Mini-Golf Tournament

Do you enjoy going to the putting green, golfing, or playing mini-golf with friends? Then turn your pastime into a fundraiser! Hold a Mini-Golf Tournament in your area to support CureSearch for Children’s Cancer.

CureSearch works to end childhood cancer by driving targeted and innovative research with measurable results in an accelerated time frame. Every dollar you raise at your Mini-Golf Tournament event will help make treatments and cures possible for the 43 children diagnosed with cancer every day.

Get Started
Gather your co-workers, friends, and family to help plan the fun. Visit local putt-putt and mini-golf courses to see if they want to get involved and let you use the facility for a free/reduced price.

Next, select a date and time for the tournament. Be sure to avoid holidays and long weekends, to make sure as many people can join as possible. Then, start inviting everyone and sharing why ending children’s cancer is important to you.

Logistics
Decide if you want to use a local course or create your own. Be sure to take everything into account when making this decision – fun, level of difficulty, cost, and accessibility.

If you create your own course, there are a few easy things you can do to increase the difficulty.
- Want to cross a waterway? Chip across a Slip ‘n Slide.
- Need a sand trap? Fill a sandbox or kiddie pool with sand.
- Try to hit around a lake? Put a few kiddie pools next to each other on the course.
- Can you bank some putts? Use bricks and cinder blocks to create a maze.

You can create a 9-hole or 18-hole course, depending on the amount of space and obstacles you have available. You can play 9 holes and play with different rules for the second round – a dizzy hole, a pool shot hole, an opposite hand hole, a team best ball hole, the possibilities are endless.

Tournament Structure
Each participant can pay a registration fee to kick-off their fundraising. Participants can continue to fundraise and reach tournament advantages for each fundraising level they achieve. At the $100 fundraising level, players can drop a stroke, get a mulligan at the $250 level, and much more.

You can also consider getting prizes donated for tournament winners. Hole contests can be set up too, including longest putt, longest chip shot, and other exciting options.

Contact the CureSearch Gold Team at gold@curesearch.org or (800) 458-6223 to discuss more great mini-golf ideas to help end children’s cancer.