



*San Pedro Lodge #966
of the Benevolent &
Protective Order of Elks*

Six-Bells



Exalted Ruler: Dr. Gene DeAngelis

December 2010

Veterans Day Celebration



San Pedro Packages for Patriots founder, Mike Walker, and his wife, Shirley Vojkovich



The Emblem Club Ladies perform the Flag Folding Ceremony

**Elks Training
Wed, Dec 1**

**Holiday Ball
Saturday, Dec 11**

**Monday Night
Football**

**Friday Night
Happy Hour with
Live Bands**

**Seniors Holiday
Breakfast
Sunday, Dec 19
10:00 am**

**Children's
Christmas Party
Sunday, Dec 19
2:00 pm, with
Jim Gamble Puppets**

**News Years Eve
Friday, Dec 31**

105 Years of Brotherhood



**From the Station of the Exalted Ruler
Dr. Gene DeAngelis**

Hi Everyone.

We just returned from our latest cruise to Hawaii and a great time was had by twenty-two Elks and their guests. The sailing and camaraderie was super and we are now looking forward to our next cruise October 11, 2011, to the Panama Canal aboard Princess Lines. Details will follow.

December will be a pretty good month for the Lodge and our Club, with the Annual Holiday Ball, the Tom and Jerry Party hosted by the Ruff Necks, the Gala New Year's Eve party, and all the Private Parties that are on the calendar for the Holiday Season. Plan to attend some of our functions and join with the membership to bring on 2011.

Our new Monday Night football has been going well with an increase in business and participation from our membership showing a sense of camaraderie and fellowship. Join in, the food is great, and the new large TV's in the Blue Room make watching the games much more enjoyable.

We have a new program starting, sending packages to our Military troops in the Middle East, under the coordination of our Chaplain, James Dimon. This program is a partnership with "San Pedro Packages for Patriots" founded by Mike Walker, a local San Pedro businessman, and the San Pedro Community. This is a worthwhile and needed effort to make their life a little more bearable for our troops. Get behind us in this worthwhile activity.

Best Wishes to you and yours for a Happy Holiday Season.

Elks Care - *Elks* Share

San Pedro Packages for Patriots

San Pedro Lodge #966 has become a partner with San Pedro Packages For Patriots. On December 11th, you will be able to drive through our Parking Lot and make Donations to this important program. For information on donation items go to www.SanPedroPackagesForPatriots.com or e-mail jdimon77@yahoo.com for more information. The packages are sent to our men and women over seas and with the holidays arriving we should show our support

Fraternally,
James Dimon, Chaplain



**From the Station of the Leading Knight
Ken Getzin**

During our recent Officers Meeting we had a discussion about Lapsation and what to do about it. Lapsation is an archaic term for what can be better described as Membership Retention.

Membership Retention has been a struggle for most Lodges and the Grand Lodge has seen a decline in overall membership for many years now. It is something we should all have as a serious individual goal because as it is oft quoted: "Membership is the life blood of Elkdom".

In the last issue of the Six Bells the list of delinquent members and their sponsors was published along with a plea that the sponsors call these members and encourage them to renew their membership. While that is indeed a worthwhile endeavor, in my mind there is considerably more which must be done.

I believe that Membership Retention begins the day after initiation! A frequently quoted line is; "Everyone has their own reason for joining". That is probably true, a fact which begs the question; "Are we fulfilling that reason?" If we are not, then the new Member or even a seasoned Member will eventually lose interest in being an Elk at the San Pedro Lodge and find that the cost of membership outweighs his satisfaction in being a Member.

The trick of course is to determine all the reasons for joining and attempt to satisfy them. The front line in this effort is you, the sponsor, who knows the new Member and who now must encourage them to participate in all the opportunities that the San Pedro Elks have to offer. Also, the Officers and Members must attempt to make the Lodge a friendly and welcoming place to visit on a frequent basis.

There will still be a need to follow up on delinquent members but, if we keep the Members we have happy, it will go a long way to reducing that list.

