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Winter 2012

## A Commander's Ball Like No Other

Honoring Luciann and Raising \$230,000 for Casa Kids

Long before the 600 guests arrived at the Hyatt Regency Huntington Beach, expectations were high that returning Auction Committee Co-Chairs Scott Rifkin and Karen Klabouch would top their last year's results. And they did, raising more than \$230,000!



Luciann Maulhardt and Lavell Jones

This year's black-tie dinner and auction honored Luciann Maulhardt with the first ever Myldred E. Jones Lifetime Humanitarian Award. The award recognized Luciann's 25 years of unparalleled dedication and commitment in serving Casa Youth Shelter's mission. Former resident Lavell Jones and Michael McCrary, President of the Board of Directors, announced another surprise: the dedication of the Luciann Maulhardt Counseling Center, a facility built on the grounds in 2000 for crisis counseling and crisis-prevention outreach.

Program speakers included Executive

Director Robin Sinclair, Co-Chairs Scott Rifkin, COO of Los Alamitos Medical Center, and Karen Klabouch of Los Alamitos-based Green Street Interiors, Michael

cheer for the Lakers within earshot of the players with their 4th row Staples Center tickets; Patricia Adams will sparkle with her new 1ct diamond teardrop necklace.

We also thank our Silent Auction bidders who kept the pre-dinner hours buzzing with activity, and donors like Phillip and Sandra McElroy and Dayl Salamanca. The Sponsor-A-Kid segment raised nearly \$90,000 in under 10 minutes. Thanks



Board President Mike McCrary

also to Phoebe Ortega, high school member of our Youth Leadership Program, for her inspiring words during Sponsor-A-Kid.

Our gratitude goes also to co-sponsors Stephen Ellis and Rutan & Tucker, LLP; Filomena Esposito and the Esposito Family; Anthony Lienau and Trend Offset Printing; Scott Rifkin and Los Alamitos Medical Center; Port of Long Beach; Judy Klabouch and Green Street Interiors; Mike Taylor and Toyota Financial Services; Tilly's; Southwest Airlines; Urban S. Hirsch III and Ink Systems, Inc.; Rand McDevitt & Tina Voso and Champagnes Bistro & Deli; Kenny Brandyberry; Doug & Kathryn Partis; Mel & Carol Manker; John & Patti Fosmire.

McCrary, and Emil Jorge, co-founder of Los Alamitos-based Cardraising.com and past President of the Board, who delivered the Invocation.

Auctioneer Jeff Tanenbaum evoked laughter and bids in the fast-paced Live Auction. Bidders Phillip and Sandra McElroy will share high tea for 10 guests hosted by House of Dior in South Coast Plaza; Pete and Mary Manno will sun and surf during a week-long vacation in Waikiki; Richard Rowin and Kevin Smith have a beautiful Labradoodle puppy; Gary and Kristine Howard can get a jump start on their holiday gift list with a \$2,000 gift certificate to South Coast Plaza; Stephen and Carol Ellis now own a bedazzling 2.05ct diamond necklace; Ken and Deonna Watkins will throw the pizza party of the year on a working fire truck for 30



Luciann, Phoebe and Robin

guests; Mike and Louise Liewald will wine and dine in Napa Valley with their hotel and airfare package and gift certificates to restaurants Bottega and Bouchon; Bill and Amy DeLeon will

Because of our wonderful supporters, Casa Youth Shelter will provide our teens with much needed shelter and crisis counseling throughout the year. Thank you. 🏠

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February 11, 2013  
Domenico's Italian Restaurant  
- Casa Night.

April 27, 2013  
35th Anniversary Open House  
and Estate/Collectibles Sale

June 29, 2013  
9th Annual Texas Hold'Em  
Tournament

November 16, 2013  
35th Anniversary  
Commander's Ball Dinner  
and Auction

# Memories of Myldred



Lt. Myldred E. Jones, 1945

**Myldred was in charge of the US Navy Correspondence Unit in Washington DC in 1945.**

## ***Another special remembrance found in Myldred's home after she passed away in 2006.***

To: Lieutenant Myldred E. Jones  
Dated: June 18, 1945  
Subject: Sincere Regret

They thought that we should have a man  
To guide us in our ways,

"A woman wouldn't be strong enough  
To bring us through the haze."

But they never reckoned on you, Miss Jones  
To back us in our plight

You helped us show the other crews  
That Correspondence is always right.

