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10 Tennis event raises money for Big Heart Brigade

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Martin Downs Sports Resort kicked off the 19th season of Martin County Pro Nights on Nov. 12 with a little bit of heart.

More than 150 spectators raised \$400 to benefit the 18th annual Thanksgiving Day Dinner event organized by the Big Heart Brigade of the Treasure Coast.

"We are thrilled with the participation from the attendees at the Pro Night event," said Deanna Kernan, owner of the Martin Downs Sports Resort. "We thought it was a great opportunity for our tight-knit tennis community to join together to help those less fortunate enjoy a Thanksgiving meal."

Pro Nights, offered every Friday night from November through March at tennis clubs on the Treasure

Coast, give local tennis enthusiasts an opportunity to watch local tennis professionals compete in doubles.

Board members and volunteers from the Big Heart Brigade of the Treasure Coast were on hand at the inaugural Pro Night event to accept tax-deductible donations. The funds went toward their goal of distributing 25,000 Thanksgiving Day dinners across the Treasure Coast.

For a complete schedule of Pro Nights, visit www.martindownssportsresort.com.

For more information about Big Heart Brigade, call 772-781-4321 or visit www.bigheartbrigade.org.

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Daniel Wouters, Jim Simoneau, Matt Hollister and Larry Mueller collect funds for the Big Heart Brigade at Martin County Pro Night at the Martin Downs Sports Resort.