Don't forget the Holiday Ball on December 11, and the Ruf-Neks Tom and Jerry Party on December 12. Both of these events are a great way to kick off the Holiday Season.

**Great Food & Live Bands Every
Friday Night at San Pedro Elks**



**From the Station of the Loyal Knight
Mike Bennison**

“Merry Christmas and Happy New Year”

This month, we will be busy celebrating the Holidays with many annual events including the Senior Citizens’ Breakfast, the Children’s Christmas Party, the Tom and Jerry Party, and the Holiday Ball. Please consult your *Six-Bells* for details. Also, please note that on the day of the Holiday Ball, December 11th, the Bar will close at 6:00 pm and will re-open strictly for Members and their guests partaking of the dinner and dance.

The week between Christmas and New Years Day, Lodge employees will have some well-deserved time off. That week, the Lodge has a limited schedule and the kitchen will be closed. During that time, the Women’s upper bathroom will be closed for some much needed painting and repairs. The bathroom in the Blue room will temporarily be designated for the ladies’ use. This remodel was approved by the Lodge last October. Most of the labor will be donated to keep the costs down. By the way, does anyone want or need the old, bubbled, orange Formica countertop? If so please contact me, it’s yours.



**From the Station of the Lecturing Knight
Della Warner**

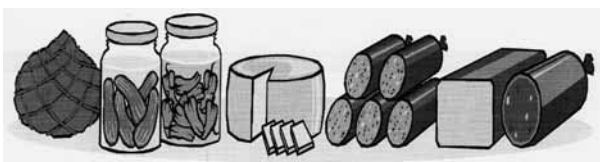
Halloween is over and the kids’ Halloween party was enjoyed by all (especially the grownups.) We had over 150 children who enjoyed games, coloring, food and, of course, candy. In addition to drawings of different Disney characters in their Halloween costumes, we had fun drug-awareness-themed coloring pages. Thanks to Sergio Espinosa, our Drug Awareness chairman and his committee for setting up a great display

to promote drug awareness at this very fun event.

The weekend of December 11th and 12th is the kickoff of our Christmas holiday season. Be sure to clear this weekend for all the festivities at the Lodge. Be sure to get your tickets for the Holiday Ball on Saturday, December 11th and join us for a lovely evening of dinner, dancing and plenty of holiday cheer.

The next day, Sunday December 12th, is the Ruff-Neks annual Tom & Jerry party. There will be lots of food and plenty of our special holiday drinks plus dancing to John Brunac and his Time Machine for only \$10.00. The Ruff-Neks thank all the Lodge members for their continued support of all of the activities they have during the year. There will be prizes of \$300, \$200 and \$100 in addition to other prizes such as gift baskets and liquor. Don’t forget to get your tickets, which can be purchased from any Ruff-Neks member. See you there!

**Daily Lunch Menu
(Monday-Friday)
11:30 am -2:30 pm**



- Grilled Hot Dog \$2.00
- 1/2 Sandwich & Soup \$5.50
- Cup of Soup 2.75
- Bowl of Soup \$4.00
- Classic Tossed Caesar Salad \$6.00
(add meat \$1.50)
- Palomino Chop Chop
Italian Salad \$6.00
- Mediterranean Greek Salad \$6.00
- Two Tacos w/rice & beans \$5.50

- Giant Burrito with your choice of
chicken, beef or carnitas \$5.50
- Cheese Quesadilla \$4.00
(add meat \$1.50)
- Grilled Marinated Chicken Breast
w/choice of side salad \$6.00
- Grilled All Beef Angus Burger
choice of side salad \$6.00
- Roast Beef, Turkey, Pastrami,
Reuben, Ham or Tuna sandwich,
w/Choice of side salad \$7.25

...from the Membership Chairman

Proposition: If one current Elk Member can sponsor two friends to join our Lodge within two months and then ask them to do the same, San Pedro Lodge could have 64 new Members at the end of one year. At the end of two years, we will have 4,092 new Members, more than double our current membership. Say goodbye to dues increases and I can go fishing 24/7. Therefore, our Membership Slogan is:

“Each One Reach Two, in a Month or Two”

Of course, we might reach the limits of who knows whom, but, whatever you do, bring your friends to the Lodge and to our Special Event, show them what we have, and invite them to join.

