



TIM GRIFFITH FOUNDATION

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You are invited to the 6th Annual Tim Griffith Foundation Gala

Join us under the Harvest Moon as we celebrate the bounty of fall, along with friends and supporters of the Tim Griffith Foundation. Together we will celebrate the Foundation's accomplishments of the past year and look to the future as we dine and participate in silent and live auctions. The San Mateo Elk's Lodge is once again making their space available to us, and we have a full evening of festivities planned:

- 4:00 - Croquet Tournament
- 5:30 - Doors Open for Silent Auction and Champagne/Appetizers
- 7:30 - Seated Dinner and Evening Program
- 8:30 - Live Auction

Individual tickets prices are:

- \$70.00 per person; includes dinner and evening festivities
- \$45.00 per person for under 30 yrs old; includes dinner and evening festivities
- \$15.00 per player for the Tim Griffith Croquet Tournament; includes t-shirt
- Group ticket prices are \$650.00 for a table of 10 including dinner and evening festivities.

Gold Circle Table Sponsor is \$1,000.00 for a table of 10; includes dinner and evening festivities, including advertisement or acknowledgment in the event program, wine and a special dessert for the table.

To purchase tickets go online at www.rembertim.org or send a check along with your name and the names of your guests to:

Tim Griffith Foundation
570 El Camino Real #150-427
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We always welcome the donation of items for the auction. Popular items are travel, sports memorabilia, gift certificates, and wine. If you have a donation, please contact the Auction Chair, Denise Harvey at denise4t@gmail.com.

Golf Tournament Results are In!

What a beautiful day at the Los Lagos Golf Course in San Jose! Congratulations to Team Wilson for taking first place with a score of 55, and to all teams who participated in the event. Team Clarke took 2nd place with a 58, and Team Redman 3rd with a 60. Mick Clarke won closest to the pin, Duarte Lemos won accuracy, Jack Klein won longest drive, and Ann Moreira won women's accuracy. Over 70 people golfed and enjoyed a post-tournament BBQ and Raffle. A special celebration was held for the tournament organizer, Marty Redman and his wife, Jo who celebrated their 40th Wedding anniversary that day! Thank you to MaryBeth Eadie, Jag Kooner of Gordon Biersch and Los Lagos Golf Course for donation of raffle prizes. And a special thanks to our sponsors: Redwood City Salt Works, Service League of San Mateo County, Shannon and Kevin Scott, the Mailhot Family, Ameriprise Financial, and Gordon Biersch. To view photos go to Photo Galleries at www.rembertim.org.



Fall Meadowlark Mothers' Retreat Planned

The Foundation is pleased to offer another Meadowlark Mothers' Retreat in September 2010 for mothers who have lost adult children. Seven mothers will have the opportunity to grieve and heal in a safe and supportive setting. Joanne Dexter from Menlo Park has generously offered her home as the retreat location. Shelly Gillan of KARA and Leslie Chin will co-facilitate the grief program. Volunteers from Tim Griffith Foundation will again cook and tend to the needs of the retreat attendees. We want to thank Kevin and Shannon Scott for their sponsorship of this retreat. There are still a few participant spaces available. For more information about the retreat, contact Stacey Redman at: Stacey.Redman@gmail.com

Tim Griffith Foundation Wins Rotary Club July 4th Raffle!

Thanks to the generosity of one supporter who purchased 200 raffle tickets in the Foundation's name, The Tim Griffith Foundation took home the grand prize of \$18,000 in the 2010 Redwood City Rotary July 4th Raffle. Al Cunningham, LeAnn Kanowsky, Lisa Moreno, and Julie Gayner were on hand at the luncheon where Rotarian Pete Hughes presented the check to Al who said, "Last year we sold the winning ticket; this year we had the winning ticket. Next year, what are we going to do? We have a year to think about it!" Nearly \$85,000 was handed out to 11 charities who participated in the raffle, including a check for \$8,030 to the Foundation for tickets sold to our supporters! The Redwood City Rotary raffle has raised more than a half million dollars for local charities over the past eight years through the annual July 4th Raffle. Amazing!





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OUR MISSION

The Tim Griffith Foundation heals and strengthens Bay Area communities by providing support and services to those impacted by addiction, violence and loss.

IT'S A GREAT TIME TO VOLUNTEER WITH US!

What makes now a great time to volunteer? There is so much going on with the Foundation that we can offer a wide variety of ways for anyone to join our terrific group of volunteers. All talents are appreciated and welcomed, and here are some of our specific needs; maybe one calls out to you:

Gala Volunteers: We need help soliciting donations, creating gift baskets, and volunteers for the day of the Gala.

Media Connection: Help us keep the Tim Griffith Foundation in the media (radio, online, print, TV)

Website Support: We use Drupal to run our website. If you know Drupal, or would like to learn this easy-to-use web authoring too, you can be a contributor!

Newsletter Author: Do you like spreading good news? Writing articles for our quarterly newsletter is a great way to exercise your inner author.

Recently we welcomed several new volunteers to the foundation: Anthony Berk, Lisa Clayton, Linda

Grayson, Victoria Olsen, and Suzi Paridy. Long-time supporter, Ann Corbin has taken on a new role of Corporate Liaison on behalf of the foundation as well. If you'd like to join our amazing volunteer group, contact Lisa Moreno at Lisa4T@gmail.com.

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