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Pictured above: The AIN team & family at the Walk for Kidneys this summer at Montrose Harbor

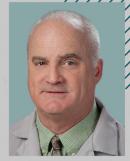
# AIN congratulates our retiring physicians! Thank you for your hard work and dedication!



Haresh Muni, M.D. Retired December 2020 12 years with AIN



Harold Bregman, M.D. Retiring Fall 2021 22 years with AIN



Donald Cronin, M.D. Retiring Spring 2022 11 years with AIN

### AIN is excited to welcome our new physicians!



Anand Ramadorai, D.O. Park Ridge Region Joined October 2020



Mohammad Puri, M.D. South Region Joined August 2021



Mussie Beraki, M.D. West Region Joined September 2021



Nancy Nora, M.D. Highland Park Region Joined April 2021



Shalini Patel, M.D. Highland Park Region Joined April 2021



Sandeep Mehta, M.D. Highland Park Region Joined April 2021

# NANI is proud to SUPPORT National Kidney Foundation of Illinois

# This year, we've welcomed the following nephrologists:

Gaurav Agarwal, MD

Gaurav Alreja, MD

Aravindhan Arumugarajah, DO

Ernest Cabrera, MD

Saurabh Chawla, MD

Asim Chughtai, MD

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Welcome, and thank you for joining us for the 2021 National Kidney Foundation of Illinois Golf Classic. A special thank you to those who are joining us again this year, and welcome to all new teams!

Kidney disease is a debilitating, costly and often life-threatening disease, usually caused by untreated diabetes and high blood pressure. There are more than 37 million adults (1 in 7 adults) in the U.S. living with kidney disease. While on the course and in the materials you will see as part of this event, please take a few minutes to learn more about the NKFI's mission.

Today promises to be a great day of golfing and gathering amongst friends and colleagues. The planning committee, together with the NKFI staff, have worked carefully and creatively to plan a safe and exciting event. It is incredibly special and gratifying this year to reconvene at our normal post-event reception after our one year absence. We truly hope you enjoy the camaraderie with your fellow team members and other players on the course.

By being here today, and by giving generously, we are able to bring you this wonderful event, while raising funds for the National Kidney Foundation of Illinois' lifesaving programs and services. Today I am honored to be among friends and colleagues who are committed to helping us fight kidney disease. On behalf of the National Kidney Foundation of Illinois and the people we serve, thank you for stepping up and giving your support.

Finally, thank you to our Golf Classic Committee members, who contribute selflessly of their time, financial support, hard work and creativity to bring all of you this fantastic tournament and networking event each summer.

Enjoy this spectacular day of golf, and good luck!

#### **Scott Downing**

NKFI Golf Classic Committee Chair



#### 2021 NKFI GOLF CLASSIC COMMITTEE

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#### **Leadership Committee**

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Madhav Rao, MD Associates in Nephrology

Mike Schrader NxStage Medical

**Kerri Zelensek** Rush University Medical Center



10:30am Check in begins

Driving range and putting green open

Giveaway distributed

Grab and go lunch served Bloody Mary bar opens

11:50pm Announcements

12:00pm Shotgun Start

Lakeside 1 | Raffle Ticket Sales Lakeside 5 | Longest Drive Lakeside 8 | Beat the Pro

Woodside 3 | Mission Moment Trivia Wheel

Woodside 4 | Golf Launcher Woodside 7 | Roll the Dice

Woodside 8 | Closest to the Hole

5:00pm Reception

**Awards** 



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### **OFFICIAL RULES**

#### Scramble Format

- 1. All players hit tee shots. Each player's tee shot must be used at least three times per round.
- 2. Choose the best drive and have all players hit their next shot from the spot within one club length, no closer to the hole, and played from the same cut of grass. The name of the player whose drive is used must be confirmed with the scorer. Should a team's selected shot lie in a hazard, bunker, fairway rough, or green-side fringe, then all team members must play their shots from the same conditions.
- 3. Once on the green: each player's ball must be placed within six inches of the ball mark, no closer to the hole.
- 4. Continue this sequence until the ball is holed out.
- 5. Once a ball is holed out, play is completed for that hole. Record the score and confirm it with the scorer.

#### **Rules of Play**

- 1. All players to play at scratch. No handicap strokes will be counted.
- 2. The tournament is a 18-hole, 4-person scramble event. The team with the lowest score in each division wins.
- 3. All counting putts must be holed out.
- 4. Play all balls "up" throughout the course. You may rake bunkers between shots
- 5. USGA Rules, except as modified by local rules, will apply including 14-club rule. Players may not share clubs.
- 6. At the completion of the round, your scorecard must be signed by one team member, attested to by the scorer, and then turned in to the scoring table immediately.

- 7. In the event of ties, the Golf Professional shall break the ties by matching scorecards beginning with the #1 handicap hole, etc., until the tie is broken.
- 8. Decisions of the Golf Professional Staff and National Kidney Foundation of Illinois Tournament Management are final and not subject to appeal.
- 9. GPS and Hand-Held Range Finders are permitted. However, the device must conform with the USGA Rules of Golf and measure distance only.
- 10. Please replace all divots/rake bunkers/repair ball marks.



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#### **Second Place Foursome**

\$100 gift cards to Cantigny Golf Shop Titleist golf balls Crystal awards

#### **Third Place Foursome**

\$50 gift cards to Cantigny Golf Shop Crystal awards

#### **Beat the Pro**

Escorted threesome at Ruth Lake Country Club

### **Longest Drive**

\$100 Gift Card to Cantigny Golf Shop

#### **Closest to the Pin**

Escorted threesome at Naperville Country Club

#### **Launcher Contest**

Swag Bag

## Congratulations to Sheilla Ntambo,

NKFI Senior Director of Finance & Administration

# Recipient of the Inaugural NANI Legacy Award



Sheilla builds a <u>legacy</u> in all she does to further the mission of the NKFI.

Tonight we celebrate her as a trusted leader and dedicated team member.

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6000 PANDEMIC RELIEF KITS DISTRIBUTED

**344** PARTICIPANTS SCREENED for kidney

disease, diabetes & hypertension\* 54% with at least one ABNORNAL RESULT

11,677

participants viewed our

VIRTUAL PATIENT PROGRAMS

280

**RENAL PROFESSIONALS** 

attended virtual continuing education events

\$201,000

awarded in

**RESEARCH GRANTS** 

24

states represented at the virtual **WALK FOR KIDNEYS** 

196

WITNESS SLIPS signed in support of bills SB2501 and SB1918

61%

**INCREASE** in advocate participation

\*KidneyMobile\* screenings were extremely limited during the height of the COVID-19 pandemic, resulting in fewer screenings held. See page 11 for more information.



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