Fraternally, Bill Chang, Membership Chairman



Elks National Foundation

Congratulations to the class of 2011 Impact Grant recipients! The following projects will receive between \$2,500 and \$10,000.

Here are five California Lodges that will be making a difference in their communities:

Grass Valley, CA, Lodge No. 538 will continue to supply healthy snacks to children in Nevada County schools through their HOPE (Helping Other People Eat) project. They will also expand their work with food banks to provide food for families and seniors, and provide emergency food supplies to the community as well.

Santa Barbara, CA, Lodge No. 613 will continue to collect supplies for a nearby veterans clinic, hold monthly veterans' lunches and holiday events, and provide gift cards and necessities for veterans in need. Project SCARF's aim is to provide Stability, Clothing, Association, Respect and Fuel for better living.

Duarte, CA, Lodge No. 1427 will purchase, repair and refurbish bikes for less-fortunate students in the community. The Bikes for Kids project will also hold seminars on bike safety and bike care throughout the year.

El Cajon, CA, Lodge No. 1812 will continue to purchase instruments for youth in need and aggressively seek donations of more instruments through their Music Instrument Fund for Youth in Need project. Elks will also continue to host concerts at the Lodge and help with the symphony's fundraising.

Rancho Cordova, CA, Lodge No. 2484 will continue to provide year-round material support and food to families of military personnel posted overseas, returning injured and maimed vets, and families with special needs identified by local police and fire departments. The Catch the Spirit project also provides wheelchairs and other medical supplies to veterans in need.

Fraternally yours,
Tom Van Tassel, ENF Chairman

New Member Group Photos

Color photos of each New Member Group, taken on Initiation Night, can be ordered from the Membership

Office at \$10.00 each. The prints will be either 8 x 10 or 8 1/2 x 11, depending on Group size.

(Group photos back to 2006 are available)

San Pedro Elks Lodge #966 New Years Eve 2011

Friday, December 31, 2010, 8:00 pm



**Hotate Scallop, Snow Crab
& Jumbo Shrimp Parfait**
avocado tomato relish, yuzu
vinaigrette, wasabi caviar

**Roasted Baby Pear
wrapped in Boar Bacon**
micro greens, herbed goat cheese,
lavender honey

**Grilled Whole Maine Lobster
& Filet Mignon**

winter truffle potato puree, green peppercorn sauce

Chocolate Mousse Tower

Amaretto crème pasties, chocolate shaving, raspberry coulis

Featuring

"The Roseanne Drago Orchestra"

a five piece dance band ensemble
featuring Roseann Drago,
a well-known Southern
California recording artist,
specializing in
Smooth, Sophisticated Jazz
and ever-popular American Standards



\$95.00 Per Person

Midnight Champaign Toast

Light breakfast will be served after midnight

For reservations, please contact Tina at
310-831-0624 Ext- 109



**Assorted Mixed Dark & Light,
Assorted Milk Chocolates, Assorted Dark Chocolates
Assorted Soft Centers, Assorted Nuts & Chews
Bridge Mix, Lollypops, Assorted Toffee-Ettes, Peanut Brittle
Please Support San Pedro Emblem Club's Fundraiser
Beginning November 18th thru December 19th
On Sale at San Pedro Elks Lodge
\$14.00 per pound per box
You save \$2.10 per pound from retail. No Limits!
For Bulk Purchases, please contact Pauline Garcias 310.350.2888
(Thank You for Supporting this Fundraiser
for San Pedro Emblem Club Charities)**

Gene & Joan Grimm Trips

1758 W 243rd Street, Torrance, CA 90501-6707 (310-326-4945)

Feb 14-16, Sun-Tue: Aquarius Hotel in Laughlin: \$99 per person, double occupancy (\$198), \$129 single. Leave Elks Lodge 8:30 am. Return 5:30 pm.

