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The Exchange Club of Stamford hosts its Sixteenth Annual Partnership Golf Tournament

Stamford, CT. --- (March 7, 2013) – The Exchange Club of Stamford, a local chapter of the National Exchange Club, announced today that it will hold its Fifteenth Annual Partnership Golf Tournament at Sterling Farms Golf Course on Thursday May 30, 2013.

The Exchange Club of Stamford is committed to stopping child abuse. By raising the funds necessary to support The Exchange Club Child Abuse Prevention/Parenting Skills Center, a difference has been made. Since 1989, over 5000 children and their families have received assistance through the education-based programs provided by the Center.

"We are excited to provide the financial help to the Parenting Skills center that they so desperately need," said Vincent J. Freccia III Chairman Emeritus of the Exchange Club's Golf Committee.

To date, the repeated success and growth of our first fourteen annual tournaments has resulted in donations totaling more than \$800,000 to The Exchange Club Center for the Prevention of Child Abuse.

About The Exchange Club of Stamford

We are an all-volunteer, national service organization for men and women, who want to serve their community, develop leadership skills, and enjoy new friendships. Exchange is made up of some 1,200 clubs and 40,000 members throughout the U.S. and Puerto Rico. In Stamford, we are over 30 strong, and we sponsor a wide range of activities to improve our community, help the disadvantaged, and encourage good citizenship. The principal areas of our service programs are Youth, Americanism and Child Abuse Prevention. You can find out more about our organization by going to <u>www.exchangeclubofstamford.com</u>.

About the Exchange Club Parenting Skills Center

Since its founding, The Exchange Club Parenting Skills Center has helped over 10,000 children and their families, and case studies show a greater than 85% success rate among families served!

The Mission of the Center is to break the cycle of child abuse and neglect by providing home based remedial and preventive intervention to abused and/or neglected children or those considered to be "at risk" and their families.

For more information about the Exchange Club Center, please visit their website at <u>www.exchangeclubparentingskillscenter.com</u>.