Roosters Crow Newsletter

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Volume 150, September 2023

ROOSTERS FOUNDATION
OF ORANGE COUNTY

President's Message
Gary Draper, President
2023 President, Roosters & Roosters Foundation

Wow! We had a great time at the Roosters Wine Tasting Last month. We had more than 30 wineries pouring and more than 300 attendees. Thanks to the great work of Jen Moriarty, Pat McAuley, and Joann Leatherby. This sets the stage for our Chef's Experience, all as a part of the Orange County Food and Wine Celebration. These events and the fun we have are what Roosters is all about. The September Meeting is a Lunch meeting at Antonello Ristorante, located at 3800 S. Plaza Drive, Santa Ana, just north of South Coast Plaza. Be there at 11:30 am. Our speaker will be our very own Rooster, Marty Burbank.
Our August Rooster Date Night Meeting went well as we had 43 people in attendance, and we had great fun exploring the New O.C. Museum of Art. It seems that we had 4 new potential members attend and the food was delicious. We also took a survey of what everyone wants to do for our Socials.

Roosters new Mailing Address:
17602 17th Street Ste 102-252
Tustin, CA 92780

I have provided a list of these in order of their preference. Here are the top 10:
1. Wine Tastings: Napa Rose Restaurant: Experience fine dining and a diverse wine selection at Disney's Grand Californian Hotel.
2. Cooking Classes from our favorite Restaurants.
3. Del Mar Horse Racing.
4. Sherman Gardens & Dinner or lunch.
5. Visit Rooftop Restaurants.
6. Marconi Auto Museum.
7. William Lyon Air Museum.
8. Go-Kart Racing: K1 Speed: Experience indoor electric go-kart racing in Irvine.
9. Mission San Juan Capistrano.
10. Local Tours: Hoffy Tours to many great places in Southern California on a Saturday all-day tour.

My friends, I hope you can see that we are growing, and we are going to have fun doing it. If you have suggestions for other unique and fun things to do, please let me know.

"A smile is the first stage of happiness".
--Gary

Vice President's Message
Stan Smith

Congratulations fellow Roosters we had 43 people showing up at our first dinner meeting. September will be a luncheon meeting at Antonello Ristorante September - 4th at 3800 South Plaza Dr, Santa Ana. Also, remember in October the Roosters will be voting on next year's Board. If you would like to nominate someone or yourself please let me know. I look forward to seeing everyone at our next luncheon at Antonello's!

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. *(updated 9-12-23)*

Meetings for Rooster Members Sign up on Evite and pre-pay at www.roosters.org

Thursday Sept 14th 11:30am
Antonello Ristorante
3800 South Plaza Drive
Santa Ana, CA 92704
Marty Burbank will talk about Estate Planning and Philanthropy
$50 per person.
Guests are welcomed!

Thursday Oct 12th
This will be our voting meeting!
Please do not miss
Lunch Meeting 11:30am

Thursday Nov 9th
Info to come!
Dinner Meeting!

December Holiday
Grant Check Luncheon
December 9th
Info to come!

Next Board Meeting Dates
Second Tuesdays of each month.
at 6pm
Sept 12, Oct 10th, Nov 14th, Dec 12th
Prego Restaurant
2409 Park Avenue Tustin

Rsvp to Gary Draper to be added to agenda or if you would like to watch how we make
Rooster Magic happen!

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

Wednesday Sept 6th
Old Vine Cafe
Roosters Flash Mob
Unofficial Roosters event
Bring friends and lets meet up at 6pm!

Saturday September 30th
Social at Rick and Pat McAuleys!
12931 Miriam Place
Santa Ana CA
Parking can be a huge challenge but if someone cannot walk up the driveway…we know who you are…then you can park at the top of the driveway. We can park about 8-10 cars at the top. Everyone else should park on the street.
It will be a very casual event, just have fun. Please bring your favorite wine to share.
~Please bring a gift card to your favorite restaurant or shop to donate to the Chefs Silent Auction~

Special Events

Thursday September 14th, 6pm
South Coast Plaza
Fundraiser Special VIP event
Limited to 20 Roosters
See Evite
Contact Joann if Questions.

