

# Roosters Crow Newsletter

Over Forty Years of Friendship & Community Service  
Ending Childhood Hunger  
Volume 143, February, 2023



**ROOSTERS  
FOUNDATION**  
OF ORANGE COUNTY

## President's Message Gary Draper, President

2023 President, Roosters & Roosters Foundation

We had a great January with 30 people attending our lunch as we were entertained by a wonderful speaker, who spoke of our January Social, Saturday, January 28th, which was a trip to Los Angeles with visits to the San Antonio Winery, beautiful architectural settings, and the newly remodeled Union Station with a craft beer tasting.

Also, at the luncheon meeting, we raised \$2,100 for the next Food Drive. We should all be proud of what we do!



Question: What if you went to your doctor, who then gave you a prescription that would, with no side effects, give you:

1. A longer life
2. A better cardiovascular system
3. Slower aging
4. Better will-power and more stamina
5. More energy and better sleep
6. Less depression and anxiety
7. More happiness
8. More personal and professional success

Would you take the prescription no matter what the doctor asked you to do? There is overwhelming evidence that these benefits exist with no down-side.

All Roosters and their families are already taking this drug to some degree. I want to suggest that you do the following if you want even more of these benefits.

1. Start slow by asking yourself, "How can I help". This applies to your feelings about everyone, or at least as many people as you can. You will be surprised at how quickly you begin to really care about other people. This is important because you must really mean your feelings. If you mean it, the more benefits you will have.
2. Do more volunteer work and donate more. This gives you a real feeling of kindness, accomplishment, and happier feelings towards yourself and everyone else.
3. Be kind to all others because if all people are like you, you will benefit from their help. In other words, if people like you, they will help you to succeed. Studies show that all of this enhances your happiness and self-esteem. I can tell you many stories that helped me in my life if you want to hear them.

The Book, "Wonder Drug", proves it with 7 scientifically proven ways that serving others is the best medicine for yourself. These guidelines were generated from 250 scientific peer-review studies researched by two medical doctors. The moral of this story is that we all should be kind to everyone and help them when we can, especially Roosters. That is, if you want to live longer, have more success, and be happier. You can see that the side effects of this Wonder Drug are only good for you!

President's Awards Banquet:

This month, we are hosting the President's Awards Banquet at the Avenue of the Arts Hotel on Saturday, February 4th. Cocktails and background music beginning at 6 pm. I will have a special presentation for all of you and I hope you will join us for this very special event of the year as we recognize as many who helped Roosters as we can.

Our next Lunch is again at Prego's Restaurant on Thursday, February 9th at 11:30am. The feedback is that the food was great at the January lunch, and you should know that the Chef Ugo, at Prego's, has offered to help recruit other chefs for our Food and Wine Celebration.

## Vice President's Message Stan Smith

As the 2023 Roosters Vice President, I have been reviewing the future of The Roosters Foundation membership. My goal, this year, is to recruit new members "who believe in lifelong friendships while performing charitable work on behalf of children in need." (Our Mission Statement).



I know that the last few years have created changes in our organization. I have interviewed members who are not renewing their membership for 2023. There are a variety of different reasons, but some have mentioned that they are not comfortable with the evolution of The Roosters. We will definitely miss their presence in the upcoming year, and always have the door open for them.

Yes, we are in a different world than 45 years ago, when the Roosters Foundation was born. Yes, the last few years have had a lot of changes. We lost time during the pandemic... communication and technology have changed... and we now welcome women into our charity and social group as members. This is a new chapter for The Roosters Foundation...and we welcome and embrace change.

I encourage each member to look around and see how amazing The Roosters Foundation is. We raised almost \$300,000 last year for 28 charities. We celebrated coming back together in-person at our unique and fun social events and educational luncheons. We even gathered outside of the Roosters official events to visit together as life-long friends locally and even abroad!

2023 is the year for The Roosters to grow. If you know of any friends, family, or workmates who would enjoy being a part of The Roosters, and believe in our mission, we welcome them! I look forward to watching the Roosters membership grow and help carry our vision to a new level.

## 2023 ROOSTERS CALENDAR

Our Luncheons are the Second Thursday of every month.

Our 2023 monthly social dates will vary but will be monthly. We also have many fundraising and special events...OCFWC Wine Celebration, Chefs Experience, Golf Tournament and our Feeding OC and Food Drives, Committee Meetings, Presidents Awards, Rooster Flash Mobs, and more!