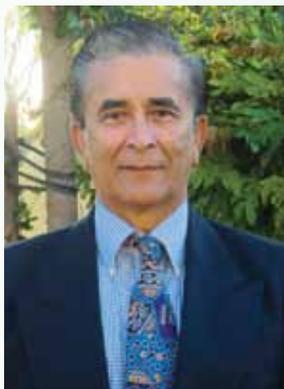
In farewell to you, we wish to say  
That we'll carry on in the same way,

We'll cut down the rejects and get on the ball  
Until the count reads: "OUTGOING - ALL."

*Sincerely,  
Ruth Failon Y2c  
Correspondence Unit*

## Board Profile

### **Dr. Nasir Tejani – Giving Is His Full Time Commitment**



Dr. Nasir Tejani

In 1978, the same year that Myldred E. Jones was welcoming the first child through our shelter's doors, Dr. Nasir Tejani moved from New York, settling his young family in Long Beach. Over the next 34 years, he and his wife, Dr. Sabira Tejani of Los Alamitos Medical Center, raised three children and managed thriving medical careers, she as an OB/GYN and he as a pediatrician. Today both husband and wife have reputations in the community for excellent patient care and a genuine passion for helping others. Says Dr. Tejani, "The medical profession is a giving profession, and when you see daily the great need of certain segments of society, you're overwhelmed with compassion."

As a member of Casa Youth Shelter's Board of Directors, Dr. Tejani is able to channel that compassion to help youth in crisis, a cause near and dear to his heart and specialty. As a dedicated volunteer, he never misses hands-on opportunities, whether it's providing pro bono medical services for our youth, or providing direct support to raise money for the shelter. "Sabira and I love being able to make a difference in the lives of youth who are in crisis and need immediate help. No child should be on the streets, without food or basic care. That's why Casa Youth Shelter is so important in the community," he says.

Dr. Tejani's air of serenity and sincerity inspires those around him. The Tejani's children have become leaders in their own communities: oldest son James, a Ph.D. in U.S. History from Columbia University, is a history professor at Cal Poly, San Luis Obispo (so is wife Molly), son Riaz, a J.D. graduate of USC Law

School with a Ph.D. from Princeton University, has two toddlers with wife Elina and is a professor at a law school in Arizona, and youngest daughter Zarin graduated from UCLA Medical School/Residency and is a pediatrician at Miller Children's Hospital in Long Beach. But ask the patriarch who inspires him and he'll tell you it's his wife, Sabira. She is well-known for her charitable work for needy families in the community and for her leadership in pioneering the first screening program for women's heart health in Long Beach. And she is positively tireless in her advocacy for Casa Youth Shelter, raising friends and funds for the shelter.

As Dr. Tejani says, "If you want happiness for a lifetime, help someone else." It's a favorite quote of his, an ancient Chinese proverb that provides a principle to live by for anyone. Thank you, Dr. Nasir Tejani, for being such a role model for Casa Youth Shelter! 🏠

## Volunteer Profile

# Tiffany Terra Makes Volunteerism Look Fun and Easy!



Tiffany Terra and Sandra McElroy

Tiffany Terra has one of those bubbly personalities that brightens your day and inspires you to see the best in others. It's no surprise that she is the life of any Casa Youth Shelter event, whether it's rolling up her sleeves to

dress up auction tables for the Commander's Ball or dressing herself up as one of Santa's elves for our Holidays on the Boulevard.

"It's incredible what the kids at the shelter are going through. I am so impressed by the staff who are experts at crisis management. The kids are in great hands and if I can do anything to help make just one hour of their day easier, I'm happy to do it," says Tiffany.

Tiffany adds she's always been grateful for the blessings in her own

life and credits her mother, Sandra McElroy, for instilling in her a sense of gratitude and paying it forward. Growing up locally in Downey and Huntington Beach, Tiffany says volunteerism was a given in her family, like breathing air. She fondly remembers her time as a volunteer candy striper at Downey Community Hospital. With no aspirations for a career in the medical field, she just wanted to help. Today she continues to serve by volunteering for causes that are important to her, such as the Laguna Art Museum.