ON Sale NOW!
Purchase Chefs Experience Tickets
www.ocfwc.com

Sunday, October 29th
OCFWC Chefs Experience
Old Ranch CC
To volunteer contact Penny!
To buy tickets... www.ocfwc.com

Saturday December 16th
Holiday Feeding OC Program
Packing Food Boxes
Info to come!
Fund a Food Box NOW!
$25 each
https://roostersholidayfood.max-giving.bid/donations

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UPCOMING CALENDAR

Feeding OC

Paul Robidoux and Larry Mandell have volunteered to be the new co-chairs of the Feeding OC program. Let them know you appreciate their efforts!
For upcoming dates please contact:
Dan Stone: call or text 714-310-4162.
Dan@DantheManforMortgages.com

September 12th Board of Directors

6-8 PM. All Roosters invited to attend.
2409 Park Avenue Tustin.
Contact Gary Draper

September 14th 11:30am Lunch Meeting

Antonello Ristaurante
3800 South Plaza Drive, Santa Ana
Marty Burbank is our Speaker!

September 30th Social

Rick and Pat McAuley's Home
12931 Miriam Place, Santa Ana 6-9pm
BRING a GIFT CARD for your favorite Restaurant or Store to donate to the Chefs Silent Auction!

October 29th Chefs' Experience

Old Ranch Country Club
tickets at www.ocfwc.com

All Future Events

Board meetings 2nd Tuesday of the Month.
Luncheons 2nd Thursday every month.
Socials 3rd Thursday every month.

The Roosters Foundation 2021 President Marty Burbank

ROOSTER SEPTEMBER BIRTHDAYS

Happy Birthday!

Craig Boardman &
Michael Cipolla

(Take them out for a birthday lunch!)

A Thank you note from Matt Mauser to John Trapani and the Roosters Foundation.
Matt is the Founder of the Christina Mauser Foundation. One of the many wonderful charities we help each year.

John,
I wanted to personally thank you for your generous donation. We're working to help young women achieve their goals!
God Bless You John!
MATT MAUSER
Matt Mauser

We look forward to our September 14th Luncheon at Antonello Ristaurante. Past Roosters President, Marty Burbank will be talking about Estate Planning and Philanthropy. You do not want to miss it!

2023 ROOSTERS FOUNDATION OF ORANGE COUNTY BOARD OF DIRECTORS

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Jill Caron-Rauen 2023 Charity Committee Chair

Grant applications were returned by September 1, either to the Rooster charity advocate or to me. We have received 18 applications from our charities. I have received applications from Advance on to College, CAST, Christina Mauser Foundation, Devil Pups, Family Promise, Fish for Life, Friendly Center, H.O.P.E., Fristers, Huntington Harbor Philharmonic, Hope Harbor, Kherut, Parentis Foundation, Pure Game, Stand Up For Kids, Summer Harvest and Young Singers of Orange County. In September the committee will meet and begin the process for recommendations to the grant review board.
Please also see the note that I received from Matt Mauser that was sent to John Trapani on page 3. It summarizes our purpose!

Joann Leatherby 2023 Speakers Chair

Our September 14th speaker is going to be our very own Marty Burbank, talking about Estate planning and Philanthropy. And since this is important to me as well, I will probably chime in about my philanthropic experience.
11:30am at Antonellos Ristorante 3800 South Plaza Drive, Santa Ana CA $50 lunch

To the Next Speakers Chair!..Speakers Chair in 2024 will be exciting with the change to dinner meetings alternating with lunch. I envision the new Speakers chair, more as a Program chair. Maybe evenings can feature small performances as well as speakers. We need entertaining speakers as well as those that convey knowledge. Many of our members are highly capable of making presentations and I think we should include them.

