

## HOW DO BIRDIES MEAN BUCKS?

You can make a local charity a big bucks winner by making a pledge in the Birdies For Charity competition at the 2017 Waste Management Phoenix Open! That's because participating charities will receive every single penny of collected pledges.

## HOW DO I PLAY BIRDIES FOR CHARITY?

Simply pledge one cent or more for every birdie that will be made by the PGA TOUR players, Thursday through Sunday of the 2017 Waste Management Phoenix Open. It's estimated that between 1,300 and 1,800 birdies will be made. Inclement weather may affect the total.

## HOW MUCH WILL I OWE & WHOM DO I PAY?

Say you pledge one cent per birdie and 1,500 birdies are made, after the tournament, you'll receive an invoice for \$15.00 from Thunderbirds Charities. You can either make your check payable to "Thunderbirds Charities" or provide credit card information, (Do not pay charity directly). For other possible pledge amounts check the chart below.

## BIRDIES CAN ALSO MEAN BONUS BUCKS

Charities can receive a 10 percent BONUS on the total amount of pledges collected on their behalf during the 2017 Waste Management Phoenix Open Birdies For Charity Program. It's as simple as it sounds. Example: If Charity A collects \$20,000 in pledges, Charity A will receive 10 percent of that, or \$2,000, for their charity courtesy of Thunderbirds Charities.



*Birdies Mean Bucks for Charities*

**2017**

**13 YEARS STRONG**

## GUIDELINES

- It is designated charity's responsibility to collect and return pledge forms to The Thunderbirds
- Pledge deadline is February 5, 2017
- If one or more days of the Waste Management Phoenix Open are cancelled, the birdie count substituted for those days will be: Thurs: 500 | Fri: 500 | Sat: 300 | Sun: 300
- Complete set of rules can be requested at [info@bfc.com](mailto:info@bfc.com)

**Going into our 13<sup>th</sup> year Birdies For Charity has made a difference for local charities:**

2006	\$1.1 million
2007 / 2008	\$1.5 million
2009 / 2010 / 2011	\$1.3 million
2012 / 2013	\$1.7 million
2014 / 2015	\$1.5 million
2015 / 2016	\$1.5 million

Thunderbirds Charities is recognized by the IRS as an Internal Revenue Code Section 501(c)(3) charitable organization. Consult your tax advisor on the application of tax deductions.

**IF 1500 BIRDIES ARE MADE** *my total pledge would be:*

1¢ = \$15 | 2¢ = \$30 | 3¢ = \$45 | 4¢ = \$60 | 5¢ = \$75 | 10¢ = \$150



**PLEDGE FORM: I PLEDGE AND PROMISE TO DONATE TO THE BIRDIES FOR CHARITY PROGRAM FOR EVERY BIRDIE MADE DURING THE 2017 WASTE MANAGEMENT PHOENIX OPEN.**

<input type="text"/>	<b>or</b>	<input type="text"/>
PER BIRDIE PLEDGE 1¢ MINIMUM		ONE TIME DONATION \$20.00 MINIMUM
make checks payable to <b>THUNDERBIRDS CHARITIES</b>		
<input type="text"/>		<input type="text"/>
Charity inviting your pledge		Birdies for Charity Number

Name

Company Name (only if using a company address)

Mailing Address

Suite or Apt.

City State Zip

Telephone (including area code)

Email

**THIS PLEDGE FORM MUST BE RETURNED TO THE CHARITY INVITING YOUR PLEDGE**

*please return to:*

For more information or to make a pledge online go to:

**BirdiesforCharityAZ.com**

**602.216.7328**

**Jan. 30 – Feb. 5, 2017**

**TPC Scottsdale**