adroit golfers to aid St John of God Hospital Geelong

St John of God Hospital Geelong will benefit from the generosity of Adroit Insurance Group in an event set to be the golf day of the year.

Adroit Insurance Group formally known as Austbrokers has been supporting St John of God by donating the proceeds of their annual fundraising golf day for the past seven years.

Over \$50,000 was raised at last year's event held at 13th Beach Golf Links and donated to aid the Oncology Centre Appeal. The hospital is working together with Adroit and hopes a similar target can be reached this year in support of the Special Care Nursery Appeal.

Adroit Insurance Group Managing Director, Andrew Locke says "We are proud to support the hospital in this way and of course when we are all enjoying a day of golf at Barwon Heads to do it, it couldn't be better !"

Mr Stephen Roberts CEO of St John of God Hospital Geelong said, "As an organisation, we are always grateful of support from the community and Adroit have long been generous in their contribution to the hospital."

130 Adroit (meaning skilful or dexterous) players will be involved in the event this year including a range of local and Melbourne based business and will compete for the Meatball Cup, named in honour of the late Graham Page.

Golfers will enjoy the challenge of the 18 holes at 13th Beach Golf Links, including on course hospitality from Man Bo and Lord of the Isles with the day capped off by a sumptuous seafood buffet in the Clubhouse. A highlight of the event and boost to the fundraising efforts will be an auction conducted by Mr Rob Gaylard to raise funds from a range of items donated by local business.

Event details:

Date: Tuesday November 24, 2009

Time: from 11.30 am

Venue: 13th Beach Golf Links
Barwon Heads

Interview and photo opportunities available.

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