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MEDIA ALERT/CALENDAR LISTING

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WHAT: A DAY AT THE RACES!

A benefit for Ronald McDonald House Charities of Western Washington & Alaska.

Proceeds directly support operations of the Seattle Ronald McDonald House, providing families with seriously ill children undergoing medical treatment in Seattle with a “home-away-from-home” close to the hospital, regardless of their financial situation.

WHEN: MAY 12, SATURDAY. Races begin at 2 p.m.

WHERE: Emerald Downs Racetrack

2300 Emerald Downs Drive, Auburn 98001

TICKETS: Reserved seating - \$40/person.

Includes racetrack admission, reserved seating in the Trackside Tent or Clubhouse, official program, office tip sheet, buffet and \$5 discount in The Gift Horse shop.

General admission - \$20/adult, \$15/child 9 years and under.

Includes racetrack admission, official program, official tip sheet.

Reserve your tickets by calling 206.838.0613 or vanessa@rmhcseattle.org.

Please respond by April 25 to ensure your tickets arrive prior to the event.

ABOUT RMHC

Ronald McDonald House Charities[®] of Western Washington & Alaska supports families with seriously ill children by providing a caring “home-away-from-home” at the Seattle Ronald McDonald House[®] and by operating a grants program benefiting children’s health-related nonprofits in Western Washington and Alaska. For information, visit www.rmhcseattle.org.

About the Seattle Ronald McDonald House

The Seattle Ronald McDonald House[®] provides a caring “home-away-from-home” for families of seriously ill children being treated at Children’s Hospital and Regional Medical Center in Seattle. The House can accommodate 80 families each night and currently is the second largest House in the world, serving 1,100 families annually. The House is operated and maintained by Ronald McDonald House Charities of Western Washington & Alaska through individual, corporate and foundation donations.