Mar 15-16, Tue-Wed: Harrahs Rincon Resort in San Diego: \$82 per person, double occupancy (\$164), \$104 Single. \$20 cash raffle on bus; \$20 Casino free play; One Free Buffet anytime; Leave Elks Lodge 9:30 am. Return 4:30 pm.

Apr 10-12, Sun-Tue: Golden Nugget in Las Vegas: \$124 per person, double occupancy (\$248), \$168 single; \$20 cash raffle on bus; **One \$250 Golden Nugget Coupon Booklet per room** with 2 for 1 food, shows, gift shop & free drink coupons; Optional Trip to the Las Vegas Strip on Monday; Leave Elks Lodge 8:30 am. Return 5:30 pm.

NOTE: Money must be paid at least 31 days in advance of trip.

Bette Olson & Jerry Graham's Day Trips 310-326-7672

Elks Memorial Service

December 7, 2010 (An open meeting)

In the Benevolent and Protective Order of Elks, a Brother or Sister Elk is never forgotten, never forsaken. You and your family and friends are cordially invited to attend our Annual Memorial Service to pay tribute to our Brothers and Sisters who have passed from this life to the great beyond, on Tuesday, December 7, 2010 at 7:30 pm.

List of Deceased Members

October 1, 2009 to September 30, 2010

Frank Anderson
Sergio A. Benedetti
Vernon Caldwell
James Cassell III
Frank De Luca
Orlando De Vico
Darwin Ebinger
Paul Fiamengo (HLM)
F. Ray Falk (LM)
John L. Flemons
Benny Fong
Maurice Galyardt
Frank Garcia
Milton Gitter
Ken R. Hanson (LM)
Jack Harper
Milton W Heyne
Robert M. Juarez

Edward F. Kearney (LM)
John E. Kennebeck
Joseph Mirkovich
Tony Marinkovich
Paul M. Murphy
Jack L. Neal
Samuel Palmer
Kenneth G. Pendergrass
Douglas M. Robinson
Pat R Scognamillo
Dennis W. Sellers
Clifford R. Smith (PER)
Jerry W. Spray
William Walsh (LM)
Eugene J. Weeks (LM)
Lawrence Welsh (LM)
Joseph J. Zitko
John Zupparde



Lodge of Sorrow

Donald E De Kay

Deceased: April 26, 2010
Born: June 18, 1920
Birthplace: Potsdam, Germany
Affiliation: January 29, 1991
A 19 year member

Bernard C Cutrone

Deceased: October 12, 2010
Born: January 28, 1927
Birthplace: New York, NY
Affiliation: February 24, 1958
A 52 year member

Veljko "Bill" Bozanich (LM)

Deceased: October 15, 2010
Born: August 10, 1922
Birthplace: Komiza, Yugoslavia
Affiliation: June 28, 1976
A 34 year member

Irwin H Maland (LM)

Deceased: October 11, 2010
Born: December 18, 1923
Birthplace: San Pedro, CA
Affiliation: January 25, 1960
A 50 year member

Nino D Crisafulli

Deceased: November 6, 2010
Born: April 26, 1922
Birthplace: New York, NY
Affiliation: March 1992
An 8 year member

	Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
D E C E M B E R 2 0 1 0	Saturday, December 11, 6:15 pm Annual Holiday Ball Jackets Required (Black Tie Optional)			1 Dances with Elks	2 Family Night Spaghetti Night	3 Happy Hour 4:00 - 8:00 pm "The Topics"	4 Saturday Night Dining at the Bar 5:00 - 8:00 pm
	5 Sunday Brunch 10 am - 1 pm	6 Monday Night Football at the Lodge 5:00 pm	7 Open Meeting Elks Memorial Day Celebration	8 Retired Elks Luncheon Dances with Elks	9 Family Night Mexican Fiesta	10 Happy Hour 4:00 - 8:00 pm "AWOL"	11 Holiday Ball 6:15 pm Jackets Required
	12 Tom & Jerry Ruff-Neks Party Sunday Brunch 10 am - 1 pm	13 Monday Night Football at the Lodge 5:00 pm	14 Lodge Meeting House Committee & Trustee Reports	15 Dances with Elks	16 All American Family Night	17 Happy Hour 4:00 - 8:00 pm "The Buzz"	18 Saturday Night Dining at the Bar 5:00 - 8:00 pm
	19 Senior Citizens Holiday Breakfast Childrens Christmas Party	20 Monday Night Football 5:00 pm Trustees Meeting 7:00 pm	21 Lodge Dark No Meeting Bar Open 11:00 - 7:00	22 Lodge Closed Bar Open 11:00 - 7:00	23 Lodge Closed Bar Open 11:00 - 7:00	24 Lodge Closed No Happy Hour Bar Open 11:00 - 7:00	25 Christmas Day Lodge Closed
	26 Lodge Closed Bar Open 11:00 - 7:00	27 Monday Night Football 5:00 pm Officers & Chairmen 6:00 pm; House Committee 7:00 pm	28 Lodge Dark No Meeting Bar Open 11:00 - 7:00	29 Lodge Closed Bar Open 11:00 - 7:00	30 Lodge Closed Bar Open 11:00 - 7:00	31 New Years Eve Celebration 8:00 pm	
	Friday, December 31, 7:30 pm New Years Eve 2011 Celebration Bar Closes 6:00 pm, Reopens 7:30 for Participants						



**Crusing for the Purple Pig
so they can Walk, Talk,
Hear, See, and Play!
Helping children through-
out the states of California
and Hawaii since 1950**

Pictured above are the Members and guests aboard the Princess Cruise Line's Golden Princess on our recent round trip to Hawaii. Everyone had a great time, with great weather and super food, meeting so many people from the USA and abroad, and looking forward to our next voyage in October 2011, (see page 18).



New Member Class of October, 2010

Committee Chairmen

Accident Prevention	Eric Hansen
Americanism	Bobby Maes
Auditing	Morris Warschaw
Auditing	Larry Allen
Bequests & Living Trusts	William W. Chang
Blood Bank	Richard Manuel
Bowling	[Vacant]
Business Practices	Dennis Schoonover
Major Project	Ken Getzin
Committee Coordinator	Matty Domancich
Dances with Elks	William W. Chang
Dictionary Project	Ken Getzin
Drug Awareness	Sergio Espinoza
Elks Training	Ken Getzin
Elks Memorial Service	James Dimon
Elks National Foundation	Thomas Van Tassel
Facilities Committee	Eric Hansen
Flag Day	[Vacant]
Golf	Mike Goddard
Government Relations	Jack Massie
Greeters	[Vacant]
Health Club	Robert Guerra
Hoop Shoot	Sal Ferrigno
Indoctrination	Jose Chavez
Investigation	Teresa Rydingsword
Lapsation	William Chang
Lodge Activities	[Vacant]
Lodge Photographer	Caspar de Jong
Mediator	Joseph Nebelsky
Membership	William W. Chang
National Veterans Service	Ted Gameroz
Peanut Gallery	Mike Snyder
Pistol Club	Bob Parker
Police & Fire	[Vacant]
Pool Committee	Tony Garrett
Presiding Justice	Dina Dreizler
Public Relations	Kim White
Ritual	Bob Thompson
Ruff-Neks	Della Warner
Scholarships	Paul Miloe
Scholarships	Darryl Stolz
Scouting	Richard Keller
Sickness & Visitation	Tony De Girolamo
Six-Bells Editor	Dale Ogden
Soccer Shoot	[Vacant]
Social & Community Welfare	Matty Domancich
Tennis	Ledge Mercier
Tennis (Asst.)	Jerry Henderson
Tennis (Asst.)	Tony De Girolamo
Webmaster	Patrick Donahue
Youth Activities	Ken Getzin

