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**SARATOGA CONVENTION AND TOURISM BUREAU'S ANNUAL GOLF CLASSIC!**

SARATOGA SPRINGS, N.Y. --- Saratoga Convention & Tourism Bureau's 2012 Golf Classic is being held at Saratoga National Golf Club from 11:00 AM to 7:30 PM on Wednesday, May 22. The entire event is open to Bureau members, potential members, meeting planners and friends!

Registration and lunch expo is from 11:00 – 1 PM, shotgun tee-off at 1:00 PM and concludes with a reception featuring awards and prizes from 6:00-7:30 PM. You can choose to attend the golf portion, the reception only or both. The tournament will proceed rain or shine unless the course is closed.

The golf format is a four person scramble, including 18 holes of golf, a cart with GPS system, use of practice facilities, post tournament reception, awards & prizes! The winning Foursome will receive a date at the Saratoga Race Course in the Convention Bureau's box!

New This Year! The Golf's Lunch Expo includes delicious lunch offerings by Panza's Restaurant, Prime at Saratoga National Golf Club, Esperanto, Ben & Jerry's of Saratoga, Bookmakers at the Holiday Inn, Black Diamond Catering, Putnam's at the Gideon Putnam Resort and Kim Klopstock's Lily and The Rose.

Golf Sponsors: DeCrescente Distributors, Flores Fine Art Gallery, The Adirondack Trust Company, Saratoga National Bank, Allerdice Rent-All, Hilton Garden Inn, Embrace the Race, The Saratoga Hilton, and Habana Premium Cigar Shoppe. Hole in One Sponsor is Flores Fine Art Gallery. Anyone who gets a hole-in-one, will receive a \$5,400 custom print commissioned or in current gallery! Most Unique Golf Fashion Sponsor is Flores Fine Art Gallery and the winner will receive a \$650 small painting! Habana Premium Cigar Shoppe will be on site from 11:00 – 1 PM hand rolling their premium cigars!

Sponsorship opportunities are still available by calling the Bureau!

Spaces fill quickly and are reserved on a first come first serve basis. To register for the annual golf classic online, go to [www.discoversaratoga.org/member-events](http://www.discoversaratoga.org/member-events) or to request a printed invitation, call the Bureau at 518-584-1531 or e-mail Kathy Price at [kathyp@discoversaratoga.org](mailto:kathyp@discoversaratoga.org).

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