We will update this calendar in each issue, so feel free to print out this page every month and block out the dates to keep involved. We are still locking in dates for OCFWC and Golfing for Kids. *(updated 2=3-23)*

**Luncheons for Rooster Members**  
**Sign up on Evite and pre-pay at**  
[www.roosters.org](http://www.roosters.org)

**♥Thursday Feb 9th ♥**

Prego's ♥ 11:30am  
 Speaker Michelle Mangano  
 Massage Therapist  
 Spouses/Dates Welcome!  
 ♥

**Thursday Mar 9th**

Prego's 11:30am

**Thursday April 13**

Prego's 11:30am

**Thursday May 11th**

Avenue of the Arts Hotel 11:30am  
 3350 Ave of the Arts, Costa Mesa

**Thursday June 8th**

Avenue of the Arts Hotel 11:30am

**Thursday July 13th**

Avenue of the Arts Hotel 11:30am

**Thursday Aug 10th**

Avenue of the Arts Hotel 11:30am

**Thursday Sept 14th**

Avenue of the Arts Hotel 11:30am

**Thursday Oct 12th**

Prego's 11:30am

**Thursday Nov 9th**

Prego's 11:30am

**Saturday Dec 16th**

Avenue of the Arts Hotel 11:30am

**Socials for Rooster Members,  
 Significant Others, and Guests**  
**Sign up on Evite**

**February 22nd, 5:30pm**

Roosters Flash Mob  
 Unofficial gathering  
 Old Vine Kitchen and Bar  
 In CAMP Mall  
 2937 Bristol A103  
 Costa Mesa, CA 92626  
 (carpool - parking may be tight)

**March**

**April**

**May**

**June**

**Saturday July 15th**

Angels v Houston Astros  
 Possible July Social - TBD

**August**

**September**

**October**

**November**

**December**

**Special Events**

**February 4th**

Presidents Dinner  
 details on evite  
 Avenue of the Arts Hotel  
 3350 Ave of the Arts  
 Costa Mesa

**March**

**April**

**May**

**June**

**July**

July or Aug - Wine Celebration  
 Final Date TBD

**August**

**September**

**Sunday, October 29th**

OCFWC Chefs Experience  
 Old Ranch CC

**November**

**December**



ROOSTERS FOUNDATION  
 OF ORANGE COUNTY

## Upcoming Calendar

### Feeding OC

Please continue to support this vital program, providing food to needy kids in Orange County, during the Covid-19 crisis.

We are looking for a co-Chair to join Dan - contact him!

**For upcoming dates please contact:**

Dan Stone: call or text 714-310-4162.

Dan@DantheManforMortgages.com

### February 4 President's Awards Banquet

Avenue of the Arts Hotel. Cocktails and background music beginning at 6 pm. Contact Gary Draper

Pay your 2023 Rooster dues and your ticket is complimentary.

Please go to [www.roosters.org](http://www.roosters.org) to reserve your seat and purchase one for your date.

**Dues for 2023 can be paid for on [www.roosters.org](http://www.roosters.org)**

### February 7 Board of Directors

6-8 PM. All Roosters invited to attend.

NOTE: exceptionally 1st Tuesday due to St. Valentine's.

Contact Gary Draper

### February 9 Luncheon

11:30 at Prego's, 2409 Park Avenue, Tustin.

### February 22 Pop-Up

5:30pm at The Vine Kitchen and Bar. Located at The Camp Mall – 2937 Bristol St, Ste A-103, Costa Mesa. Parking may be tight so get there early or carpool.

These are unofficial gatherings at our OCFWC supporting restaurants. Bring friends, grab a drink or dinner. Let's show support for the Chefs who help us at OCFWC!

### All Future Events

Board meetings 2nd Tuesday of the Month.

Luncheons 2nd Thursday every month.

Socials 3rd Thursday every month.

### February 9th Speaker:

#### Michelle Mangano

Executive Director, CalCopa Massage School



After working 20-years working in the corporate world, Michelle left the stressful, busy schedule to pursue a career as a massage therapist. Shortly after, she was asked to become an instructor and eventually offered the shares of the business. Michelle combines her knowledge of business practices, anatomy & physiology, massage theory and practice to help educate both the students and the public on the benefits of massage. These benefits include:

- Activating the parasympathetic system to allow the body to rest and recover
- Increasing blood circulation to the skin and the other organs
- Lymph circulation to help the body rid itself of toxins
- Repair damaged tissue to prevent reinjury, or chronic damage
- Activate the sympathetic (fight, or flight) system to maximize an athlete's performance
- And more...