Lou Gardner
2023
Ambassador
Director

Brother and Sister Roosters, take a moment to call and introduce yourselves to our newest members. 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:
Lynn Brown
Larry Greene
JJ Jackson
Robert Ward
Howard Minkley

J. J. Jackson
2023 Socials Chair

Our September Social will be on Saturday, the 30th at Pat and Rick McAuley's Home. Please park down on the street unless you have walking issues. Bring a bottle of wine to share.

We look forward to seeing you at 12931 Miriam place, Santa Ana at 6pm! (RSVP to evite!)
949-500-6931 - JJ

Larry Mandell
2023
Secretary/Treasurer

Treasurers report:
Currently we have over $10,000 in the Roosters Inc. account which is for all our social activities.
We have approximately $130,000 in the Foundation account which is for our charitable purposes. Of this money, $52,000 has been allocated to the December food drive and approximately $80,000 to the charities that we help fund.

The Treasurer Position is open for 2024…so If you are good with numbers and have a great sense of money, please consider running for this very important position.

Craig Boardman
2023
Membership Director

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.
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.
Craig Boardman
Membership Chair 2023

ROOSTERS ORANGE COUNTY

Food and Wine CELEBRATION™

Chefs Experience October 29th, 2023 – Old Ranch Country Club

Single tickets are $400
Sponsorship tables are $12,000, $7,500 and $6000.
Chef's Experience tickets and tables do NOT included Wine Celebrations tickets.
For more information OC Food & Wine Celebration www.ocfwc.com
Please visit these Restaurants, thank the Chefs,
and take a photo with them to share in the Crow.

Chef Stefano Ciociola
Benchmark – www.benchmarkrestaurant.com

Chef Eric Samaniego
Michaels on Naples - www.michaelsonnaples.com

Chef Jemille Cruz
Old Ranch Country Club - www.oldranch.com

Chef Mark McDonald
Old Vine Kitchen + Bar – www.OldVinekitchenbar.com

Chef Nick Weber
Populaire Modern Bistro – www.populaireoc.com

Chef Ugo Allesina
Prego Mediterranean – www.PregoOC.com

Chef David B. Martin
The Pacific Club – www.pacificclub.com

Chef Alfonso Ramirez
Leatherby's Café Rouge - www.patinagroup.com/leatherbys-cafe-rouge

2023 OCFWC Co-Chairs
Jen Moriarty
Pat McAuley
Joann Leatherby

Roosters August Dinner Meeting at Verdant was a Success!

OCMA's café Verdant offers a fresh, innovative, plant-forward menu that rotates and highlights the bounty of local and seasonal produce in Southern California. **Chef Ross leads Verdant with Chef Nick Weber and General Manager Alyssa McDiarmid,** both alumnae of the Patina Group.

In addition to its menu of California cuisine replete with locally sourced, organic ingredients, Verdant offers gourmet coffees and teas, including ceremonial-grade matcha, and features a full bar with a carefully curated wine list and craft cocktails. The café space is located on the museum's Upper Plaza and provides visitors with a chic and joyful dining experience in a bright and creative setting.

Rooster Flash Mob Memories!

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!

July - Bar One
September - Old Vine

Roosters Around the World and in the News!

Craig and Dayna Boardman's Daughter, Julie at the 2023 Tony Awards, looking for her third Tony win.
FYI: Check out the museum she opened last year.
www.themuseumofbroadway.com

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Wine CELEBRATION

August 26th 2023 Segerstrom Center

Almost 400 Attendees!!!

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Wine CELEBRATION

The Roosters Foundation Feeding OC Program

Annual Holiday Meals Giveaway
December 16th 2023

Save the Date!

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Make it a Recurring Contribution!

The Roosters board of directors approved 2,000 boxes for our annual event Dec. 16!
December 16th Save the date! You can donate $25 per box with the QR link on right!
If you have connections to sources of food donations, such as canned hams, power bars, grocery store gift cards, etc., please call Dan: 714-310-4162.

