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A brand-new Nissan Xterra sport utility vehicle will be awarded to the lucky winner of a hole-in-one contest at the third annual Flathead Bobcat/Grizzly Classic.

Golfers and observers are invited to the Classic, which is a fund-raiser for The University of Montana and Montana State University. It will be held Thursday, May 18, and Friday, May 19, with events in Kalispell and Bigfork.

The Classic kicks off Thursday evening with no-host cocktails and a silent auction at 6 p.m. at Cavanaugh's Outlaw Inn in Kalispell. Dinner will be served at 7:30 p.m., followed by a Calcutta auction of golf teams. The evening's speakers will be Joe Glenn, UM head football coach; Mike Kramer, MSU head football coach; Bill Johnston, UM alumni director; and Jayne Drange-Groseth, MSU alumni director.

Friday's events get under way with registration from 10 to 11 a.m. at Eagle Bend Golf Course in Bigfork. A noon shotgun start begins the tournament, which will feature six-person scrambles consisting of two three-person teams -- one Grizzly, one Bobcat. Tournament prizes will be awarded at 4:30 p.m., followed by a no-host bar.

Non-golfers are encouraged to attend both days. On Thursday, a \$22 charge will cover the evening social, meal and auction. There is no charge to attend the golf tournament.

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