

# MEDIA RELEASE

## MITCHELL'S CHARITY GOLF DAY 2006



Mitchell's of Lancaster held their first Charity Golf Day in conjunction with Morecambe Bay Wines last Wednesday 10<sup>th</sup> May 2006 as part of their commitment to their chosen charity of the year Macmillan Cancer Support.

Teams of four travelled from around the country to play the 18 hole golf course at Morecambe Golf Club. The day itself was blessed with glorious sun shine and after being treated to a bacon sandwich on their arrival the teams set off for a thoroughly good game of golf!

Prizes were awarded for 1<sup>st</sup>, 2<sup>nd</sup>, 3<sup>rd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> prize. Robertson's team took first place, the Royal Bank of Scotland team took second place, the LCR team took third place and the Caterkwik team took fourth. Prizes were also awarded for those nearest to the pin on the 3<sup>rd</sup> hole, won by Rob Eastwood on the Bateman's Brewery team and on the 10<sup>th</sup> won by Julian Atkins on the Heineken team. Murray Nelson on the Bacardi team took the longest drive on the 8<sup>th</sup> hole and David Ridgeways on the Everards Brewery team took the longest drive on the 18<sup>th</sup>.

The golf day was a great success and £3420 was raised for Macmillan Cancer Support through the efforts of everyone who sponsored the day and through those who took part.

Mitchell's Marketing Director, Andrew Barker said: "I am delighted that our first Charity Golf Day was such a huge success, everyone who took part enjoyed their round of golf and helped us to raise funds for Macmillan Cancer Support an extremely worthy charity. I would like to thank in particular Morecambe Golf Club Professional Simon Fletcher and his team who helped greatly with the organising of the day. We hope that the Charity Golf Day becomes an annual event on the Mitchell's calendar."

### **About Macmillan Cancer Support**

Macmillan Cancer Support improves the lives of people affected by cancer, providing practical, medical, emotional and financial support. Working alongside people affected by cancer, Macmillan works to improve cancer care. One in three of us will get cancer. 1.2 million of us are living with it. If you are affected by cancer Macmillan can help.

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