



PRESS RELEASE

Headline: Texas scramble raises £2,050 for Trussell Trust!

Opening Paragraph: summarise key details and main point of interest: Salisbury and South Wilts Golf Club raised an amazing £2,050 for The Trussell Trust recently by holding a 'Texas Scramble' golf competition. With over 240 local players taking part, club Captain Paul Ford says:

'I'm so proud that the club has raised so much for a very worthwhile cause. Our members were especially keen to support with The Trussell Trust because it directly helps people in crisis in Salisbury and South Wiltshire, so it's local golfers helping local people.'

[Include some quotes about how the event went / why you did it for the Trust / what's unusual about it / who was involved - e.g. schools, celebrities]

He adds: *'We had a great time over the 2-day competition and the weather was amazing. Everyone really enjoyed themselves and we are looking forward to raising more funds for The Trussell Trust in future.'*

Add any relevant background information/details that help build the story

The Trussell Trust is Salisbury and South Wilts Golf Club's charity of the year for 2010. The club has now raised over £4,000 in total and hopes to raise much more before March 2011.

[Explain a bit about the Trust and the impact your fundraising will make]

Trussell Trust Events Manager Mark Elling says: *'The amazing £2,050 raised at the Texas Scramble event will help The Trussell Trust to make sure that local people facing crisis get emergency food and support right when they need it most. Without the wonderful support of people like Salisbury and South Wilts golfers we would not be able to do what we do. On behalf of all at the Trust I'd like to say a huge thank you to Salisbury and South Wilts golf club.'*

The Trussell Trust is a Salisbury-based Christian charity working with local communities to combat poverty and exclusion in Salisbury, the UK and Bulgaria. Ends **Double or 1.5 space your press release and keep the body of the release on one side of A4.**

Notes to the editor:

Here you can add any additional details:

- Salisbury and South Wilts Golf Club have several other charity events planned before the end of the year, all of the proceeds from which will go to The Trussell Trust.
- The Trussell Trust is a Christian charity working to bring hope and practical help to people in crisis in the UK and Bulgaria. Locally, The Trussell Trust runs Salisbury foodbank giving out emergency food and support to people in crisis. Over the past 12 months Salisbury foodbank has fed 3,261 people in the local area. In Salisbury the Trust also runs a supported volunteer programme providing volunteering opportunities for people with mental, social and physical difficulties as well as an award-winning community-focussed charity shop and a recycling centre. The Trussell Trust is passionate about empowering local people to change local lives, which is why running projects in its hometown of Salisbury is so important.

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