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## **Joe Andruzzi & Friends Hit the Links for Annual Golf Tournament and Fundraiser**

*For the ninth consecutive year, foursomes will unite in support of the Joe Andruzzi Foundation*

**WHO:** Three-time Super Bowl Champion, cancer survivor, and President of the **Joe Andruzzi Foundation (JAF)**, **Joe Andruzzi**, will be joined by an all-star lineup of former and current New England Patriots players, local athletes and celebrities, and the always hilarious Lenny Clarke.

**WHAT:** On **Monday, June 26**, three-time Super Bowl Champion and cancer survivor Joe Andruzzi and his wife, Jen, Executive Director of the Joe Andruzzi Foundation will host the **Ninth Annual Joe Andruzzi & Friends Golf Tournament** at Pinehills Golf Club in Plymouth, MA. The friendly competition will raise funds for JAF, a nonprofit organization dedicated to providing emotional and financial support to cancer patients and their families so they can focus on their recovery, not bills.

The summer golf tournament, which will once again be presented by East Commerce Solutions, Inc., has become an essential part of supporting the Foundation's work. Last year's tournament raised a record-breaking \$335,000, allowing JAF to continue its mission of assisting cancer patients and their families.

**WHERE:** Pinehills Golf Club  
54 Clubhouse Drive  
Plymouth, MA 02360

**WHEN:** Monday, June 26, 2017  
9:15 AM – Photo/video opportunity with Joe and Jen Andruzzi and celebrities  
10:00 AM – Shotgun start

**MORE INFO:** For additional information, please visit: [JoeAndruzziFoundation.org](http://JoeAndruzziFoundation.org)

**ABOUT THE JOE ANDRUZZI FOUNDATION:**

The Joe Andruzzi Foundation, founded in 2008, is committed to providing help, hope, and a reason to smile for New England-based cancer patients and their families by contributing financial and emotional support when it is needed most, as well as funding pediatric brain cancer research. Joe Andruzzi, a former three-time Super Bowl winning offensive guard with the New England Patriots, was diagnosed with non-Hodgkin's Burkitt's lymphoma in 2007 and was treated at Boston's Dana-Farber Cancer Institute and Brigham and Women's Hospital. Disease-free less than a year later, Joe dedicated his life to supporting other cancer patients and funding life-saving research. The Joe Andruzzi Foundation is Joe and his wife Jen's second philanthropic effort; in 2003, they started the C.J. Buckley Brain Cancer Research Fund at Boston Children's Hospital in memory of C.J. Buckley, a young man with an inoperable brain tumor who touched their hearts before losing his battle in 2002. The fund supports much-needed, innovative research into the molecular nature of pediatric brain tumors, novel treatment therapies and alternatives to multiple surgeries. For more information, or to make a donation, please visit: [joeandruzzifoundation.org](http://joeandruzzifoundation.org), or visit our [Twitter](#) and [Facebook](#) pages.

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