Members – If you have emails to send to the Roosters Membership, please contact our Communications Director, Alison Cotton, to assist you with your needs. Please refrain from sending group emails from your individual accounts. Thank you in advance. RoostersCommunicationsDirector@gmail.com or txt 949-254-6563

If you need a one-on-one lesson on how to join the informative Roosters Facebook Group or how to follow us on Instagram, please contact Ali.

Facebook Group

Honorary Roosters

We are thankful for having the ongoing support of the following:

Cherri Farah
Gary Eisenberger
Margarita Martin
Mark McDonald
Dan Pederson
Penny Strenger
Stephanie Bauer
Peter Smith
Floyd Pickrell

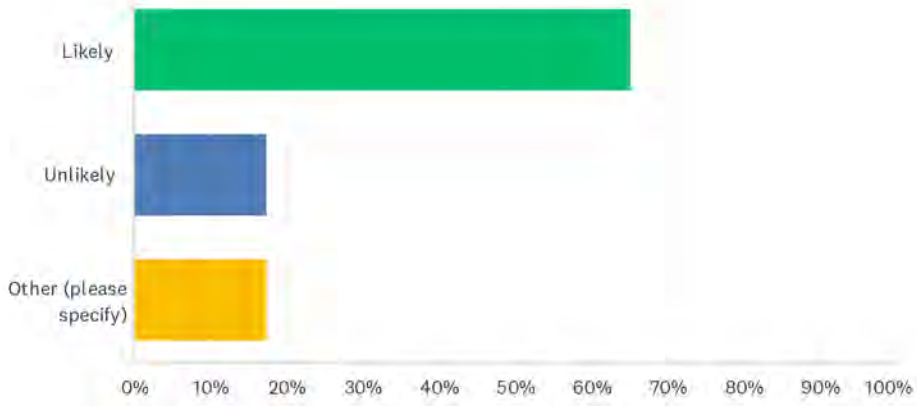
We are now using Survey Monkey as a new way to get your voice heard! We want more participation and ideas from The Roosters. Each month we will email you a survey and would love to have your thoughts! Here are our three questions from our August Survey!

Roosters Survey about Monthly Meetings & The Holiday Luncheon - Please Respond

SurveyMonkey

Q1 If our Holiday Luncheon on December 9th is at the Long Beach Yacht Club from 11am - 2pm would you travel to Long Beach to attend? (We are asking because it is above the OC.)

