



# 16th Annual William Kennedy Memorial Golf Tournament to Benefit The Elwood Volunteer Fire Company & Mariana Rivera

When: Saturday October 28th, 2017 Rain or Shine. Registration @ 8 AM - Shotgun Start @ 9 AM

Where: Mays Landing Country Club 1855 Cates Rd. Mays Landing, NJ 08330

Price: \$90.00 per golfer (Includes Continental Breakfast, Cart, Golf, Lunch & Beer/Beverages)

**!! NEW for 2017 !!**

## **\$5,000 "Winner Take All" Putting Contest**

(winner of 50/50 putting contest will have one chance to sink a 50 foot putt for the \$5,000 prize!)

50/50 Putting Contest - 50/50 Raffle - Chinese Auction - Best Score - Longest Drive  
Closest to the Pin - Hole in One - Door Prizes & much more!!

**Gold Sponsor**—\$1000 = Only sign located at specified hole.

**Silver Sponsor**—\$500 = Shares sign location with another sponsor.

**Bronze Sponsor**—\$250 = Shares sign location with 4 other sponsors.

**Associate Sponsor**—\$100 = Associate sign. **Lunch Only Sponsor**—\$25.00 (Starts at noon)

Sponsorship Registration (check one): **Gold** \_\_\_ **Silver** \_\_\_ **Bronze** \_\_\_ Associate \_\_\_ Lunch Only \_\_\_

Name (as it is to appear on the sign): \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Contact Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone#: \_\_\_\_\_

Payment Amount, Cash/Check: \_\_\_\_\_

### Player Registration (individual or foursome):

Name 1: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_ Shirt Size: \_\_\_\_\_

Name 2: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_ Shirt Size: \_\_\_\_\_

Name 3: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_ Shirt Size: \_\_\_\_\_

Name 4: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_ Shirt Size: \_\_\_\_\_

Please make checks payable to: EVFC Charity Golf Tournament

Payment Amount: \_\_\_\_\_

Contact: [jfowler1701@gmail.com](mailto:jfowler1701@gmail.com) with any questions. More information can be found at our website - [www.evfc160.com](http://www.evfc160.com)

Elwood Volunteer Fire Company P.O. Box 223 Elwood, NJ 08217 (EVFC is an IRS approved 501(C)(3) Charity #22-3794408)



Mariana Rivera is a lifelong resident of Mullica Township. She lives in the area with her parents and five siblings and has attended Mullica Township Schools. Mariana is a beautiful soul and has always been a strong student. Because of her impeccable academic record and strong personal character she is a member of the National Junior Honor Society. You can always count on Mariana to have a smile on her face that she is willing to share with everyone. Mariana has always been full of life which is why she will not let a cancer diagnosis keep her from continuing to live a life full of love.

In May of this year Mariana was diagnosed with Childhood Acute Lymphoblastic Leukemia which is a cancer of the blood and bone marrow that affects the immature forms of white blood cells called lymphocytes. Lymphocytes identify and destroy foreign proteins in the body, such as bacteria and viruses. In Childhood Acute Lymphoblastic Leukemia the bone marrow makes too many immature lymphocytes that do not mature correctly and do not have the ability to fight infection. The overproduction of immature lymphocytes crowd out the normal blood-forming cells in the bone marrow.

Mariana was initially misdiagnosed as having flu like symptoms and then a very rare illness called the Nutcracker Syndrome. Due to the persistence of her mother, after several visits to pediatric doctors, Urgent Care facilities, and emergency rooms, she was finally properly diagnosed at the Virtua hospital in Voorhees.

Mariana is currently receiving two very expensive treatments a week. One at The Children's Hospital of Philadelphia and another at a clinic in Voorhees New Jersey. Mariana will need to fight this horrible disease for at least the next two years. Mariana cannot be left alone and requires transportation back and forth for her weekly treatments. As Mariana's primary caretaker, her mother is unable to work and earn money for the family. The cost to even drive to Mariana's treatments has already placed a huge financial burden on the family. At this time it is unknown as to whether or not Mariana will need to be seen by the doctor more than twice a week, if so this will only place more of a financial strain on the family.

Please find it in your heart to help this wonderful young lady and her family as she fights the biggest fight of her life!