Students at CalCopa are provided with the opportunity to put these skills into practice at the various community events and the student clinic offered by the school.

## ROOSTER FEBRUARY BIRTHDAYS



Doug Wilson



Doug Richards



Chad Hall



Penny Strenger



Buy them a cocktail!!



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lasts a day.  
The thrill of giving  
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*Joan Marques*



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www.roosters.org



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Recording Secretary



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Charity Director



Joann Leatherby  
Speakers Director



“If you want to go fast, go alone. If you want to go far, go together.”

-African Proverb



**2023 ROOSTERS FOUNDATION  
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OFF-BOARD**

www.roosters.org



Dan Stone  
Food Program



David Norwood  
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John Trapani  
Wine Chair



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Joann Leatherby  
OCFWC Co-Chair (Lead)



Jen Moriarty  
OCFWC Co-Chair



Peter Smith  
Crow Editor



Penny Strenger  
Events Coordinator



Alison Cotton  
Dir. of Comm.

**Board Meeting**



Do you want to learn more about  
The Roosters Board?

All Roosters are welcome to watch the Board meet on  
the second Tuesday of each month at 6pm.

Feb 7th and March 14th

(Feb 7th is the first Tuesday...adjusted this month only)

Please rsvp to President Gary Draper prior to meeting.  
Prego Restaurant in Tustin

# Charity Committee

Happy Charity Committee New Year!

The charity committee needs to start work again on its mission to get all the applications from our charities in, vetted, and ready for the grant review committee in the fall. Please let me know if you are interested in working on the committee this year. I would like to hold the first meeting in February.

Each Rooster member is expected to be an advocate for one of our charities. Please let me know if you would still like to be an advocate for your particular charity (or charities) this year, or if you are interested in being an advocate for the first time. This is an important job. We need to know about our charities and the work that they do, and besides that, it is really interesting!

Please send me an email ( [jill@jdcaron.com](mailto:jill@jdcaron.com)), or give me a call at 714-536-8603 (home/office) or 714-552-4216 (cell)  
Jill Caron-Rauen  
Charity Committee Chair



Los Alamitos Foundation:  
Carrie Logue and Marty Golden  
"Rooster Advocate Marty Golden presenting check to Carrie Logue, Executive Director, Los Alamitos Education Foundation - In background mural at Weaver Elementary School, one of the locations where the Roosters-funded after-school enrichment programs are conducted."



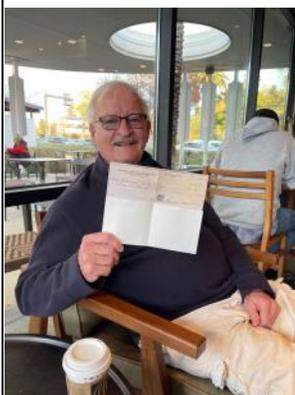
Huntington Harbour Philharmonic Committee - Bill Ross



Family Promise of OC: Dan Stone  
"As a member of the Board of Directors for Family Promise OC, (FPOC), I wanted to thank you personally for your generous support. Due to the generosity of donors like you, FPOC is able to assist homeless families in achieving housing stability. In addition to groceries, gas cards, and even classes in financial literacy, we are able to offer many more critical services to all families entering our program. Our families will feel a sense of stability that they would not otherwise feel because of your support.  
Thank you again!"  
In gratitude, Mike Hickman  
Board Member, FPOC



Collettes Home Jill Caron Rauen and John Hinson



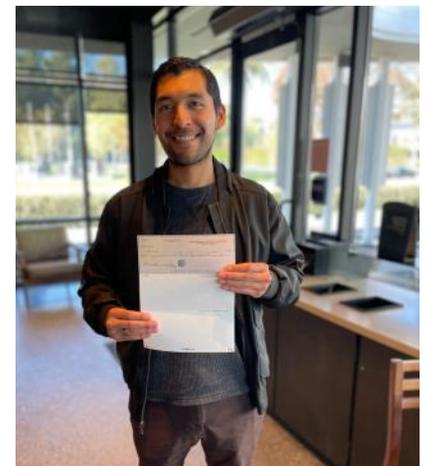
Advance to College  
Executive Director Fred Lentz - Allyn Lean



Christina Mauser Foundation Matt Mauser and John Trapani



Pure Game Executive Director Tony Everett and John Hinson



JOYA Scholars  
Christian Esteban - Allyn Lean

# If I can't find you a better mortgage rate, **YOU DON'T PAY ME A DIME!**

Dan connected us with a bank that refinanced our \$2,800 monthly payment down to \$2,300.

