Under the leadership and support offered by the Loss Prevention Foundation (LPF) <u>The Loss</u> <u>Prevention Benevolent Fund (LPBF)</u> was able to raise donations to provide charitable financial grants to the families of loss prevention/asset protection professionals suffering serious injury or a loss of life while conducting the duties of their profession.

This year's fundraising event held during the NRF Protect Conference was a huge success!

Kicked off by the Loss Prevention Foundation's annual Swing for Certification golf outing held at Coyote Hills Golf Course in Fullerton, CA, the event honored the memory of Bob MacLea by sponsoring LPQ and LPC course scholarships in his name and further raised donations to support the Loss Prevention Benevolent Fund. Participants in the event were offered the opportunity to purchase a "Super Ticket" mulligans, a scratch-off golf type lottery card to win a vacation, some golf discount adventures and a shot on the course with a "Golf Cannon". Other fundraising events included a 50/50 raffle and a "Beat the Pro" competition, resulted in \$8,600.00 in donations raised for the LPBF at the event.

In addition, NRF Protect stepped forward for the fourth year in a row donating \$1500.00 to the Loss Prevention Benevolent Fund for surveys completed during the conference. A special thank you to those who took the initiative to complete and submit surveys to make this possible.

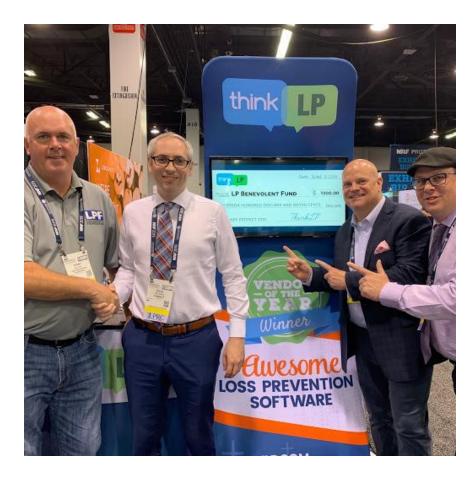
Wait, we aren't done yet. During the conference, the LPBF received additional donations from four solution providers including Checkpoint (\$2,000.00), Security Resources (\$1,000.00), The Zellman Group (\$1,000.00) and ThinkLP (\$1300.00), making this one of the most successful fundraising campaigns yet.



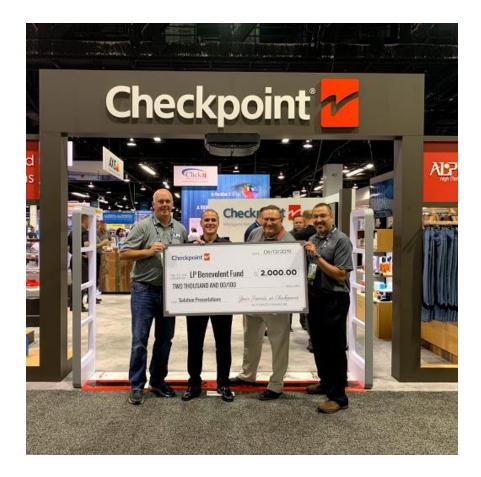
Overall, the Loss Prevention Benevolent Fund was able to raise over \$15,000.00 in donations throughout the NRF Protect Conference in Anaheim, CA.

The LP Benevolent Fund was established to provide charitable financial grants to families of loss prevention/asset protection professionals following a serious injury or loss of life while conducting the duties of their loss prevention/asset protection profession.

This is the third consecutive year ThinkLP has demonstrated their support of the LPBF by continuing to give back to our industry.



Checkpoint, for a second year in a row, also continued their support by donating \$2000.00 to the LPBF underscoring their ongoing commitment to help the families of Loss Prevention professionals when it matters the most.



"We would like to personally thank each of these organizations for their ongoing charitable support and willingness to give back to our industry, our professionals and their families." said Steve Hyle LPC, Vice Chairman of the LPBF.

"Thank you once again to NRF Protect and the Loss Prevention Foundation for their ongoing support for the LPBF. The Swing for Certification event provides a great venue to help educate industry leaders about the LPBF and raise funds to aid in our ability to support our industries professionals and their families." said Chris Duke LPC, Chairman of the LPBF.

"The LPBF's fundraising success in Anaheim, CA is such a testament to the unity of our community. It is important that we continue to support our family when they need it most," Terry Sullivan LPC, President of the Loss Prevention Foundation.