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Media Release:

The Celebrity Golf Classic boosts local community groups

In its 11th year, the Moolarben Coal Celebrity Golf Classic teed off another great golfing event and raised \$61,000 for local charities in need.

Around 200 golfers took part in the day and raised funds that will be shared across Westpac Rescue Helicopter Service, Lifeskills Plus and Kanandah Aged Care.

Mudgee Club Professional and the Classics Tournament Founder, Peter Mayson was delighted with the result of this year's tournament.

"Not only was it a great day of golf, but we also reached a significant milestone of generating more than \$500,000 in funding for local community groups and initiatives over the past 11 years of this event.

"We are thrilled that through the tournament we have been able to make a significant difference to a few local community organisations, boosting their services and continuing to have a positive impact on our community.

"It was a wonderful day of golf in Mudgee, and this coupled with raising \$61,000 for local Mudgee charities, we are pleased to have hosted another hugely successful year," said Peter.

The Moolarben Coal Celebrity Golf Classic is one of Mudgee's major sporting events. The golf course was again at capacity with over thirty teams from across NSW competing in a unique six-person ambrose tournament, followed by an evening of dinner, auction and entertainment at the Mudgee Golf Club.

Moolarben Coal General Manager, Brian Wesley acknowledged the success of the event.

"Annually, the Moolarben Coal Celebrity Golf Classic unites the community to come together to enjoy a spectacular day of golf and help raise much needed money for our local community groups.

"We are proud to continue to sponsor the day and play a part in making a positive difference on the Mudgee community," said Brian.

The Moolarben Coal Celebrity Golf Classic is set to return in February 2026.

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