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**DAN STONE**  
President,  
Loan Originator

## January 28th Rooster Social Tour of Los Angeles with Hoffy Tours!



# Membership

**It's easy to propose a new member!**

Just get your candidate's business card, put your name on it, and forward it to **Membership Director**

or use the membership application at [www.RoostersFoundation.org/membership](http://www.RoostersFoundation.org/membership).

**New Members:** Proposed members are presented to the membership of the Roosters for review.

**If you have objections to a proposed new member, call your Membership Director. Calls are confidential.**



**Honorary Roosters** - we are happy to have the ongoing support of the following:

Cherri Farah  
Gary Eisenberger  
Margarita Martin  
Mark McDonald

Dan Pederson  
Floyd Pickrell  
Peter Smith

## Proposed New Rooster Member – Robert Ward (Sponsor: Dan Stone)

Robert F. Ward, President, Efficiency Insurance Solutions, Inc. (EIS)

Robert Ward is an insurance professional and has been providing; Employee Benefits, Long Term Care, and Life Insurance solutions to his clients for more than 20-years.

Prior to entering the insurance industry, Robert spent 13-years in the factory automation industry helping manufacturing companies increase efficiencies and improve employee safety. Robert technically started his professional sales career at the young age of 10, selling the Orange County Register door to door.

When Robert is not helping people “protect what’s important to them” he can be found at a concert, traveling, and exploring new restaurants with his wife and business partner, Leah. Robert is the proud father of 4 children ranging from age 16 to 26. Robert and his wife have been active in supporting Orange County Rescue Mission and Laurel House, and of course, youth sports teams. Robert was introduced to the Roosters Foundation by Dan Stone and attended the 2022 OCFWC Chefs Experience. From that moment on, he knew he wanted to be a Rooster.



## Proposed New Rooster Member – Lynn Brown (Sponsor: Joann Leatherby)

Lynn Brown:

BofA Cal State Fullerton

Taught Advertising design at Chapman University and Fullerton Community College

Owner of Lynn Brown & Associates, Graphic Design & Printing

I have served on the following boards:

OCMA

Newport Beach Library

Chapman University

Contemporary Art Collection

Contacts of OC.

I enjoy fundraising!

I live in Newport Beach with my pets. I have 2 children and 5 grandchildren.

I love travel, art, God.





Roosters Flash Mob  
 1-3-23  
 Join us for our  
 next one...  
 details TBA



A **Flash Mob** is a group of people who assemble suddenly in a public place, perform for a brief time, then quickly disperse.  
**The Roosters Flash Mob** is an unofficial gathering of Roosters at an OCFWC Restaurant where we can express our gratitude and enjoy their delicious food and drink!



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## Ambassadors Corner

Lou Gardner, Chair

Brother and Sister Roosters:

As we embark on the new year, I ask that membership go out of your way to reach out to our Ambassadors and welcome them to this special organization we call the Roosters!



As you review our latest Directory, take a moment to call and introduce yourself. Let that Ambassador know how you became a Rooster and share your memories and experiences from events and establishing lifelong friendships!

Ambassadors, as the Ambassador Chair, I will be reaching out to you and asking for your assistance in getting the word out for our luncheons, social events, and other Roosters activities.

Our current Ambassadors are:

Kimberley Berman  
Larry Greene  
Angela Joe  
John Jackson  
Joann Leatherby  
Pat McAuley  
Jennifer Moriarty  
Walid Nasserdeen  
Richard Shuldiner  
David Norwood

## OCFWC Restaurants

These chefs support us at our main fundraising event, please support them next time you are dining out - and let the chef know you're from the Roosters and we appreciate them!

