

## Meeting Highlights

alk about a feel-good meeting! When Anaheim Police Chief John Welter arrived with Lt. Joe Vargas and our scheduled speaker, Officer Amador Nunez, we knew something important was going to be discussed: Namely, the very successful Jr. Cadet Program. Founded in March of this year, the officers are providing

a positive role model for these kids, some of which are at-risk of joining the gang element. Already, 150 kids actively -enthusiasticallyinvolved, with 40 on the waiting list. But it didn't end



Their smiles say it all! L-R: Chief Welter, Lt. Vargas, Officer Nunez, John Karczynski, and President Vic.

there: when John Karczynski drew the Ace of Spades (for a whopping \$278), he didn't hestitate to donate his winnings to the Jr. Cadet Program. Continued on other side . . .

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# Scheduled Meetings and Dates to Remember

DECEMBER - CLUB SERVICE MONTH

December 3 (Fri) Mervyn's Shopping Spree*
December 6 Guest Speaker, Barry Escoe,
new Superintendent, Anaheim Union High School Dist.
December 9 (Thursday) Braille Institute Dessert (see other side)
December 10 Board Meeting, Ramada Inn,
12 noon
December 11 (Sat)
"Day of the Horse," Anaheim Equestrian Center;
December 13 Guest Speaker, John O'Keefe,
Personal Coach, on Stress Management
December 18 (Sat)
December 20 Guest Speaker, Coleen Smagala, Halcyon,
Anaheim Interfaith Shelter
December 23 Joint meeting with Anaheim Hills
Rotary Club; 6:30 pm
December 27

Salvation Army Shopping Spree at Mervyn's and Payless Shoes: 6:45 (yes, A.M.!) BEHIND Mervyns at Anaheim Plaza on Euclid at the 5 Fwy. When you arrive, follow the crowd into the Community Room next to Mervyn's where you'll register and receive further directions. Have fun!



t's gonna be BIG this year, and it'll be here before you know it! If you've signed up for the party at Big John's gorgeous new home, here are the details:

Date: Saturday, December 18

Time: 6:00 pm

#### **Driving directions:**

- Take Newport Fwy (55) south
- · Continue straight over PCH onto Newport Blvd., south
- · Turn left on Via Lido
- · Turn right on Via Lido Soud . . . to

#### 323 Via Lido Soud, Lido Isle, Newport Beach

Any questions, please call John or Linda at (714) 394-3333. Your dishes should feed at least ten people, and please use disposable containers where possible.

Last name food assignments: A - C Au Gratin potatoes

D - FWaldorf Salad or any type of salad

G - JSweet Potatoes/Yams • K – L Appetizers

M - SChips/Dip (Fruit or Vegetable plate)

T - ZGreen Bean Casserole

If you sign up after November 29, please bring a dessert.

One last reminder:

Please do not sign up unless you are sure you can make it. Thank you.



## Announcements, Events, Etc.

**Tub Historian** – LB has graciously agreed to be our Club Historian and is requesting any interesting information/tidbits/ facts we can pull from our memory banks. For example, our Golf Classics, Polio Plus projects, Halloween parade (yep, we really had one!), Pancake Breakfast, etc.

Free Lunch – Norm Buben passed out more "Free Lunch" cards to members, encouraging them to invite guests who would like to join Anaheim Rotary. (How else are they going to know how great we are unless we invite them!?)

**Braille Institute Dessert** – In lieu of our infamous Christmas Lunch of years past, we will be serving dessert at the Institute on Thursday, December 9, at 5:00 pm. Location: 527 N. Dale Ave. (just south of Crescent) in Anaheim. And a *BIG THANK YOU* to Jim Tripp for donating cappuccino and popcorn machines for this event!

Meeting Highlights (Continued)

Lt. Vargas speaking on behalf of the Police Activities League.



Ruben Barron proudly introducing our guest speakers.



Thank you, John, for your truly R o t a r i a n kindness!

## Happy. . . Very Happy Bucks!





Celebrating their upcoming events, Susan Klaren and Harris Done were more than happy to part with a few bucks. (Harris was even dressed for the game!) After all, what could be better news than an upcoming, flawless wedding, and a perfect—overdue—football championship!



LAST, BUT NOT LEAST . . . Word has it that Santa will be paying us a short visit next week. Could he be coming to find out who's been n \_\_\_\_\_ or nice?

### Anaheim Rotary

Meetings are held every Monday, 12 noon in the Diamond Club

# Angel Stadium

2000 E. Gene Autry Way, Anaheim



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#### Rotary's Four-Way Test

of the things we think, say or do:

Is it the TRUTH?

Is it FAIR to all concerned?

Will it BUILD GOODWILL and BETTER FRIENDSHIPS?

Will it be **BENEFICIAL** to all concerned?

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