Lodge Officers

Gene DeAngelis	Exalted Ruler
Ken Getzin	Leading Knight
Mike Bennison	Loyal Knight
Della Warner	Lecturing Knight
Ralph Ortiz	Secretary
Gerry Maxwell	Treasurer
Dale Ogden	Esquire
[Vacant]	Assistant Esquire
James Dimon	Chaplain
Sean Mejia	Assistant Chaplain
Lemuel Torres	Inner Guard
George Hernandez	Asst. Inner Guard
Erasmio "Ed" Rivera	Tiler
[Vacant]	Assistant Tiler
John Brunac	Organist
Stan Kielnarz	Alternate Delegate
Caspar de Jong (Chair)	Trustee
John Giacomuzzi	Trustee
Paul Keil	Trustee
Eric Hansen	Trustee
Dick Roberts	Trustee

The House Committee is composed of the four (4) Chair officers and the Trustees.

Club Staff

Mordechai "Moti" Baron	General Manager
Tina Marquez	Banquet Manager
Caroline Campolo	Bookkeeper

Lodge Secretary's Office

Martin Garcia	Lodge Office
Yolanda Garcia	Secretary

Great Brunch
on Sundays
10:00 am to 1:00 pm
Omelettes, Waffles,
Pancakes, Menudo,
Elks Specials
Breakfast Meats, etc.
(prices a la carte)

San Pedro Retired Elks

...where fun and camaraderie reign!

December brings us to our annual Christmas luncheon, featuring Prime Rib, Catch of the Day, and all the trimmings including wine. It certainly is a fine holiday feast. Desert will be cookies. Judy Getzin will coordinate cookie donations. If you would like to donate a dozen or two, call Judy and let her know: (310 377-3496) and then deliver the cookies to the security desk on Wednesday, December 8th.

To attend you must have paid your annual Retired Elks dues. No Dues, No Luncheon.

There will be no entertainment but we will have as usual our gift raffle. So bring a gift and buy raffle tickets.

Fraternally, Ken Getzin, PER, Chairman

San Pedro Elks Lodge #966 Monthly Membership/Lapsation Report for September 2010

Membership 4/1/2010 **2,692**

Added since April 1, 2010

Initiated	89
Transfer Dimit	1
Reinstatements	7

Added through 9/30/10 **97**

Dropped since April 1, 2010

Dropped	13
Transfer Dimits	4
Absolute Dimits	3
Deaths	17
Expelled	0

Dropped through 9/30/10 **37**

Membership, 9/30/10 **2,752**

Delinquencies as of 9/30/2010 **305**

Waiting for Investigation **11**

Waiting for Vote **0**

Waiting for Initiation **2**

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The San Pedro Emblem Club #451
meets 4th Monday of each month (except December)
Next Meeting is January 24, 2011, at 7:30 pm



Dances with Elks

**Dance Lessons
Every Wednesday
7:00 pm
Donation \$6.00**

Experience the fun and pleasures of social dancing. Basic steps will be introduced at the beginning of the month, with more advanced steps added progressively; constant review is conducted at each lesson. A new dance is added every month, selected by a vote of the class members. Both singles and couples are welcome.

**December: Cha Cha; January: Salsa
Invite your friends!**

Instructor: Catherine Wahl

Wednesday Evening: Lesson: 7:00 to 8:00 pm, Practice: 8:00 to 8:30 pm

Donation: \$6.00 per session at the door.

Place: San Pedro Elks Lodge #966, Lodge Phone: 310-831-0624

For more information, call Bill Chang at 310-375-2295



Elks Training Wednesday,

December 1, 2010

It is time for our annual Elks

Training program. The object of the training is to familiarize yourself with the documentation that guides our activities and responsibilities as good and faithful members of the Elks. It is well worth the effort to learn a bit more about Elkdom.

I am starting early this year with the hope of getting more participants. I am also going to plan a second session early in 2011.

There is some new material in this years test so this is an opportunity for those of you who have participated in the past to learn some new things.

The training takes about one and a half hours and consists of a review of the Elks governing documents, a set of questions prepared by the Grand Lodge, discussion, and an open book test.

