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## Local Golf Course Expands to Include Mini Golf

Mechanicsburg, PA — July 25, 2013 — Rich Valley Golf, a local golf course facility in Silver Spring Township, recently celebrated its expansion and the opening of its brand new miniature golf course. They commemorated the grand opening with a ribbon cutting ceremony with the Mechanicsburg Chamber of Commerce.

The state-of-the-art, lighted mini-golf course, designed by Rich Valley Golf owner Jeff Austin, and son Jason Austin, a landscape architect, contains 18 holes, nine of which are handicap accessible. Unlike the typical putt-putt course full of windmill and dinosaur obstacles, this course is realistically landscaped to mimic a full-scale golf course, complete with 3 surface levels: sand trap, rough and fairway. This modern course offers players the challenges of real golf.

Rich Valley's new mini golf course joins a host of current offerings including a 3-hole starter's course, an 18-hole championship course, driving range, pro shop, and Nolo's Bar & Restaurant. In addition to golfers, these offerings also make Rich Valley a destination for large group gatherings such as birthday parties, wedding parties, and corporate events, as well as those looking for family recreation. "With the addition of the mini golf course, we are now a complete and full-package golf facility," said Amy Fernandez, Rich Valley Golf's Director of Operations. "Every aspect you could want in a golf experience is here at Rich Valley."

The mini golf course opened on Friday. Summer hours are Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday 8am-9:30pm; Thursday, Friday, Saturday 8am-10pm; and Sunday 8am-9pm. For more information, visit [www.richvalleygolf.net](http://www.richvalleygolf.net) or call (717) 691-8805.



Rich Valley Golf Owner, Jeff Austin, and Director of Operations, Amy Fernandez, cut the ribbon with Jeff Palm, Executive Director of the Mechanicsburg Chamber of Commerce. They are joined by members of the Mechanicsburg Chamber of Commerce. Not pictured: Nolo Fernandez, Chef and Restaurant Manager of Rich Valley's onsite Restaurant, Nolo's Bar & Grill.

#### About Mechanicsburg Chamber of Commerce

The Mechanicsburg Chamber of Commerce supports a variety of community, business and economic development programs throughout the year. It has over 400 business and residential members throughout South Central Pennsylvania; and focuses on the Mechanicsburg Borough, Hampden, Lower Allen, Monroe, Silver Spring and Upper Allen Townships.

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