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**2017 C&S Charity Golf Outing Donates More Than \$1.5M**

Keene, NH – C&S Charities, Inc. is proud to announce that it donated \$1,550,000 to six nonprofit organizations devoted to pediatric cancer and childhood hunger issues through its 32nd annual *Tee Up for Kids™* charity golf outing. The event, which was held on August 1 and 2, hosted more than 1,000 golfers on four courses in Massachusetts, New Hampshire and Vermont.

Donations were made to the following high-impact organizations:

**Children’s Hospital at Dartmouth** (Lebanon, NH): \$400,000 for care and treatment of children in the pediatric oncology unit;

**Hole in the Wall Gang Camp** (Ashford, CT): \$150,000 for camperships;

**Jimmy Fund/Dana-Farber Cancer Institute** (Boston, MA): \$225,000 for pediatric cancer research;

**Feeding America** (Chicago, IL): \$375,000 for the national Backpack Program and child hunger initiatives;

**Share Our Strength** (Washington, DC): \$350,000 for the No Kid Hungry campaign; and

**New Hampshire Food Bank** (Manchester, NH): \$50,000 toward establishing school-based pantries in the Monadnock Region.

Rick Cohen, Chairman and CEO of C&S Wholesale Grocers, Inc., thanked everyone who supported the Tee Up for Kids™ event at a private reception held in Vermont on July 31st to recognize top sponsors including the following:

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| <i>Course Sponsors</i>      | Ahold USA, Carrier Transicold of Southern New England, Kimberly-Clark, Nestle Purina, Northway Services, JB Hunt  |
| <i>Hole-in-One Sponsors</i> | Campbell’s, Global Partners, Michelin North America, Nestle USA, Michelin, Ryder  |
| <i>Golf Cart Sponsors</i>   | Acosta Sales & Marketing, Bank of America, Capstone Logistics, Groom Energy, Kellogg’s, Mintz Levin Cohn Ferris Glovsky and Popeo, Rush Enterprises, Wells Fargo Bank |

The next C&S Charity Golf Outing is scheduled for August 7 and 8, 2018.

**About C&S Charities, Inc.**

C&S Charities, Inc., established in 2010 by C&S Wholesale Grocers, Inc. to host the event, is a New Hampshire non-profit corporation recognized under IRC § 501(c)(3). Visit [www.cscharities.org](http://www.cscharities.org) to learn more.

**About C&S Wholesale Grocers, Inc.**

C&S Wholesale Grocers, Inc., based in Keene, NH, is the largest wholesale grocery supply company in the U.S. and the industry leader in supply chain innovation. Founded in 1918 as a supplier to independent grocery stores, C&S now services customers of all sizes, supplying more than 14,000 independent supermarkets, chain stores, military bases, and institutions with over 140,000 different products. To learn more, please visit [www.cswg.com](http://www.cswg.com)

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Photo caption: *Bob Palmer, Executive Vice President of Sales and Procurement at C&S Wholesale Grocers (left), presented a ceremonial check to Dr. Jack van Hoff of the Children's Hospital at Dartmouth, one of six nonprofit organizations honored at the Tee Up for Kids™ Golf Outing.*