Answered: 23 Skipped: 0

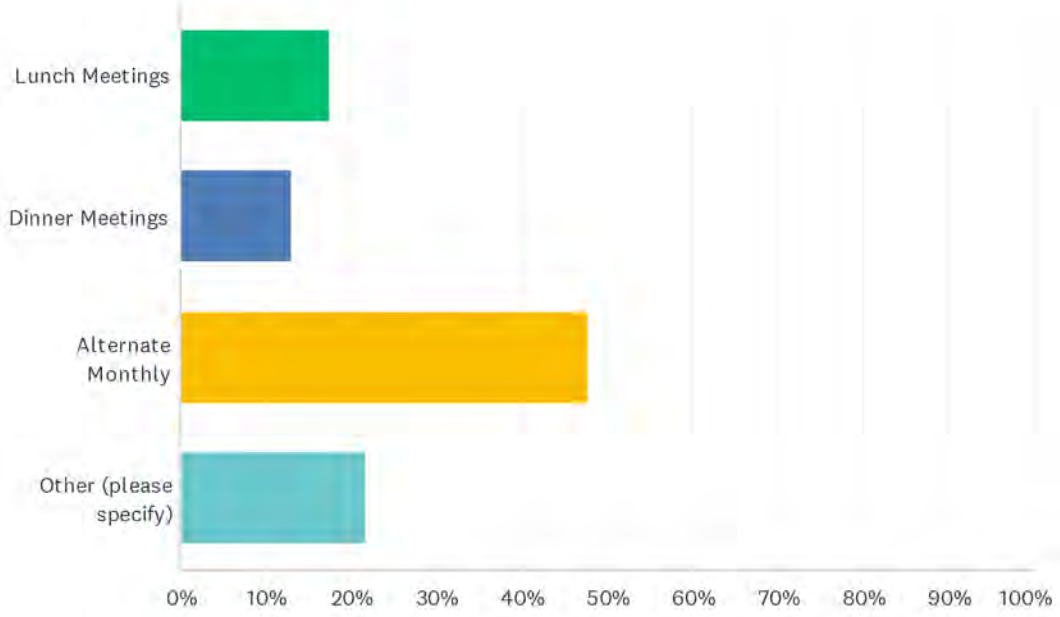


ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Likely	65.22%	15
Unlikely	17.39%	4
Other (please specify)	17.39%	4
TOTAL		23

#	OTHER (PLEASE SPECIFY)	DATE
1	Everything depends on my son's game scedule	8/15/2023 10:38 AM
2	just over the river, no big deal	8/14/2023 4:52 PM
3	I would but would much prefer an OC location, preferably one of our restaurants.	8/11/2023 8:29 AM

Q2 Would you attend more Rooster Meetings at 11:30am, (approx. $45-50 per person), or at 5:30pm (approx. $55-60 a person), or would you like to alternate monthly meetings from lunch to evening to lunch)

Answered: 23 Skipped: 0



ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Lunch Meetings	17.39%	4
Dinner Meetings	13.04%	3
Alternate Monthly	47.83%	11
Other (please specify)	21.74%	5
TOTAL		23

#	OTHER (PLEASE SPECIFY)	DATE
1	every other month-ish	8/14/2023 4:52 PM
2	I think we should alternate every other month lunch and dinner. Meaning a total of 6 events and alternating lunch and dinner. This way total annual cost is lower.	8/11/2023 1:18 PM
3	Possibly alternate but with a different format. Too many people talking at the same time last night.	8/11/2023 12:11 PM
4	Perhaps a dinner meeting once a month	8/11/2023 8:40 AM

Q3 What ideas do you have for The Roosters which would enhance our organization? We want to hear from you!

Answered: 13 Skipped: 10

#	RESPONSES	DATE
1	More younger members; continue to strive to make all members feel a part of organizations, minimize clicks; continue to use social meda as much as appropriate to get message out	8/15/2023 4:54 PM
2	Not sure. I blame myself for not being more active and involved	8/15/2023 10:38 AM
3	It would be nice to have an annual meeting with all (or most) members attending. Like an annual conference or a state of the union type program.	8/14/2023 10:07 PM
4	annual charity ambassador reports back to the membership, more impactful feeding program (summer effort when kids are out of school and unable to get breakfast/lunch)	8/14/2023 4:52 PM
5	more fun	8/12/2023 12:19 PM
6	More members than just the OCFWC working to get restaurants for these 2 events	8/11/2023 4:36 PM
7	Continue to host the informal happy hours, restaurant considerations for our Chefs event and bringing in new members through these activities.	8/11/2023 1:18 PM
8	Get advice from professional fund raisers and membership builders.	8/11/2023 12:11 PM
9	Men only	8/11/2023 10:24 AM
10	Alternate meetings and the list of fun things is a great start. Also suggest brainstorming and requesting ideas for interesting speakers for the meetings. Thad Sandford	8/11/2023 9:38 AM
11	Spread Socials around the Orange County area.	8/11/2023 8:40 AM
12	More fun activities would be nice. An activity instead of a social either every other month, or once a quarter.	8/11/2023 8:30 AM
13	We need to grow but we also need our current members to participate. Meeting, social, flash mob. Members should be able to attend at least one.	8/11/2023 8:29 AM

Thank you to all who participated!

"The Chefs Experience" Sunday, October 29, 2023

At the Chefs Experience event, we are excited to offer our sponsors the opportunity to have priority in selecting their menu. The menu selection hierarchy will determine the order in which sponsors can choose their preferred dishes for the event. The sooner you purchase your sponsorship, the higher you will be in the menu picking order. So don't wait too long, as time is ticking!

