Orono Lions Club

PO Box 65 Long Lake, MN 55356



Dear Snowball Open Sponsor,

As you may already know, the Snowball Open is the primary fundraising event for the Orono Lions. The proceeds from this event support various community projects sponsored by the Lions. The projects range from grants for the students in our fine school system, funding special requests for our partners in public safety, or families locally in need, plus many other Community Support Projects. We pride ourselves in having served the local community for over 70 years. The variety of members, young or young at heart, have given back to the community with hours upon hours of their valuable time. We give thanks to our dedicated members and to our generous sponsors for the opportunity to serve the local community.

The Orono Lions 39th Annual Snowball Open is set for January 31st, 2026. This event has a wonderful evergreen course lined with 18 holes of golf, carved out of the frozen tundra on beautiful Long Lake. This year the course layout is being modified to open things up a little more and to give a better definition to the fairways. Local businesses sponsor each of the 18 tee boxes where they give away food, play games, and more. Birch's will be opening at 10am with breakfast and Bloody Mary's being served. Parking will be available at Birch's and there will be overflow parking at the cemetery next to Birch's and the east end of town.

If you've never attended the Snowball Open before this is the perfect year to start. Come once and you'll never miss it again! Orono Lions is asking for \$35 donation per person (day of event) or \$25 with on-line pre-registration. We had 580 golfers and over 650 people attend last year's event. Book your tee times early on-line and save \$10.00.

Complete details and info, pictures, and sign-up can be found at www.OronoLions.org

We are contacting you today to ask if you would like to become a local Snowball Open Sponsor. You can select to work a tee box, which is a great opportunity to promote your business and meet every player who attends. Another way to promote your business is just donate a small fee and have your name at the event in the registration tent for everyone to see! Plus, you will be able to hand out free passes to golf for all your customers. Last year's event was a huge success. This year is our 39th annual Snowball, we are looking at the biggest event we have ever hosted!

Can we count on your support?

The Donation for sponsoring a Tee Box and Green Fee is \$250. This includes: Tent – 10'x10' with 3 sides, fire pit and wood. Folding Table and Chairs. Additional equipment is available per special request.

The Donation for Sponsoring the Registration Tent is \$300. This includes: 10 Passes for "Green Fees" to Golf the Event. Plus "YOUR NAME" on all banners in Registration Tent. You do not have to work at the event to have a presence at this event! Can we count on your support?

You can contact any Orono Lions Member for more information or contact: Bradley Hansen: c: 612-965-0153 or Roger Adams c: 763-360-1709

Yours truly,

Bradley Hansen Pres Orono Lions Club