



FIONA PIKE SKIN CANCER AWARENESS CAMPAIGN GOLF DAY

4 PERSON AMBROSE

SUNDAY 25TH SEPTEMBER 2011

12.00PM FOR A SHOTGUN START 1.00PM

COST \$35 INCLUSIVE OF TWO COURSE DINNER AND ENTRY FEE

GUEST SPEAKERS ANNE-MARIE KNIGHT/LOUISE PIKE

**WEAR SOMETHING YELLOW OR ORANGE. DONATE, WIN SOME GREAT PRIZES, &
SUPPORT AN AMAZING CAUSE. ALL MONIES DONATED WILL GO TO THE
FLINDERS LODGE**

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INFORMATION ON THE FIONA PIKE SKIN CANCER AWARENESS CAMPAIGN



FIONA PIKE WAS A SOUTH AUSTRALIAN PROFESSIONAL GOLFER WHO REPRESENTED THE LPGA, LET AND ALPG TOURS FOR TEN YEARS. IN THOSE TEN YEARS HER BEST RESULT WAS 3RD IN THE WOMEN'S BRITISH OPEN IN 1999. FIONA RETIRED IN 2005. IN 2006 THE SOUTH AUSTRALIAN STATE AMATEUR WOMEN'S TEAM WON THE GLADYS HAY CUP IN WHICH FIONA WAS THE COACH. PREVIOUSLY SA HAD NEVER WON THIS PRESTIGIOUS TITLE.

IN 2006 FIONA WAS DIAGNOSED WITH A SKULL BASE TUMOUR WHICH TURNED OUT TO BE MELANOMA. FIONA HAD A MAJOR OPERATION TO REMOVE MUCH OF THE TUMOUR WHICH WAS FOLLOWED BY RADIOTHERAPY AND CHEMOTHERAPY. FIONA EVENTUALLY LOST HER BATTLE TO THIS DREADFUL DISEASE IN 2009.

THE FIONA PIKE SKIN CANCER AWARENESS CAMPAIGN WAS LAUNCHED IN 2008 AT THE WOMEN'S AUSTRALIAN OPEN AT KINGSTON HEATH. FIONA'S MESSAGE WAS SIMPLE. "I DON'T WANT ANYONE TO EXPERIENCE THIS TERRIBLE DISEASE. OUR PROFESSION MEANS THAT WE ARE ALL AT A SIGNIFICANTLY INCREASED RISK OF SKIN CANCER AND WE NEED TO BE VIGILANT IN PROTECTING OUR SKIN AND CHECKING CHANGES TO THE SKIN" SINCE THEN THE AWARENESS MESSAGE HAS SPREAD TO ALL WALKS OF LIFE.

THE FIONA PIKE SKIN CANCER AWARENESS CAMPAIGN IS THE MAJOR CHARITY FOR THE AUSTRALIAN LADIES GOLF TOUR AND THE WOMEN'S AUSTRALIAN OPEN. AT THE 2011 WOMEN'S AUSTRALIAN OPEN KARRIE WEBB ANNOUNCED THAT SHE WOULD LIKE TO BE AMBASSADOR OF THE CAMPAIGN.

ALL MONIES DONATED HAVE BEEN USED TO UPGRADE ROOMS AT THE FLINDERS LODGE IN SOUTH AUSTRALIA WHERE PEOPLE FROM THE COUNTRY STAY WHILST RECEIVING CANCER TREATMENT. THIS IS WHERE FIONA WISHED THE MONIES TO GO.