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## **2018 C&S Charity Golf Outing Donates More Than \$1.8M**

Keene, NH – C&S Charities, Inc. is proud to announce that it donated \$1,806,000 to eight nonprofit organizations devoted to ending pediatric cancer and childhood hunger issues through its 32<sup>nd</sup> annual *Tee Up for Kids*™ charity golf outing. The event, held on August 7 and 8, 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-Hitchcock** (Lebanon, NH): \$460,000 for care and treatment of children in the pediatric oncology unit;

**Hole in the Wall Gang Camp** (Ashford, CT): \$175,000 for camperships;

**Jimmy Fund/Dana-Farber Cancer Institute** (Boston, MA): \$260,000 for pediatric cancer research;

**Feeding America** (Chicago, IL): \$425,000 for the national Backpack Program and child hunger initiatives;

**Share Our Strength** (Washington, DC): \$396,000 for the No Kid Hungry campaign; and

**New Hampshire Food Bank** (Manchester, NH),

**Vermont Foodbank** (Brattleboro, VT),

**Food Bank of Western Massachusetts** (North Hatfield, MA): \$30,000 each toward child hunger programs.

Rick Cohen, Executive Chairman and Mike Duffy, 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 August 6 to recognize top sponsors including the following:

*Course sponsors*                      *Ahold USA, Carrier Transicold of Southern New England, Nestle Purina, Northway Services, and Sullivan & Cromwell LLP*

*Hole in One sponsors*                *Campbell's, Global Partners, Michelin North America, Nestle USA, and Reynolds Consumer Products*

*Golf Cart sponsors*                    *Acosta Sales & Marketing, Bank of America, Capstone Logistics, Kellogg's, Kimberly-Clark, Mintz Levin, and Wells Fargo Bank*

*Special recognition is due to JB Hunt, a C&S transportation partner, who generously contributed a total of \$50,000 in sponsorship to this year's event.*

The next C&S Charity Golf Outing is scheduled for August 6 and 7, 2019.

### **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 at C&S Wholesale Grocers (left), presented a ceremonial check to the Children's Hospital at Dartmouth-Hitchcock, one of eight nonprofit organizations honored at the Tee Up for Kids™ Golf Outing.*