The Water for People golf benefit, May 9, at Quail Run Golf Course in Columbus, raised more than $3,100 for the organization, according to Craig Reinsch, Olsson Associates, event chair.

A total of 54 golfers and 14 hole sponsors participated in the event. Since the golf benefit was initiated in 2005, the Section has raised more than $9,750 for Water for People.

The first place team, included: Avery Quakerbush, Jim Fogerty, James Moore, Lincoln Water System, and Ricky Greene, Kids Planet Inc. Child Development Center.

Second place went to: Bruce Dreessen, Griffin Pipe; Joe McLaughlin, Matt Springer, HD Supply Waterworks, and Don Rutjens, Rutjens Construction.

The third place team included: Andrew Hansen, Black and Veatch; Nick McElvain, John Miriovsky, Lincoln Water System, and Jeff Selby, Pentair Pump.

The following individuals won hole/flag prizes: Adam Darbro, Olsson Associates; Jim Fogerty, Lincoln Water System; Ricky Greene, Kids Planet Inc. Child Development Center; Jim Hrouda, Steve Noren, City of Hickman; Troy Lagasse, North Core Boring Co., and Matt Springer, HD Supply Waterworks.

Mission Clay Pipe donated three golf clubs and they were won by Steve Kelley, City of Beatrice; Jerry Obrist, Nick McElvain, Lincoln Water System.

In 2007, Water For People provided more than 108,000 people with safe drinking water resources and/or improved sanitation facilities. The goal is to increase the number of people receiving sustainable water and sanitation services from 200 to 1,000 new people per day by 2011.

Special thanks to William Alms, David Graiver and Brent Hanson from the UNL, who assisted at the event. Thank you to all the participants, sponsors and flag prize donators for helping the Nebraska Section AWWA support Water For People as they work towards their millennium goals.
Self-sponsored

From left:
1. Jim Fogerty, Lincoln Water System
3. James Moore, Lincoln Water System
4. Avery Quakerbush, Lincoln Water System
Rutjens Construction Team

From left:
1. Matt Springer, HD Supply
2. Joe McLaughlin, HD Supply
3. Don Rutjens, Rutjens Construction
4. Bruce Dreesen, Griffin Pipe Products
Third Place Team

Black & Veatch Team

From left:
1. John Miriovsky, Lincoln Water System
2. Jeff Selby, Pentair Pump
3. Andrew Hansen, Black & Veatch
4. Nick McElvain, Lincoln Water System
Mc² Team

From left:
1. Tony Bilek, Mc² Inc.
2. Chip Haas, HDR Inc.
3. Craig Reinsch, Olsson Associates
Gurney & Associates Team:

From left:
1. Bob Stubbe, City of Omaha
2. Keith Alexander, M.U.D.
3. Kathleen Alexander, HDR Inc.
4. Chris Johnson, Gurney & Associates
Gurney & Associates Team

From left:
1. Dave Gilmore, Gilmore Associates
2. James Ferguson, Columbus
3. Keith Gilmore, Gilmore Associates
4. Don Franklin, Gurney & Associates
HDR Inc. Team

From left:
1. Jerry Obrist, Lincoln Water System
2. Scott, Aurit, HDR Inc.
3. Kent Evans, Engineering Services
4. Daryl Kottwitz, HDR Inc.
HDR Inc. Team:

From left:
1. Chris Koenig, HDR Inc.
2. David Lathop, City of Seward
3. Steve Kelley City of Beatrice
4. Marc Rosso, HDR Inc.
HD Supply Team:

From left:
1. Troy Cumpston, Midlands Contracting
2. Shane Wegner, Midlands Contracting
3. Dave Dunning, HD Supply
4. Brad Wegner, Midlands Contracting
Metropolitlan Utilities District Team

From left:
1. Joel Christensen
2. Dennis Rinkol
3. Jim Shields
4. Paul Reed
Mission Clay Team:

From left:
1. Troy Lagasse
2. Monte Habrock
3. Adam Darbro
4. David Gill, Mission Clay
From left:
1. Chris Lemke, Nebraska Game & Parks Commission
2. Jeff Forney, Olsson Associates, Omaha
Olsson Associates Team

From left:
1. Steve Noran, City of Hickman
2. James Burroughs, Olsson Associates
3. Jim Hrouda, City of Hickman
4. Ken Rohren, Olsson Associates
Schuyler Team

From left:
1. Dave Reinecke, Reinecke Motors, Schuyler
2. Steve Bailey, Folda Insurance, Schuyler
3. Ron Steenbock, Sapp Brothers
4. Jim McGowen, City of Schuyler
UNL students helped with the event.

From left:
1. William Alms
2. Brent Hanson
3. David Graiver, unavailable for photo