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**MEADOWBROOK FARMS GOLF CLUB RAISES \$120,000 IN SUPPORT OF
U.S. TROOPS THROUGH BIRDIES FOR THE BRAVE**

KATY, TX – Meadowbrook Farms Golf Club raised over \$120,000 to benefit *Birdies for the Brave* on November 2nd, 2013. Proceeds will benefit PGA TOUR Charities, Inc.'s *Birdies for the Brave*® program, a national military outreach initiative, proudly supported by Heritage Golf Group, dedicated to raising funds and awareness for military homefront charities that provide critical services to meet the specialized needs of military members, wounded veterans and their families.

Meadowbrook Farms Golf Club hosted their annual *Birdies for the Brave* golf event with a full field of 132 golfers. During the Opening Ceremonies, golfers were welcomed with a Military Presentation prior to the shotgun start and each four-some of golfers had the option to be joined by an active duty military member. Their participation brought modern-day, real-world military heroism to life through the round of golf. Following tournament play the post-round reception featured dinner for all participants, as well as a silent auction, raffles and an awards presentation.

“Meadowbrook Farms Golf Club is extremely proud to have the opportunity to support the courageous men and women of the U. S. Armed Forces and their families through our contributions to *Birdies for the Brave*,” said Layne Ricks, General Manager of Meadowbrook Farms Golf Club. “The continued support and generous donations from our sponsors, donors, Members and the community help to make these events successful. We are honored to give back and express our thanks to real life heroes through our *Birdies for the Brave* events.”

Meadowbrook Farms Golf Club is one of four Heritage Golf Group properties to host *Birdies for the Brave* fundraisers this year. Since 2008, the Heritage Golf Group Collection of Clubs has been dedicated to raising funds and awareness for the *Birdies for the Brave* program, a primary element of Heritage Golf Group's philanthropic endeavors, and has raised more than \$2.4 million in support of the military homefront charities.

Funds from these *Birdies for the Brave* events will benefit numerous military homefront groups that are supported by PGA TOUR players, including: Green Beret Foundation (www.greenberetfoundation.org) - Bubba Watson; Homes for Our Troops (www.homesforourtroops.org) and Special Operations Warrior Foundation (www.specialops.org) - Phil Mickelson; Military Warriors Support Foundation (www.militarywarriors.org) - Ted Purdy, David Toms; Navy SEAL Foundation (www.nswfoundation.org) - Jerry Kelly, Frank Lickliter II, Vijay Singh; United Through Reading (www.unitedthroughreading.org) - Rory Sabbatini; Wounded Warrior Project (www.woundedwarriorproject.org) - Frank Lickliter II, Jason Gore, Nick Watney, Boo Weekley; the National Guard State Family Readiness Council (www.nationalguardsfrc.org) - Jim Colbert; Operation Homefront (www.operationhomefront.net) - Corey Pavin and K9's For Warriors (www.k9sforwarriors.org) - Bob Duval, David Duval

For additional information, visit www.birdiesforthebrave.org.

About Heritage Golf Group

Heritage Golf Group (www.heritagegolfgroup.com) began in 1999 with funding provided by the private equity firm, GTCR Golder Rauner, LLC. Since then, the company has grown an impressive portfolio of private and resort golf clubs around the country. The Heritage portfolio represents some of the most well-known and acclaimed properties spanning Texas, Florida, and South Carolina. The company, led by Bob Husband, President and CEO, distinguishes itself through its dedication to unrivaled golf and uncompromising service.

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