MENU Selection Format & Hierarchy

Format

In order of hierarchy*, each "Table Captain" will be *emailed 1 week prior to the event,* to choose the menu for their table. Table Captain will have a 2-hour time limit to make a menu selection. The chef preparing the menu chosen will not be known to the guests until they enter the ballroom which adds to the excitement of the evening!

Levels of Hierarchy -
Platinum, Gold, Silver, then other tables.

NOTE: Within each level, menu selection priority status is established on the date when the table is paid-in-full.

Hierarchy
1) **Platinum Sponsors** receive first choice for menu selection, and are seated closest to the stage area.
2) **Gold Sponsors** receive 2nd choice for menu selection, by order of date sponsorship was paid in full.
3) **Silver Sponsors** will begin menu selection after the Gold Sponsors have chosen, in paid in full order.
4) After the Table Sponsors have chosen their menus, other tables will have opportunity for menu selection.

NOTE: ***Entry into the Menu Picking Order is established when a table of 12 is "Paid in Full" and thus*** *will move above in picking order, any partially paid tables (at the same level).*

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2024 Roosters Board Candidate Statements
Vote at Our October 12th Lunch for the 2024 Board!

Jill Caron-Rauen

I have been a Rooster for almost four years now, and am on the board of directors for 2023. I am also the charity committee chair for 2023. This year we have been focusing on how we can make a larger impact with the charities that receive grants from the Roosters and we are accomplishing that goal! I would like to continue as the charity committee chair for 2024, and again be on the board of directors. I believe in the mission of The Roosters and would like to see the organization thrive!

I would appreciate your vote!

Jill Caron-Rauen

Rob Ward

Hello Roosters! While I am new to the Roosters (March of 2023). I am not new to driving membership for organizations I represent and support. That is why I am running for Membership Chair 2024.

In 2002, I co-founded The Business Roundtable (BRT), a business networking group that we grew from two members, to thirty plus members in our first year. I am confident that I can bring that same level of enthusiasm and growth to the Roosters. I was a Board member of BRT and helped maintain that level of membership through the ebb and flow until we ultimately shut the group down in 2021, partially due to COVID and lingering concerns by some members to meet in person.

I joined the Roosters in part, to fill the void left when BRT disbanded. I also joined for the social aspect and of course, for the charities that the Roosters support. As a father of four and a small business owner, I know personally the challenges of trying to make it all happen. I am the youngest of seven kids of a single mother. Our family benefited from the types of organizations that the Roosters support. I am honored and privileged to be able to give back.

I am looking forward to building our membership so we can give back even more. I am not just looking for your vote. I am looking for your help! Together, we can build the membership back to previous levels. More members, more fun. More members, more donations for the charities we support. Thank you for your consideration, Rob Ward "Good Times, Good Causes" Cell: 949-274-6274

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2024 Roosters Board Candidate Statements
Vote at Our October 12th Lunch for the 2024 Board!

Lou Gardner

Brother Roosters, I am asking for your consideration to serve as a 2024 Board member for the Roosters Foundation and Roosters Inc. As most of you know, I have been a member of the Roosters since 2009. I became a board member in 2010 serving as PR Chair in 2010, Charity Chair in 2011, 2012, and 2013. I Served as VP in 2014 under John Hinson and was president in 2015. After serving as past president in 2016, I was honored to serve on the 2021, 2022 and 2023 Board as Ambassador Chair.

Current leadership has re-focused our goals of helping children in need and at risk in Orange County. Our membership along with our significant others has created a close-knit family culture not common in organizations today.

I serve to help take the Roosters to the next level and to nurture future leaders within the Roosters and I therefore ask for your vote.

Sincerely
Lou Gardner

Bleu Cotton

I have been a member of the Roosters since 2002 and have photographed many events during that time....Now it is time to step up and contribute to the board. I would like to become the speaker chair. With my extensive background in meeting and photographing many interesting clients, it would be a pleasure to ask some of them to come and speak at our meetings. I would coordinate the times and facilitate any needs in setting up for their talks to us.

