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May 16, 2025

Dear Friend,

Re: London District Chiefs Council 6<sup>th</sup> Annual Golf Tournament

The Southern First Nation Secretariat (SFNS) is pleased to be coordinating the **London District Chiefs Council 6<sup>th</sup> Annual Golf Tournament - Benefiting Regional Youth Initiatives**. Thanks to sponsorship contributions and donations, we had a successful 5<sup>th</sup> Annual Tournament in 2024, raising \$6,071!

Funds raised from the four golf tournaments held prior to 2024, allowed the LDCC Regional Youth Initiatives Fund to provide financial assistance to 32 youth athletes who participated in the 2023 North American Indigenous Games (NAIG) in Halifax, Nova Scotia. NAIG is a large Indigenous youth sporting event held every 4 years and hosts competitions in 16 sports for youth aged 13-19.

This year, you can help us continue to grow the Youth Initiatives Fund and support future initiatives like this by becoming a donor or sponsor through one or more ways listed here:

- 1) Swag bag items: help enhance the golfer's swag bag with your branded promotion item (120).
- 2) Door prize and game prize items: (8) Yeti/Stanley, (6) packs of golf balls, (4) lawn chairs, (4) umbrellas, promotional swag packs/baskets, other golf swag, or local Indigenous craft items, etc.
- 3) Hole Sponsor - \$200 (multiple available)  
*As a hole sponsor, your logo/business name will be prominently displayed at a hole tee. Your logo will also be hyperlinked on our golf tournament webpage and listed in any event report published.*
- 4) Additional sponsorship opportunities: Please view the attached "APPENDIX 1 – LDCC GT2025 Sponsorship Package" for more extensive opportunities.

We thank you in advance for your consideration and look forward to your participation through donation, sponsorship, or as a player in our tournament. The details of the event are as follows:

Date: August 15, 2025

Time: 10am Shotgun

Location: Sawmill Creek Golf Resort & Spa

Format: 4 Person Scramble

(Save the Date flyer attached)

Should you wish to discuss a donation, become a sponsor, or require any further information please feel free to contact Portia Shipman, Event Coordinator at [events@sfns.on.ca](mailto:events@sfns.on.ca) or 226-627-6228.

Thank you,

Portia Shipman  
Event Coordinator  
Southern First Nations Secretariat

# SPONSORSHIP PACKAGE



# 6TH ANNUAL LDCC GOLF TOURNAMENT

Benefiting Regional Youth  
Initiatives

AUGUST 15, 2025 | 10AM SHOTGUN START  
SAWMILL CREEK GOLF RESORT & SPA



## **KOOLAMALSI / BOOZHOO / SHEKOLI / HELLO,**

The Southern First Nations Secretariat (SFNS) is currently seeking sponsorships for the London District Chiefs Council (LDCC) **6th Annual Golf Tournament: Benefiting Regional Youth Initiatives**. Each year SFNS hosts an annual golf tournament where the money raised is used to fund regional youth programming that directly benefits LDCC youth.

With the support of generous sponsors and donors, last year's golf tournament **raised \$6,071** toward the LDCC Regional Youth Initiatives Fund.

With support of the last 4 golf tournaments prior to 2024, the LDCC Regional Youth Initiatives Fund was able to provide financial support to 32 youth athletes who participated in the 2023 North American Indigenous Games (NAIG) hosted in Halifax, Nova Scotia. NAIG is a large Indigenous youth sporting event held every 4 years and hosts competitions in 16 sports for youth 13-19 years of age.

This year you can help us continue to grow the Youth Initiatives Fund and support future initiatives like this by becoming a donor or sponsor through one or more ways listed within this sponsorship package.

### **Who is Southern First Nations Secretariat and What Do We Do?**

SFNS is a Tribal Council who delivers programs and services to our seven member First Nations. Services include: Post-Secondary Funding & Support Services, Technical Services, Employment & Training Support Services, Economic & Capacity Development, and Financial Advisory Services. SFNS is also the corporate support body for service delivery for the LDCC.

The seven SFNS member First Nations are: Aamjiwnaang First Nation, Caldwell First Nation, Chippewas of Kettle & Stony Point First Nation, Chippewas of the Thames First Nation, Eelünaapèewii Lahkèewiit (Delaware Nation), Munsee-Delaware Nation, and Oneida Nation of the Thames.