But Casa Youth Shelter has a very special place in her heart. "My mother is such a role model to me. She inspires me continually with her generosity and zest for life. When she joined the Casa Youth Shelter Board in 2007, I knew right away how special Casa Youth Shelter was and I'm so proud to be

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# Executive Summary

*Robin Sinclair*  
Executive Director

## The Commander's Ball

It was an honor to be present at the 34th Anniversary Commander's Ball, held on September 29th. Being a newcomer, I was told over and over again to "just wait...you will soon see the magic that unfolds," and that I was soon to experience a once-in-a-lifetime event. They were right! It was the most magnificent event I have ever attended—filled with love and support from our entire Casa family. I want to publicly thank everyone for their participation; I especially want to acknowledge the leadership of our co-chairs Scott Rifkin and Karen Klabouch, and our team of volunteers led by the tireless Jan and Tom Timmons, board members extraordinaire, who put in countless hours to ensure that a wonderful, memorable and efficient time was had by all! I, personally, can't wait for next year's event, which is already secured—so mark your calendars for Saturday, November 16, 2013!



## Dedication of the Lucianne Maulhardt Counseling Center

At the Commander's Ball, a very special recognition was given in honor of our beloved Lucianne Maulhardt's 25 years of unparalleled service. A plaque was designed and

created especially for Lucianne and is prominently displayed outside the front door of what is now referred to as the "Lucianne Maulhardt Counseling Center." We couldn't be more proud, and it couldn't go to a more deserving individual.

## Outreach at the Shelter

Thanks to all of you, Casa Youth Shelter is NOT the best kept secret, yet it is a continuing goal to spread our mission and vision into the community in which we serve. Pamela Sepulveda, a longtime volunteer and former staff member, has returned to the shelter in the role of Community Outreach Coordinator. Thanks to her efforts and enthusiasm, we are represented at neighboring agencies, Community Service Fairs, Social Service Consortiums and various schools in the area. This winter, we will hold what will be first in a series of quarterly open houses. We want everyone to know about the good work that is being done at Casa Youth Shelter, and want them to share it with their neighbors! Check out our new website at [www.casayouthshelter.org](http://www.casayouthshelter.org) for our calendar of events...and when you come for a visit, we promise to make you feel right at home.

## University Partnerships

I am so excited to tell you about a newly expanded relationship between California State Fullerton and Casa Youth Shelter! While several of our field workers and youth supervisors hail from this great university, we have now been chosen as a partner organization to work with their Communications

Department. Each semester a group of talented Communications/Public Relations students will work with the shelter, helping to promote an existing or new event, share our message, or increase our base of supporters. We couldn't be more grateful for this tremendous opportunity—and appreciate their time, talent and technical skills!



*Kevin O'Brien painting the rec room*

## Shelter Sprucing

Who needs Spring to have a Spring Cleaning? Certainly not Casa Youth Shelter! We have been taking advantage of the gorgeous weather to do some cleaning and organizing—and are so thankful for the volunteers who are helping to make this happen! Kevin O'Brien, a retired engineer, visits once a week to lend his expertise, his strong back and skilled hands – smoothing and painting our well-used walls, refinishing our dining room tables and even occasionally fine-tuning our water heater! We will try not to keep him too busy, but it sure is fun to have him around!

## Deck the Halls

Thanks to our continued relationship with the young people in our community, the National Charity League and Junior League are integral parts of the shelter. They make sure our home is decorated for every holiday and that each resident feels special – whether it is Halloween, Thanksgiving, Christmas or their birthdays. The creativity and talent (and excellent cooking!) knows no bounds, and we are forever grateful that they choose the shelter to share their passion.

## Holiday Cheer

I know Disneyland purports to be the "Happiest Place on Earth," and while one might not think of "happy" when describing a crisis shelter, what goes on inside these walls is truly magical. Our board of directors is hands-on, loyal, passionate, and committed. Our staff is qualified, competent, concerned and dedicated. I am humbled to work alongside these folks on a daily basis and consider myself fortunate to have "landed" here. I observe daily the transformation of the young teens in our care, who walk through the front door troubled, sullen and in turmoil...yet in a matter of hours, are smiling, cheerful and realize a chance for a new tomorrow. I watch our young counseling staff, who begin their internships with anticipation and uncertainty, and leave the shelter confident and energetic – embarking on careers outside of the shelter with a fierce determination. And I look inward – at my first half of the year spent with an organization that changes lives, and am blessed to be a part of the process. I welcome you to come be part of the magic, not just during the season, but all year-round. As I said earlier, we will make you feel right at home. I wish you a happy, healthy and prosperous year, from the bottom of my heart.

*Robin Sinclair*

# Throwaway?

by Gary Michael Zager, Clinical Director



Gary Michael Zager

Years ago when I was a young boy, my mother used a Hoover vacuum cleaner. Whenever it broke she would take it to a small appliance repair shop and have it fixed. This shop would repair toasters, coffee pots, typewriters and, of course, vacuum cleaners. Back then if something was of value, we would have it repaired.

