# NEWS YOU CAN USE

from the Cal-Nev-Ha Children's Fund

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A little rain didn't stop Poway Kiwanian John Couvrette from collecting donated food at his club's recent food drive. With the help of a COVID-19 Community Assistance Grant from the CNH Children's Fund, the club collected 2,500 pounds of donated food and \$6,000 in cash donations!

#### DEADLINE EXTENDED FOR DINNER ANYWHERE RAFFLE!

As you are no doubt aware, the 2020 Cal-Nev-Ha Kiwanis District Convention was canceled due to the ongoing pandemic. As a result, our inperson drawing for our 2020 Dinner Anywhere Raffle won't take place as previously scheduled; however, there is a silver lining!



Pack your overnight bag because the deadline to purchase raffle tickets for our Dinner for Two Anywhere in the CNH District has been extended!

Enter for your chance to win round trip airfare for two, lodging for two nights, a rental car, and a gift certificate for dinner to any restaurant within the Cal-Nev-Ha District! Contact the CNH Children's Fund Office or any director to get your tickets before it's too late!



"Ed and I had a terrific time in Hawaii. We flew to Honolulu and stayed 3 nights. We both love Honolulu, so we wanted to take a chance to visit there on our way to Kauai. Our daughter and her husband met us in Kauai, where we celebrated Thanksgiving together. That made our trip even more special."

- Rose Schneeberger, 2019 Raffle Winner

### SAY YES! TO COVID-19 GRANTS

The response to our COVID-19 Community Assistance Grant program has been tremendous! **Two months** after introducing this new grant program, the CNH Children's Fund has awarded more than \$13,000 to 27 Kiwanis clubs! As COVID-19 cases rise throughout our District, we anticipate the interest for COVID-19 grants will continue through the calendar year, but we need your help to ensure we can continue to meet this demand. You can help by making a gift to the YES! Initiative.

The YES! Initiative provides flexible support for the most pressing, ongoing priorities of the Cal-Nev-Ha Children's Fund, such as the current demand for our COVID-19 Community Assistance Grant Program. From monthly contributions to outright donations, there are many ways you can make a gift to the YES! Initiative while also supporting our clubs and our shared communities. Say YES! today!

## **ZOOM CHEAT SHEET**

With all of us meeting virtually these days, we thought you might find our **Zoom cheat sheet** helpful as you navigate this new way of meeting. Happy zooming!

# RECOGNIZING LEADERS

Whether held in-person or virtually this year, when planning your club's year-end installation, be sure to include time for award presentations. We may be sheltering in place; however, we bet you can name at least one club or community member that continued to serve during the pandemic. Consider awarding a **Service Award**. Or, for the member who has gone above and beyond, recognize them with the **Tablet of Honor**. And remember, your club's gift supports our programs, such as our highly-demanded COVID-19 Community Grants!

#### FUN AND HIGH FIVES WITH KIWANIS

For 20 years, the Kiwanis Club of Hemet has sponsored weekly bowling nights for children with special needs. However, with the cost of the event steadily increasing over the years, the club began to worry. Click here to read how the club leveraged a special needs community grant from the CNH Children's Fund to continue this important and longstanding event!

