



Pierre Edmonds presenting cheque to Tenterden Chamber of Commerce, with Mike Bartlett, David Swain, Jonathan Medes, Sue Ferguson and Terry Thorpe

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Golfers tee off to give charities fund a boost

A new charity fund has received its first donation, of £1,405.

Tenterden & District Chamber of Trade launched the fund with a golf day at the London Beach Hotel in St Michaels.

Entry fees were donated back along with the cost of the food at a buffet by the hotel's Savannah Charitable Trust, which helps good causes.

Chamber members received a cheque for £1,405 from hotel owner Pierre Edmonds.

Chairman Terry Thorpe said the fund was a new venture for the chamber.

"The golf day was very successful and we have already booked it for next year, when we hope it will be bigger" he said.

"We plan to top up the fund with other events and hand out the money to local charities at around the time of our annual meeting in April, next year."

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