Times have changed. Last year when my Eureka broke, I donated it to Goodwill and bought a new Panasonic.

When I was young my mom was a stay-at-home mother. She and my dad were married, and if she had a problem she could talk to him when he got home from work. If she was having a problem with my dad she could talk to a neighbor – we knew everyone on the block – or she could talk to her brothers and sisters who all lived within 30 minutes of our home. She could even reach out to our church pastor. Our congregation was small enough that the pastor would visit every home in the parish twice per year.

Contrast this to many of today's families. More children are growing up in single-parent homes than in any other style of home in America. When this single parent has a problem, who does she turn to for her emotional support? With the standard of living so high in Southern California, many single parents are working so much that they do not know their neighbors and many times they do not have a lot of time to supervise their children. Church membership is down, but for those who do attend, many churches are now so large that there is no way for clergy to visit homes or even know parishioners personally. And for some, extended families may be a continent away.

Some single-parents have nowhere to turn for their emotional needs other than their own children who then become the parent's emotional lifeline. Children have a very hard time carrying their own emotional needs, thus the reason that we do not let them buy houses or get married without parental permission.

Sadly, when the youth can no longer meet the emotional needs of the parent they are kicked out – thrown away. Last year 9% of the youth seen at Casa were homeless not because they choose to run away but, instead, because they were forced out of their home.

Our goals include providing family counseling to help reunite the youth with their family. We also provide parenting classes to help the parent restructure the family hierarchy putting themselves back in charge. And, through our most basic service, we provide shelter care to youth, with our hope of getting to them before they even spend one hour on the street. Children are not toasters. We should not treat them as such.

Please feel free to write to me at [GaryZager@CasaYouthShelter.org](mailto:GaryZager@CasaYouthShelter.org) with any questions that you may have regarding this article or if I may offer a professional referral. 🏠

# President's Corner

## Casa Family,



Michael McCrary

I would like to thank everyone for their confidence in allowing me to serve this great organization as President of the Board of Directors during what I consider will be our year of transition. I have always felt it is a privilege to be a member of the Casa Family. I feel privileged to be selected to lead this organization for the next year.

Emil, thank you for your guidance for the past three years; you have lead us through many challenges, including the biggest of all, finding Robin to serve as our new Executive Director. It is said that the credibility and quality of leadership are what inspire people to give more of their time and support. You set the standard for credibility and have gained the respect of the Casa Family. Congratulations on a job well done!

WOW, what an auction, close to 600 people in attendance... a complete success! Thank you to our staff, volunteers and Board Members for all your hard work and contributions. Your efforts will allow us to continue to provide Casa's great programs for the kids and families who are in crisis. A special thank you to Luciann for the time she put into ensuring this year's dinner auction would be the best ever...we all know she had a lot of help, but we also know no one gives more of themselves. Luciann, there are no words to adequately express our gratitude for all you have given for the kids of Casa. You have touched and enriched all of our lives more than you will ever know.

For those who were not able to join us at this year's auction dinner, the Board of Directors announced that the Casa Counseling Center will now be known as the Luciann Maulhardt Counseling Center. Now everyone who enters the Counseling Center will be reminded how much Luciann has contributed to the success of the Casa Youth Shelter and the thousands of kids who have left Casa with hope for a better future.

We will have many challenges during the next year. With the recession continuing across our great country, we know the demands on Casa and our staff will be great. We all want what is best for the children, and with your continued support, we will be able to make a difference and give these kids a chance for success in life.

I feel so fortunate that we found an Executive Director of Robin's caliber. Coupled with our talented staff, I only see continued success for Casa and our mission to serve the youth in crisis.

Wishing everyone a Joyful Holiday Season and Healthy, Happy New Year! 🏠

# A Case Study: Acting Out Our Anger with Those We Love

by Gary Michael Zager, Clinical Director

For many, the only anger that is acted out is with those we share a home with. The following case study is an example of behaviors that are far too common in our society.

Alicia (a pseudonym to protect the girl's and her family's confidentiality) is a 15 year-old from Cerritos, California.

Alicia currently lives with her mother, step-father, an eleven year-old brother, a nine year-old sister and a 6-month-old half-brother.

Alicia was referred by a local community agency for problems with anger and violence in the home. It is interesting to note that she has not been violent outside of the home, which is pretty normal for the kids that we see here at Casa Youth Shelter (CYS).

