# RCMC 2021 AnNual Golf Tournament

**Rotary Club of Memphis Central 2021 Golf Tournament raises**

**money to support youth service projects**

As a chartered organization under Rotary International, The Rotary Club of Memphis Central Charitable Foundation was established in 1982 and is a 501C3 nonprofit organization. More than 100 people attend the Rotary Club of Memphis Central (RCMC) Charitable Foundation Annual Golf Tournament to raise funds for scholarships and educational resources for students, schools, and youth programs of the Greater Mid-South. Although our event was cancelled in 2020 due to the pandemic, we believe in persevering to continue the work in “Service Above Self.” We are "people of action" and make target investments to strengthen, grow, and sustain our youth.

One of our goals is to continue to provide funding for our various youth service projects like the Character Achievement Youth Program. This program gives a monetary donation to four students in grades 8th, 9th, and 10th at their respective schools, who have been selected from among a pool of candidates and have experienced some physical, mental, emotional, and economic challenge that have rendered them differently abled. The selected students are chosen due to their perseverance in overcoming these challenges which has led them to achieving record performances in their school studies. They choose to positively manage their challenges as a fuel for outstanding school performances and provide encouragement to their peers. In addition, the Annual Golf Tournament funds other youth service projects that include the following:

* **Rotary Club of Memphis Central Scholarships** - Memphis’ graduating senior high school students have an opportunity to compete to win scholarships based on service, leadership skills, academics, & essay writing.
* **The Dictionary Project** - Presents 3rd graders from a selected KK-12 educational institution with a personalized dictionary to reference, increase language, and build literacy.
* **INTERACT -** Sponsors and mentors Manassas High School students to empower them in their life choices and teach the importance of giving back to their community.
* **ROTARACT (Rotary in ACTION)** – Sponsors the Lemoyne-Owen College and co-sponsors the University of Memphis Club’s FUTURE Rotarian leaders, ages 18-30, to exchange ideas with Rotarians, develop leadership & professional skills, & take action on issues with purpose & impact.

Enclosed, you will find a brochure that outlines how your organization can help us in continuing the work of Rotary and an enclosed stamped envelope. All proceeds from the event will fund RCMC efforts to improve lives and bring positive, lasting change to the youth we serve within our communities. For more information, please visit our website at [www.memphiscentralrotary.org](http://www.memphiscentralrotary.org) or on Facebook.

Kind Regards,

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