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Baldy's Barbeque Hosts 2nd Annual Cornhole Classic to Benefit NeighborImpact

October 5, 2011 Bend, OR – On Saturday, October 15, Baldy's Barbeque will host its Second Annual Cornhole Classic and pig roast to benefit NeighborImpact. The tournament will be held from 12pm -3pm at Baldy's Westside location at 235 SW Century Drive in Bend, OR. Local blues and rock band True Blue will be providing live music during the tournament

"This is a great opportunity to host a fun competition that has a growing base in Central Oregon," notes Baldy's Barbeque Owner, Brian Dioguardi. "We are also excited to use the proceeds to benefit NeighborImpact and support the vital services they provide to the community."

Cornhole, a simple yet addictive pastime with Midwestern origins, is growing in popularity in the Northwest. Its mainstay is fall and the football season, when cornhole is also known as "tailgate toss". The game is simple: Players throw beanbags (purists throw bags filled with corn kernels) at two angled wooden platforms with holes in the middle that face each other at an approximate distance of 27 feet. If the bag lands on the board: 1 point. If the bag goes through the hole: 3. The first individual or team of two, that reaches 21 points wins.

"When the Bend Radio Group and Baldy's Barbeque approached us about the tournament we were excited about the opportunity," states Chris Quaka, Volunteer and Communication Administrator at NeighborImpact. "This is going to be a great event and we appreciate the support from the community."

Register at any Baldy's Barbeque location in Central Oregon. For a \$50 registration fee, teams of two will compete for cash prizes. A lunchtime meal is included in your registration fee.

About NeighborImpact: Since 1985, NeighborImpact has been a leader in developing solutions and bringing resources to Crook, Jefferson and Deschutes County. It offers a diversity of services meeting basic human needs for food and shelter, while enriching people's lives by providing access to increased education, skills, and hope for the future. NeighborImpact is a private nonprofit organization that receives federal, state and local funding; foundation grants; and donations from individuals and businesses in our community. To learn more about NeighborImpact please visit www.neighborimpact.org.

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