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Member Dispatch

Making a positive impact on the lives of children and their families.

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Earlier this month SBCO hosted the Second Annual Golden Goose Fashion Show. The Golden Goose accounts for 54% of SBCO's revenues. Thank You!!

Mark Your Calendars

December 10th No. Don't go. We have no general meeting in December.

January 14th SBCO General Meeting

February 11th SBCO General Meeting – Focus on annual food drive (March 9th)

March 9th Bright and early Saturday morning = 2013 Annual Food Drive. We will need tons of help.

March 11th SBCO General Meeting

Things You Might Have Missed

Oh man!! The Golden Goose Fashion Show rocked. It rocked in 2011. Can we make this a recurring annual November event? We hope so. Congratulations to the Goose for a fine job.

Congratulations to Joan and Rich Roberts and their merry band of Thanksgiving Turkeys for another successful year. Just days ago they delivered 30 Thanksgiving baskets to families in the Oracle area. Remaining food and cash were donated to the Tri-Community Food Bank in Mammoth.

October witnessed another successful Walkathon. The Walkathon is SBCO's major annual fundraising event. It's not too late to get into the Walkathon spirit. There are still official tee shirts for sale in Suite L. For a \$5.00 donation you can cover your torso and support SBCO. Talk about a bargain!

Also in October, SBCO delivered Robson Source Books (AKA phone books) to every household in SaddleBrooke. Mr. Robson pays SBCO 50 cents for every book delivered. In this effort SBCO volunteers raised over \$2,000.00.

The Golder Ranch office of Long Realty did a cool thing recently. The agents worked a table at October's "I don't want it" sale. They raised \$770.00 – then promptly donated it to our Kids' Closet. Thank you, Long Realty.



OK. Who's happier? The Kids' Closet child receiving the clothing or the Kids' Closet volunteer? We think it's the volunteer.

Unit 23 also gave Kids' Closet a check for \$250.00. That was nice, not to mention helpful. Thank you. SBCO continues to operate math and reading tutoring programs in San Manuel Jr/Sr, Mountain View Elementary (Oracle), Coronado K8 (Catalina), and Ironwood Ridge High School (O.V.). Generally tutors volunteer one day a week for six weeks. Would you like more information? Contact either of our VP's Mike Moore (825.1263) or Stephen Groth (385.6686).

Things You Don't Want to Miss

Have you visited our website lately? Jenny Rink revised-simplified it. It looks great. WHAT IS MORE, YOU CAN FIND FUN PHOTOS OF THE GOOSE FASHION SHOW. It's worth a visit www.comunity-outreach.org. Follow the Golden Goose link.

Bashas and SBCO have devised a way for us all to donate to SBCO while purchasing groceries. When we use our Bashas'-SBCO prepaid (debit-like) cards 6% of our purchase price will be donated to SBCO. You fill the card with cash, check, or credit card and then use it at the store like a gift card. Cards are available at Suite L in SaddleBrooke's commercial center. To date we've received \$400.00 from Bashas.



These are the 2012 Golden Goose Fashion Show models. These women were flown in from virtually every unit in SaddleBrooke and beyond. They are pictured here in the green room - just moments before bringing the house down. Don't miss 2013's show.

Our annual Christmas Adopt-A-Family program is happening NOW. Want to shop? Wrap? Deliver? Organize your unit or club in the effort? If so, contact Ellen and Ken Perkins at ellenperkins@juno.com.

Teen Closet is happening in January.

Over the past nine years, The Golden Goose has given a total of over four million dollars to SaddleBrooke Community Outreach and Catalina Community Services, thereby making better and enriching the lives of children, seniors and families from Tucson to the San Carlos Reservation. SBCO is in great part able to fund so many of its wonderful programs due to the success of The Golden Goose . Please continue to shop, donate and volunteer at both The Golden Goose and SBCO to enable the mission of Outreach to be fulfilled. The Goose is the perfect place to bring your holiday guests for a treasure hunting adventure that they will never forget! The Golden Goose is truly one of a kind! No one sparkles like the Goose at the holidays! Happy Holidays to One and All!!



Walkathon Grand Marshalls Maggie DeBlock and Paula Morgan inspect the troops.

Classifieds

Help Wanted! Adopt-A-Family holiday (Christmas) program. Contact Ellen and Ken Perkins ellenperkins@juno.com.

Help Wanted! Math and reading volunteers. Always a need. Contact Mike Moore (825.1263) or Steve Groth (333.4262).

Help Wanted! March 9th. Our annual March food drive requires a small army of volunteers. Please help. Contact Joan Roberts (825.7577).

Help Wanted! Suite L volunteers. We are always looking for folks to staff our Suite L. Shifts are three hours, 9am to noon or noon to 3pm, Monday through Wednesday. The office is pretty quiet, peaceful, and non-strenuous. Volunteer, but bring a book, your iPod, or your knitting.

For Sale! 2012 Walkathon Tee-shirts. All sizes. Only a \$5.00 donation. On Sale at Suite L.

For Sale! Bashas-SBCO community support cards. On sale at Suite L.



As part of our Thanksgiving Turkey Drive SBCO volunteers are pictured here delivering turkeys to San Manuel families.

*Happy Thanksgiving from
SBCO*

Your SBCO Officers

President Maggie DeBlock; Executive VP Joan Roberts; Treasurers Anne Everett & John Young; Recording Secretaries Judy Kany & Stefanie Modos; Corresponding Secretary Joan Coyne; Kids' Closet VP's Pat Ford and Paula Morgan; Education VP's Mike Moore & Stephen Groth; Special Events VP's Judy Williams & Joe McGowan; Directors of Membership Ken Siarkiewicz & Willie Reich; Directors of Communication Doris Clark & Rick Cato; Past President Nan Nasser; Golden Goose Representative Ann Coziahr.