**Old Vine Kitchen & Bar** Mark McDonald  
<https://oldvinekitchenbar.com/>

**Prego** Ugo Allesina  
[www.PregoOC.com](http://www.PregoOC.com)

**Old Brea Chop House** Masa Ose  
[www.oldbreachophouse.com](http://www.oldbreachophouse.com)

**The Pacific Club** David B. Martin  
[www.pacificclub.org](http://www.pacificclub.org)

**Old Ranch Country Club** "Polo" Paul Gregory  
[www.oldranch.com](http://www.oldranch.com)

**Michael's on Naples** Eric Samaniego  
<http://michaelsonnaples.com>

Michael & David Rossi

**Terrace by Mix Mix** Ross Pangilinan  
<http://www.mixmixkitchenbar.com/>

**Benchmark Restaurant** Stefano Ciociola  
<http://benchmarkoc.com/>

**Bar One by Il Barone** Jon, Franco & Donatella Barone  
<http://baroneoc.com>



*More Info*

**Sunday - October 29th, 2023**  
**Chefs Experience**  
at Old Ranch Country Club, Seal Beach  
[www.OCFWC.com](http://www.OCFWC.com)

A Fundraiser for The Roosters Foundation  
Benefitting Kids in Need in the OC  
**SAVE THE DATE!**



**ROOSTERS**  
**FOUNDATION**  
OF ORANGE COUNTY



# Thank You Roosters!

**KHERUT**

MAILING ADDRESS  
1112 N Brookhurst St.  
Suite 6, Anaheim  
CA 92801

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December 15, 2022

Mr. Jon Giberson  
ROOSTERS FOUNDATION OF ORANGE COUNTY  
2222 Michelson Drive  
Suite 300  
Irvine, CA 92612

Re: General Operating Grant  
Dear Jon:

On behalf of Kherut, I would like to express our gratitude for check #2754 received on Saturday, December 10, 2022 in the amount of \$2,500.00.

All unrestricted funds will be directly allocated to our program which empowers, mentors and employs survivors of sex trafficking, sexual abuse, domestic violence, rape, imprisonment and young women aging out of foster care in a safe and supportive environment.

Thank you for your support and believing in our mission to help create a lasting change in the lives of not only these women but also drastically changing the lives of their children; breaking the chain and giving them hope for a better future.

Kherut is a 501(c)(3) non-profit incorporated in the State of California, operating under tax ID# 83-2816420. No goods or services were provided in exchange for this donation.

Sincerely,  
*Jody Masquefa*  
Jody Masquefa  
Co-Founder / Director of Operations

November 28, 2022

Dan Stone  
Feeding Chairman  
Roosters Foundation  
2222 Michelson Suite 300  
Irvine, CA 92612-1332

Dear Dan,

Please accept my sincere thanks for the \$25,249.17 gift (check# 2725) that we received on 11/28/2022 to the OC Food Bank, a program of Community Action Partnership of Orange County.

We are working hard to ensure no one in Orange County goes hungry. Thank you for helping make that possible.

Your gift to the OC Food Bank will help put food on the tables of hungry families throughout our community. In fact, your support means that families who are struggling to make ends meet, including seniors and children, will receive nutritious food through our Farm to Family program as well as necessary staples to keep their cupboards full.

Thank you again for your support of the Orange County Food Bank. If you would like to visit or tour, please contact us via e-mail at [partner@capoc.org](mailto:partner@capoc.org) or at (714)897-6670 ext. 5301.

Together, we can help end hunger

With gratitude,

*Gregory O. Scott*  
Gregory O. Scott  
President & CEO

Community Action Partnership of Orange County  
organization; Federal Tax I.D. # received for this gift. It is fully tax deductible.



December 16, 2022

Roosters Foundation of Orange County  
2222 Michelson Dr Ste 300  
Irvine, CA 92612-1332

Dear Friends,

We want to extend our gratitude for the recent grant of \$7,500 received on December 16, 2022 in support of Friendly Center's mission - to provide stability, opportunity, and hope to children and families living in poverty.

As a result of this grant, families who come to Friendly Center will be given the chance to both meet immediate needs and create a more stable and secure future. As a grant-funded organization, we are only able to continue our work in the community through the generosity of grantors; as such we are deeply grateful for your support!

Together we are making a difference in the lives of children and families.

Warm Regards,

*Cathy Seelig*  
Cathy Seelig  
President/CEO

Fed Tax ID #95-2479833

In compliance with IRS Code section 170 (f) (8), this letter serves as verification that your gift is tax deductible since you have received no goods or services in connection with this gift.

