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HARRIET ABRAMSON CELEBRITY TOURNAMENT TO BENEFIT THE UNIVERSITY HOSPITAL

Boston, Mass.--Sports hall-of-famers will join media personalities and corporate leaders for the Second Annual Harriet Abramson Cancer Foundation Celebrity Golf and Tennis Tournament on Monday, Sept. 17, at the Spring Valley Country Club in Sharon. Proceeds from the event will go towards the completion of a new state-of-the-art chemotherapy suite at the University Hospital (UH).

Organizing the event are Newton residents Barbara Levy and Herbert Abramson, president of Silver Lake Dodge. Abramson's wife, Harriet, who died of cancer, was treated by the medical oncology staff at UH.

Celebrities and corporate leaders will include: former Boston Bruins players Derek Sanderson and John Bucyk; baseball hall-of-famers Tom Heinsohn and John Havlicek; Channel 4's Barbara Brilliant; Jim Watkins of Evening Magazine; and treasurer of the event and CEO of Bay Bank Norfolk, Trumbull Curtis.

Lunch at 11 a.m. will kick off the day. A celebrity will play with each golf foursome and each tennis round robin. A 1991 Dodge Stealth R/T will go to the player with the first hole-in-one on the 13th hole. Other golfing prizes include two tickets on US Air to any of their domestic routes. Wrapping up the day will be a reception and awards dinner which will include a drawing for a trip to Rome and many other exciting prizes.

Golf and tennis enthusiasts who would like to play a game with a celebrity should call Kathy MacArthur at 638-8943 for information and tickets.

The University Hospital, founded in 1855, is a principal teaching hospital of Boston University School of Medicine and a member of Boston University Medical Center.