### **Who is London District Chiefs Council and What Do We Do?**

The LDCC is an association of First Nation governments in southwestern Ontario. It was formed in the 1970s as an informal group of Chiefs from the surrounding First Nation communities to gather and discuss common issues and concerns that have an impact on their eight communities.

The eight LDCC member First Nations are: Aamjiwnaang First Nation, Bkejwanong Territory (Walpole Island First Nation), Caldwell First Nation, Chippewas of Kettle & Stony Point First Nation, Chippewas of the Thames First Nation, Eelünaapèewii Lahkèewiit (Delaware Nation), Munsee-Delaware Nation, and Oneida Nation of the Thames.

# SPONSORSHIP PACKAGES

## **TITLE SPONSORSHIP - \$5,000 (exclusive) - CLAIMED**

- Large sized logo on all promotional material
- Recognition as, “[Your Business] presents the 6th Annual LDCC Golf Tournament- Benefiting Regional Youth Initiatives”
- Company name and logo posted on SFNS social media platforms starting July 7, 2025
- Company logo on the on-site tournament banner.
- Opportunity to include a swag bag item (provided by the sponsor)
- Two (2) teams of four registration included.
- Shout out at dinner!

## **DINNER SPONSORSHIP - \$3,000 (exclusive)**

- Medium sized logo on all promotional material
- Company name and logo posted on SFNS social media platforms starting July 7, 2025
- Company logo on the on-site tournament banner.
- Company logo prominently displayed during dinner.
- Opportunity to include a swag bag item (provided by the sponsor)
- Team of four registration included.
- Shout out at dinner!

## **GOLF CART SPONSORSHIP - \$1,000 (2 available)**

- Medium sized logo on all promotional material
- Company name and logo posted on SFNS social media platforms starting July 7, 2025
- Company logo on the on-site tournament banner.
- Logo posted on all golf carts.
- Opportunity to include a swag bag item (provided by the sponsor)
- Shout out at dinner!

## **BEVERAGE CART SPONSORSHIP - \$1,000 (2 available)**

- Medium sized logo on all promotional material
- Company name and logo posted on SFNS social media platforms starting July 7, 2025
- Company logo on the on-site tournament banner.
- Company logo displayed on beverage cart.
- Shout out at dinner!
  - All golfers will receive a complimentary beverage ticket to redeem a non-alcoholic drink from the beverage cart.

## **JUNIOR YOUTH GOLFER SPONSORSHIP - \$500 (6 available)**

- Small sized logo on all promotional material
- Company name and logo posted on SFNS social media platforms starting July 7, 2025
- Company logo on the on-site tournament banner.
  - *This sponsorship provides a limited number of LDCC Junior Youth, ages 6-16, with the opportunity to participate in the golf tournament. There were 5 youth identified for the 2024 golf tournament, and we hope to continue to grow this number with your support!*

## SPONSORSHIP PACKAGES CONTINUED

### **PRIZE HOLE SPONSORSHIP - \$500 (2 available)**

- Small sized logo on all promotional material
- Company name and logo displayed at the designated hole.
- Company logo on the on-site tournament banner.
  - Prizes to be valued at a minimum of \$100:
    - Closest to the Pin, Men's & Ladies
    - Longest Drive, Men's & Ladies

### **HOLE SPONSORSHIP - \$200 (multiple available)**

- Company name and logo displayed at a hole tee.

Through any of the above sponsorship opportunities you will also receive recognition with your logo hyperlinked on our golf tournament webpage and listed in any event report published.

To confirm your sponsorship, register a team, or to discuss a donation, please contact Portia Shipman, Event Coordinator, at [events@sfns.on.ca](mailto:events@sfns.on.ca) or by phone at 226-627-6228.

# SFNS REACH

## MEMBERSHIP REACH

(Membership as of March 2025 by Indigenous Services Canada)

**Aamjiwnaang First Nation**  
2,603

**Bkejwanong Territory (Walpole Island First Nation)**  
5,044

**Caldwell First Nation**  
535

**Chippewas of the Thames First Nation**  
3,210

**Chippewas of Kettle & Stony Point First Nation**  
2,663

**Eelunapeewi Lahkeewiit (Delaware Nation)**  
1,383

**Munsee-Delaware Nation**  
739

**Oneida Nation of the Thames**  
5,578



## WEBSITE (FISCAL YEAR 2024-2025)

[www.sfns.on.ca](http://www.sfns.on.ca)



## E-NEWSLETTER



## SOCIAL MEDIA

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