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December 16, 2022

Rooster Foundation of Orange County  
2222 Michelson Dr. Suite #300  
Irvine, CA 92612

We are honored to receive your generous donation in support of Parentis Foundation's flagship program, Experience Corps OC: An Inter-Generational Literacy Intervention Program\*.

2022 Donation: \$5,000.00

Children are not reading proficiently by the end of third grade, they are four times more likely not to graduate high school. Currently the only intergenerational reading tutoring program providing both online and in-person intervention services, the Parentis Foundation is dedicated to improving the literacy skills of struggling readers while also supporting their social-emotional growth. Our dedicated volunteer tutors are trained in one-on-one tutoring sessions and are implementing these services to keep our students engaged and enthusiastic about their education.

Parentis is the Gateway to Academic Success!

This school year, our dedicated volunteer tutors are providing more than 600 weekly one-to-one reading tutor sessions to more than 300 struggling young readers!

We are Transcending Generations Through Literacy and Mentoring!

Through the mentorship of our older-adult Experience Corps OC volunteers, our goal is to provide students with an opportunity to perfect their reading skills, increase academic proficiencies, and foster a safe place to support social-emotional growth while also benefiting from their tutors' patience, wisdom, and mentorship.

It is a Win - Win for both Generations!

This letter is provided by Parentis Foundation to express our gratitude for your support. No goods or services, in whole or in part, were received in exchange for this contribution; therefore, the full value of your contribution is deductible for income tax purposes.

For more information on Parentis Foundation and our flagship program, Experience Corps OC, please visit our website at [www.parentisfoundation.org](http://www.parentisfoundation.org).

\*Parentis Foundation is the proud program partner of AARP Foundation Experience Corps

Warm regards,  
*Janice Frechette-Artinger*  
Janice Frechette-Artinger  
Executive Director

Executive Director  
Janice Frechette-Artinger

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Colette's Children's Home  
Healing Homelessness  
7372 Prince Drive, Suite 106 Huntington Beach, CA 92647 PO

January 20, 2023

Roosters Foundation of Orange County  
John Hinson  
2222 Michelson Drive, Suite #300  
Irvine, CA 92612

Dear John,

On behalf of the homeless women and children we serve, thank you for your recent donation of \$5,000.00 to Colette's Children's Home (CCH). This letter will serve as your receipt and certify that you did not receive any goods or services in exchange for your donation. We greatly appreciate your support, and we are pleased to be able to use it to house and serve more homeless women and children in the coming year.

In 2021, we had requests from 2,474 homeless women and children seeking shelter and supportive services. We housed and served 315 homeless women and children. 130 women and children graduated the program and entered permanent housing. 94 women secured or maintained employment. We also helped reunify 51 children with 26 mothers.

Without the caring concern of people like you, CCH would be unable to provide the much needed support and services to homeless women and children throughout Orange County. Thank you for your continued support for Colette's Children's Home.

Sincerely,

*Colette O'Connell*  
Colette O'Connell  
Director of Fund Development  
[coconnell@healinghomelessness.org](mailto:coconnell@healinghomelessness.org)

*Thank you for your support!*  
Colette



[www.coletteschildrenshome.com](http://www.coletteschildrenshome.com)  
and become a mother to my two kids I can be proud of... -Janice

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[www.roostersfoundation.org](http://www.roostersfoundation.org)



Rooster of the Year  
Dan Ouweleen - 2020



Rooster of the Year  
Dr. Thad Sandford - 2021

### Roosters Creed

An organization that stands for friendship, fellowship, charity and good times. It stands for busy, worldly people who take the time to give those less fortunate a helping hand. It stands for warmth, strength, and shared laughter.

### Mission Statement

To facilitate and encourage lifelong friendships while performing charitable works on behalf of children in need.

### Mission Statement for the Roosters Foundation of Orange County

To raise necessary funds for disadvantaged and at risk children in the Orange County area and to support public and private programs with necessary services for children in need.

We respectfully request that all Roosters and the friends of Roosters patronize the businesses and establishments that support and foster Roosters charity causes. We are grateful!



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### A note from Peter Haacker:

Rooster's

Thank you so much for your kindness.

The edible arrangement of fruit and chocolates arrived at the perfect time. Betsy was just getting over her cancer treatment and I was in the midst of mine. The arrangement did so much to lift our spirits.

Peter

If you have a minute, Peter might also appreciate a call from his Rooster brothers and sisters as he and Betsy deal with their cancer treatments.