Sadly, there is a history of violence between her biological parents who are now divorced and much of this violence was directed towards Alicia by both mother and father. On her birthday last year while the father was visiting in her home he beat her severely. Alicia reported that it was like a "prison" beating. Her beating was reported to social services. Shortly afterward the father moved to Hawaii. He has had no contact with his daughter since.

As Alicia has gotten older she has begun to fight back. This is not uncommon in families that use physical punishment as a form of discipline. There is an almost unspoken value shared that "might makes right." As a result there have been numerous physical altercations between Alicia and mom.

The step-father has attempted to step-in, non-violently, but Alicia has refused to think of him as a parental figure – almost as if to say "you are not my father, you cannot tell me what to



do!" The CYs assigned counselor believes that her feelings regarding the breakup and abandonment with her father has interfered with her forming a step-daughter relationship. Sadly, blended family issues such as this are common at CYs.

The assigned counselor developed a Treatment Plan that included;

- Help Alicia work on the grief and loss of her father in her life
- Help her work on anger management issues
- Teach her assertion training techniques
- Refer Alicia's mom and step-father to our T.O.P.S. Parenting Education Program.

Alicia stayed with us for 14 days. During her time with us she received 7 Individual Counseling sessions, 4 Family Counseling sessions, and 20 hours of Group Counseling and Psycho-Educational Classes.

Alicia exited CYs for home and the family is coming in for After Care Family Counseling. The "cooling-off" time that Alicia and her mom had while she was at CYs paid off, allowing the girl and her mother to start a dialogue and allow for them to begin the process of realigning their family leadership structure where Alicia could have her childhood back and for the mother to once again be in charge, but this time without having to use anger and violence to assert her will.

Alicia's family's efforts are a success and I am happy for the role that CYs was able to play in their progress.

Please feel free to write to me with a question for to request a referral at [GaryZager@CasaYouthShelter.org](mailto:GaryZager@CasaYouthShelter.org) 🏠

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able to do my part," says Tiffany. She certainly plays a large part in advocating for our youth in the community and she is integral to the shelter's fundraising efforts year after year.

With her studies at UCLA and Pepperdine behind her, Tiffany loves her accounting career. A resident of Balboa Island, she considers herself blessed with a wonderful family, including her mom, her father Phillip McElroy, who inspires her with his generosity, and her older siblings, Cary, Kurtis and Kim.

Casa Youth Shelter thanks volunteer Tiffany Terra for all of her hard work. Her charm and energy just makes it look so easy! 🏠

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## 8th Annual Texas Hold'Em Tournament Fundraiser

The Klabouch residence in Rossmoor serves as headquarters for many charitable events and none more fun than Casa Connection's Texas Hold'Em Tournament. On June 30, Board members Judy and Karen Klabouch, the glam mother/daughter duo, and fellow Board members Scott Meyer and Emil Jorge once again invited friends to try their lucky hands for charity.

The tournament is sponsored annually by Casa Connection, a community support group that raises money for ongoing repairs and maintenance at the shelter. This year's tournament was a tremendous success, providing nearly 100 guests with plenty of laughs, prizes and excitement.

With 12 beds and over 200 youth making Casa Youth Shelter their emergency temporary home every year, the house weathers a great deal of wear and tear. We are so grateful for supporters in the community like Casa Connection who help us ensure that the shelter is a safe and loving home for our kids.

Thank you, Casa Connection and everyone who joined in the fun, raising over \$10,000 for the shelter. On this night, everyone came out on top!

# 'Tis the Season to Give Thanks!

From All of Us at Casa Youth Shelter – Thank You for Being a Part of our Family!

The holidays are a great time to reflect on the tremendous blessings in our lives. At Casa Youth Shelter we are so very thankful for the support we receive throughout the year from our donors and sponsors. Through generous giving, we are able to provide a safe and loving home for approximately 200 homeless, runaway and abused youth ever year. This just cannot happen without the support of all of you – our extended Casa Youth Shelter family. Because of your generous support, we're able to stay open 24/7 so that our kids can come in from the cold at any hour of the night and feel warm and secure. Thank you for caring about the well-being of youth in crisis in our communities.

Would you like to make an end-of-year donation to ensure that Casa Youth Shelter continues to provide a nurturing home for youth in crisis?

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Every year we are extremely humbled by our beloved supporters who tell us they would like to include us in their estate planning. We are grateful for your generosity and we encourage you to contact your financial advisor to explore the many forms of charitable gifting that best accommodate your personal circumstances, including bequests, beneficiary designations, charitable trusts, memorial gifts and endowments.



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