

## MEDIA ALERT

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## HPARD's Father Child Golf Tournament Offers Fun For a Good Cause

The Houston Parks and Recreation Department and Sterling Bank invite golfers and their children to tee up to benefit two youth-oriented HPARD programs, The First Tee of Houston at F.M. Law Park and Athletes Seeking Knowledge (ASK). Players can register with their children or sign up to play with a First Tee of Houston student golfer.

**WHO:** Golf enthusiasts and their children

Golf students at The First Tee of Houston/F.M. Law Park

Norman Berkman, M.D., Tournament Chair

Sterling Bank Representatives

The Houston Parks and Recreation Department

The Houston Parks Board

WHAT: First Tee of Houston at FM Law Park Father Child Charity Golf Tournament

WHEN: Thursday, June 18, 2009

12:30 p.m. shotgun start

WHERE: Wildcat Golf Club

12000 Almeda Road Houston, Texas 77045

**WHY:** To support HPARD programs that assist young people by providing life skills

and education support through sports programming. The First Tee of Houston at F.M. Law Park offers FREE golf and life skills lessons for young people ages 7 – 18. The Athletes Seeking Knowledge program seeks to mold better student-athletes ages 12 – 18 by offering tools and guidance for achieving academic success. The tournament proceeds help fund these

programs.

To register and for more information on the Houston Parks Board, call (713) 942-8500 or visit <a href="https://www.houstonparksboard.org">www.houstonparksboard.org</a>.

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