

FERNCROFT CC DONATES TURKEYS FOR THE HOLIDAYS

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MIDDLETON, MA - November 23, 2015 - Ferncroft Country Club (<u>ferncroftcc.com</u>) collected over 500 pounds of turkey to donate to less fortunate families in the area with its recent Turkey Shoot tournament and Guest Days. Participating golfers contributed frozen turkeys for the Middleton Food Pantry.

David Swales, managing director of Affinity Management (<u>www.affinitymanagement.com</u>), which owns and operates Ferncroft CC, said, "Many of us take it for granted that we can stuff ourselves with a terrific meal, but some are less fortunate this Thanksgiving and could use a helping hand. I am terribly proud that our members and guests demonstrated such generosity so a few of our neighbors could have a more enjoyable holiday."

The Middleton Food Pantry needed the turkeys earlier this year, so members and guests alike contributed turkeys on the Help Us Help the Needy Guest Days leading up to the Turkey Shoot tournament November 22nd. Ferncroft has worked to assist the Middleton Food Pantry every holiday season since 2011.

Swales adds, "This year is particularly important for us as the Club completes its \$5 million banquet and locker room expansion, we have much to be thankful for."

The Middleton Food Pantry opened in 2010 in the Town Council of Aging building and feeds 67 families. A resident started the pantry after noticing an overwhelming need for one in the community. It is open on Fridays between 1-3 pm with proof of Middleton residency required.

Known for its Robert Trent Jones, Sr. designed championship golf course that hosted the LPGA Boston Five Classic from 1980-90, Ferncroft CC is a full-service club with outstanding food, many social and children's activities, tennis courts, swimming pool, and fitness center. Set on an idyllic 287 acres, Ferncroft is conveniently located just nineteen miles north of downtown Boston where Route 1 meets I-95 on the North Shore. For more information visit www.ferncroftcc.com or call (978) 739-4040.