

April 15, 2008

Save the Date
August 22, 2008

TEE IT UP!!



... for children and adults with developmental disabilities

On **Friday, August 22, 2008**, CranstonArc will be hosting its **15th Annual Golf Tournament** at Cranston Country Club. Proceeds from the annual Golf Tournament directly benefit the programs and services utilized by approximately 400 individuals with developmental disabilities and their families supported by CranstonArc. Last year's Golf Tournament generated \$37,000 from sponsors, golfers, advertisers and auction donations. This year, your contribution is more important than ever as CranstonArc is directly impacted by the reduction in state and federal funding. Our goal is to raise \$45,000!

Our non-profit agency provides a wide array of services to the developmental disability community. These services include residential, community-based, senior services, child development, home-based therapeutic treatments, and clinical and medical supports. Currently, CranstonArc serves over 300 individuals statewide and operates a unique school program, Cornerstone School, for both typically developing children and children with severe and profound disabilities. Funds generated from your participation in the 15th Annual Golf Tournament will be used to help offset the increasing costs associated with supporting these children, adults and their families who rely on CranstonArc's daily programs in these tight fiscal times.

We encourage you to participate in our Golf Tournament as a sponsor, advertiser or contributor towards our silent auction or raffle. Your name will be proudly displayed in our program booklet, which is distributed to all golfers and donors. It is a great way to show your support for the mission of our agency while also gaining valuable exposure in the local community. Participating as a player is a fun way to meet other golfers and to show your support of CranstonArc.

Please see the different options available to participate on our web site. It is our hope that you will look favorably upon this request, as it is vital that CranstonArc meets our mission *to empower people with differing abilities to claim and enjoy their rights to dignity and respect throughout their lives*. We appreciate the financial assistance you provide to make this year's event a success while allowing us to strengthen our services and supports to people with disabilities.

We thank you for your continuing consideration. If you have any questions, please contact Devorah Weiner, Golf Tournament Coordinator at (401) 941-1112 ext. 133.

Your participation **will** make a difference.

Sincerely yours,

Rosemary and Peter

Rosemary and Peter Rotelli
Golf Chairmen