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## **GALVESTON CHAMBER OF COMMERCE GOLF TOURNAMENT TO FEATURE THE "GALVESTON RESTAURANT GROUP MILLION DOLLAR SHOOTOUT"**

One stroke of a club is all it takes – to be a millionaire! This year's Galveston Chamber of Commerce Golf Tournament is scheduled for Monday, August 15<sup>th</sup>, 2011 and offers participants something new and thrilling: the chance to win a million dollars in the "Galveston Restaurant Group Million Dollar Shootout".

The Shootout is a unique hole-in-one event offered to all registered participants at the Galveston Chamber of Commerce Golf Tournament. All players on the designated hole are measured for closest to the pin and the top three players move on to the Shootout after play is finished for each flight. There will be 3 qualifying players after the morning flight and 3 qualifying players after the afternoon flight.

Just qualifying for the shootout has its rewards as well – the top 3 qualifying players not only have a shot at a million bucks, but can win a private room wine dinner at Saltwater Grill, martini and sushi happy hour at Sky Bar Steak & Sushi, or a pizza and wine party at Mario's Seawall Italian Restaurant.

"The payout is \$500,000 to the winner and \$500,000 to the Galveston Chamber of Commerce," said Galveston Restaurant Group co-owner Danny Hart. "This is a unique and exciting way to support the Chamber of Commerce and also win huge prize money. From serving in leadership positions to providing sponsorship and in-kind donations for events, Galveston Restaurant Group has been a long time supporter of the Chamber. This is one of the biggest potential gifts to the Chamber to date and it's up to our members and tournament participants to win it. Outside of the grand prize, there are incredible prizes from Galveston Restaurant Group properties as well."

The tournament will take place at the Galveston Country Club, located at 14228 Stewart Road, with registration at 7 am for the 8 am shotgun tee-off; 12:30 pm for the 1:30 pm tee-off. The field will be limited to 220 players, 110 in the morning flight and 110 in the afternoon flight. The entry fee is \$250 per player, which includes cart, green fee, meals and eligibility for the "Galveston Restaurant Group Million Dollar Shootout". The deadline to register is August 8, 2011. For more information or to register online, visit [www.GalvestonChamber.com](http://www.GalvestonChamber.com) or call 409.763.5326.

Galveston Restaurant Group is comprised of Johnny Smecca, Joey Smecca and Danny Hart, who own and operate Mario's Seawall Italian Restaurant, Gumbo Bar, Saltwater Grill, Sky

Bar Steak & Sushi, Papa's Pizza and Little Daddy's Gumbo Bar. Visit them online at [www.GalvestonRestaurantGroup.com](http://www.GalvestonRestaurantGroup.com).