See You There! Ken Getzin, PER
Elks Training Chairman



San Pedro Elks Lodge TOM & JERRY

Ruff-Nek Party

Sunday, December 12th, 2010

12:00 pm to 4:00 pm



The Ruff-Neks cordially invite you to a spectacular event, thanking you, the Members, for your continued support! Enjoy divine hors d'oeuvres, Ruff-Nek "High Octane" cocktails & more. Raffle Prizes: \$300, \$200, \$100! Other prizes, too!

*Featuring music by the John Brunac Band
\$10.00; For Tickets see the Ruff-Neks*

Bequests and Living Trusts Consultation

The California-Hawaii Elks Major Project, Inc. ("CHEMPI") offers two charitable programs through the Bequests and Living Trusts ("BLT") Committee. The Bequests and Living Trusts Benefactor Program recognizes the BLT Benefactors with a beautifully framed certificate and a distinctive triangular lapel pin. The BLT Commitment Trust Program provides the donor with a lifetime income and an income tax deduction.

Your District Bequests and Living Trusts (BLT) Chairman, William W. Chang, is available by appointment to answer any questions that you may have on these programs as well as on any topics related to retirement and estate planning. For more information or to make an appointment, please call Bill at (310) 375-2295.



Blood: The Gift of Life

This month's heroes are: Annemarie Manzo, Anthony Myers, Jerry Iacano, Herb Zimmer, John Donato, Peggy Avellar, Daniel Mircovich, John Deluca, Marie Iriarte, Mercedes McConohy and Nancy Young.

Thank you for your support. The hospital is still short of O positive blood so if you have this blood type or know anybody who does please donate and

ask the person you know to donate. The need for all blood types increases in the summer when everyone is on vacation so the hospital needs to replenish their supply.

What is a blood donation.

A blood donation is when a healthy person voluntarily has blood drawn. The blood is used for transfusions or made into medications by a process called fractionation.

Fraternally, Richard Manuel,
Blood Donation Chairman



Cruise for the Purple Pig

In support of the California-Hawaii Major Project, our next cruise will be to the Panama Canal on the Coral Princess (pictured above). We will fly to Fort Lauderdale, Florida, then board the ship for fourteen days, and tour the canal and other ports and countries, returning to San Pedro Harbor.

Depart: October 11, 2011, Return: October 25, 2011

Cost: \$2435.83 per person, plus Insurance and air fare to Fort Lauderdale

For more information, contact Terie DeAngelis at 714-377-4913

Children's Christmas Party

December 19th at 2:00 pm at the Lodge
with the Jim Gamble Puppets, Goody Bags, and Santa Claus



San Pedro Lodge #966

**Annual Toy Drive
To Benefit**

Hope 4 Kids Christmas Event

If you can find it in your heart and your wallet, please bring new unwrapped toys to the Lodge during December. These will be distributed to the less fortunate children in our community through the Hope 4 Kids Program, so they'll know that Santa has not forgotten them this year.

Senior Citizens Breakfast

December 19th at 10:00 am at the Lodge

Tickets will be distributed through the Community

(as always, donations of eggs, bacon, sausages, pancake mix and money will be gratefully accepted to defray the cost of the breakfast)

**San Pedro Elks Retired Elks Luncheon
Wednesday, December 8th, 2010**

**Ale & Quail Men's Luncheon
sponsored by the Smiling Sons of the Friendly Shaleley
2nd Friday of Each Month
Next Luncheon - Friday, December 10th**

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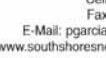
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- Dec 12 Ruff-Neks Tom & Jerry Party
- Dec 13 Monday Night Football Specials
- Dec 14 Meeting: House Committee
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- Dec 16 Family Dinner: All American Night
- Dec 17 Happy Hour & "The Buzz"
- Dec 19 Senior Citizens' Holiday Breakfast
- Dec 19 Children's Christmas Party 3:00 pm
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- Dec 20 Trustees Meeting 7:00 pm
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