Thank you for considering me for this position on the Rooster Board.

Sincerely,
Bleu Cotton

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2024 Roosters Board Candidate Statements
Vote at Our October 12th Lunch for the 2024 Board!

Thad Sandford

Member of Roosters for 5 years and previously served as Chair of the Charity Committee. I am currently retired but active as a member of Rotary club of Fullerton, Fullerton First Methodist Church. and the St Jude Hospital Memorial Foundation Board (where I serve asr), Vice Chair.

I retired from The Boeing Company as Vice President of Engineering in 2004 and from the Air Force as Colonel in 1989. My wife, Ann, and I travel often. And I enjoy the work of playing golf.

Jessie Bullis

I am a new member with the Rooters and I am interested in serving on the board next year. Thank you for your consideration. Jessie Bullis

Jon Giberson

I have been a member since 1989 and have seen many positive changes in our organization and humbly ask for your support as a candidate for the Board of Directors as Ambassador Chair.

I chaired the Annual Holiday Food Drive for 10 years, was Rooster of the Year in 2016, double recipient of the Doug Davidson Memorial Award, two-time nominee for the Rooster Spirit of Volunteerism Award and several Distinguished Achievement Awards. I am also a member of the Charity Committee.

I look forward to working with President Greg Bates in increasing the involvement of our membership by getting new members engaged in the fun social activity and serious aspect of raising funds for needy children in Orange County.

Thank you for your support. Jon Giberson

ROOSTERS FOUNDATION OF ORANGE COUNTY

Sponsorship Commitment Form

October 29, 2023 Chefs Experience

ROOSTERS ORANGE COUNTY foodandWine CELEBRATION

Proceeds will help support over 20 small charities that **feed, protect, educate and nurture** children and their families; and fund the Roosters Feeding OC Program, which will feed families with needy children living below the poverty line in Orange County.

Level of Commitment - Sponsorship

— Named Sponsor The Chefs Experience ($25,000)

— PLATINUM Sponsor ($12,000) Chefs Experience October 29, 2023

— GOLD Sponsor ($7,500) Chefs Experience October 29, 2023

— SILVER Table Sponsor ($6,000) The Chefs Experience October 29, 2023 Table for 12

Level of Commitment - Underwriting

— Audio/Visual Sponsor - The Chefs Experience ($8,000)

— Hors d'oeuvres Sponsor - The Chefs Experience ($5,000)

— Chef's Jacket/Apron Sponsor - The Chefs Experience ($4,000)

— After Party Sponsor - The Chefs Experience ($3,500)

— Chef's Gifts Sponsor - The Chefs Experience ($2,000)

— Photography Sponsor - The Chefs Experience ($2,000)

— Chefs Apron Sponsor including your logo ($2000)

— Champagne or Caviar Welcome Sponsor - ($1,500)

— Printing Sponsor ($1000)

— Chefs Food Sponsor ($1000)

— Volunteer Food Sponsor ($1000)

— In-kind Donor *(please complete the In-kind Donation Form indicating your specific donation)*

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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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Help Roosters Help Kids Campaigns....you can make a recurring monthly contribution with a few clicks on our website!

1. 16% of kids in Orange County go to bed hungry. We need your help to help them! Please make a monthly donation of any amount to the Roosters "Feeding O.C." program. We are working on raising $52,000 to enable us to distribute 2000 boxes this year. Please help by funding a Food Box every month with the instructions below.

Make it a Recurring Contribution!

2. The Roosters Endowment Program currently has a balance of nearly $80,000 and it's growing...but only with your help! Please make a monthly donation of any amount to The Roosters "Endowment Program" so that at some point in the future we will have enough funds to keep Roosters donations continuing forever, (as the principal can never be spent...only the interest on the principle can be donated by The Roosters Foundation!) It is managed by the Orange County Community Foundation. Please set up your monthly contribution with the instructions on the QR link.

Your RECURRING Monthly contribution will make a HUGE difference!