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# Friends of the *Olympiad*

## BMW Charity Golf Tournament to Benefit Olympiad

The Hickory Nut Gorge Olympiad is one of 52 groups selected to sell tickets to the BMW Charity Pro-Am Golf Tournament taking place May 15-18 at Thornblade Club, The Carolina Country Club and Bright's Creek Golf Club. In turn, the Olympiad gets to keep 100% of the proceeds. Every year the South Carolina Charities, Inc. (S.C.C.), the foundation of the BMW Charity Pro-Am Golf Tournament, selects the recipients from a multitude of applicants.

"We're the only charity in the area to be chosen as ticket sellers," said Bob Keith, Olympiad chairman.

For each \$25 ticket the Olympiad sells, the S.C.C. will give them \$25, so it is a wonderful chance to raise money for a good cause. A \$25 ticket grants access to all four days of the tournament in addition to complimentary parking and shuttle service.

The Olympiad is also recruiting volunteers for the golf tournament and we are specifically looking for Marshals to work at Bright's Creek. Volunteers

**BMW Charity Pro-Am  
Volunteer Opportunities  
Available!**

Hospitality  
Scoring  
Marshal  
Transportation  
Standard Bearer

will select one of the activity areas listed above and will receive a logo golf shirt, logo hat or visor, a patron pass for use on any course when not on duty, a second patron pass for a friend or spouse, food and beverages while working, a volunteer pin and an invitation to the volunteer appreciation party. Volunteers are asked for a \$40 contribution to offset the cost of the benefits.

For more information and to register, visit [bmwcharitygolf.com](http://bmwcharitygolf.com) and click on the "Volunteers" tab. Make sure you indicate that you signed up through the Hickory Nut Gorge Olympiad. For tickets call Kay Dittmer at 625-8529 or to volunteer contact Bob Keith at 828-429-9011 or [pnkbeith@bellsouth.net](mailto:pnkbeith@bellsouth.net).

**CALLING  
ALL  
CHEERLEADERS  
RAH! RAH! RAH!**



The Olympiad has added a cheerleading competition to the 2008 events schedule! Junior Varsity and Varsity teams from Rutherford, Polk Henderson and Cleveland Counties are invited to compete.

For children preschool age to 13-years-old, an instructional clinic will be offered where students will learn motions, cheers and jumps.

The competition and clinic will be held on Saturday, Sept. 6, 2008.

For more information on the competition or the clinic, please contact Michelle Yelton at 828-980-2883 or via email at [michelle@mcconnellgroup.biz](mailto:michelle@mcconnellgroup.biz).

