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Friends for Youth Will Host Its 22nd Annual Peninsula Golf Challenge

Menlo Park, CA, October 5, 2009 - Friends for Youth will host its 22nd Annual Peninsula Golf Challenge on Monday October 5, 2009 at the Sharon Heights Golf and Country Club in Menlo Park, CA. The Peninsula Golf Challenge, which began in 1987, has grown in stature to be one of the premier charity tournaments in the San Francisco Bay Area.

Mitch Jurichich, host of Hooked on Golf, seen on Fox Sports Net Bay Area, as well as heard on 680 KNBR, will host the festivities. Mitch was well received by the audience last year and brought along his energy and enthusiasm to this all-day event.

We expect around 100 players hope to raise \$50,000. Prize will be awarded for several categories including the top 6 winning fivesomes. There will be live and silent auctions as well. The Peninsula Golf Challenge is a significant source of support for Friends for Youth. Just as Friends for Youth is committed to excellence in programming for at-risk youth, we strive to make the Peninsula Golf Challenge a prestigious event for our supporters and participants. Thank you to all who participated last year. We hope to make this year an even bigger success!

About our organization:

Friends for Youth has been dedicated to making a difference in the lives of at-risk youth since it began in 1979. By establishing and supporting more than 1,750 one-to-one mentoring relationships to date between youth-in-need and responsible, caring adults, we change lives for the betterment of individuals and the community.

Our Mentoring Institute helps agencies adopt our successful mentoring model so that more youth will benefit from having a consistent, caring, and safe mentoring relationship. We provide trainings, an annual mentoring Conference at Oracle, and educational products. More than 1 million children and youth have been impacted by these services.

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