

## A Timeline History of the Red River Technology Foundation

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**February 2007** - Started planning for first charitable golf tournament. Researched various charitable organizations in New Hampshire.

**July 2007** - Golf Tournament held on 7/19/07. Presented a check to the Make-a-Wish Foundation of NH for \$10,350.00. Had a Wish child attend the event.

**February 2008** - Started assisting River Valley Community College in shaping their technology curriculum.

**September 2008** - Started discussions with River Valley Community College regarding the development of a Cisco Networking Academy.

**March 2008** - Developed the Red River Technology Scholarship to promote IT education, knowledge and interest among area students.

**May 2008** - Developed scholarship requirements and worked with Stevens High School to choose two deserving scholarship recipients: Daniel Decina and Ryan Cameron.

**July 2008** - Hosted 2nd Annual Charity Golf Tournament in support of the Red River Technology Scholarship. Presented new laptop computers and \$1000 each to Daniel and Ryan. The event raised \$25,000.

**December 2008** - Officially established the Red River Technology Foundation as a 501(c)(3) tax exempt, non-profit organization.

**February 2009** - Claremont School Board formally accepts donation of \$5000 of computer equipment to the school system.

**March 2009** - Our CEO met with Governor Lynch to formulate a long term IT education and talent development strategy region wide. We presented the Foundation's goals and objectives as well as our future plans with Cisco on technology in education.

**July 2009** - Hosted 3rd Annual Charity Golf Tournament to benefit the Red River Technology Foundation. Raised \$24,000. Awarded scholarships of \$2500 each to Richard Kanto and Colby Santaw.

**October 2009** - Began hosting 7-month long job shadowing program with River Valley Technical Center.

**November 2009** - Partnered with Cisco to host IT Rocks event at River Valley Community College's Discovery Day for high school students. Both Red River and Cisco were guest presenters.

**December 2009** - RRTF Christmas Tree wins Common Man's Festival of Trees contest. 100 person cocktail party. Red River participates in ongoing Community Job Forum, created by local business and education leaders to address workforce and workplace readiness, economic development and opportunities for growth.

**January 2010** - Assisted River Valley Community College financially and consultatively to roll out their Cisco Networking Academy Program.

**July 2010** - Hosting the 4th Annual Charity Golf Tournament - will award scholarships to Stevens High School students.

