



CHILDREN'S FUND

# Media Release

## What

18<sup>th</sup> Annual A. Gary Anderson Memorial Golf Classic. (photos available)

## Who

Children's Fund Supporters

## When

Monday, June 14<sup>th</sup>, 2010

## Where

Red Hill Country Club  
Rancho Cucamonga, California

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## Giving Still Thrives in the Inland Empire During Economic Downturn

SAN BERNARDINO, CA – June 22, 2010—Despite the current economic downturn, Children's Fund was recently surprised to learn firsthand that giving still thrives in the Inland Empire. As the national and local financial systems have collapsed, demand for Children's Fund's assistance has increased. More children than ever are in desperate need of the emergent services that Children's Fund provides day in and day out, and the annual A. Gary Anderson Memorial Golf Classic is a major lifeline through which Children's Fund raised over **\$290,000** to provide this life sustaining assistance.

Recognized as one of the most prestigious golf tournaments in the Inland Empire, The A. Gary Anderson Memorial Golf Classic brings together generous men and women throughout California. Though some might be taken aback by the \$500 entry fee, the AGA Golfers are more than happy to contribute the money, knowing that in return they will not only receive one day of great golf, but they will be helping children at-risk for 365 days a year.

Long before the golfers stepped foot on the green they began pledging their support as sponsors of the Classic. Sponsorships ranged in value from \$30,000 to \$500, and totaled over \$290,000 in funding support. The Title Sponsor for this year's event was Diversified Pacific Opportunity Fund, with a donation of \$30,000; followed by The A. Gary Anderson Family Foundations Platinum sponsorship of \$25,000.

Sir Winston Churchill once said, "We make a living by what we get. We make a life by what we give." Through the generosity bestowed upon Children's Fund before, during and even after the 18<sup>th</sup> Annual A. Gary Anderson Memorial Golf Classic, the over **\$290,000** raised will empower Children's Fund to contribute significantly to the lives of thousands of at-risk children. Each dollar helps to keep alive the mission of Children's Fund as well as the memory of A. Gary Anderson, a man who is not only remembered for his remarkable achievements in the business world but is never forgotten for his unselfish work on behalf of at-risk children in San Bernardino County.

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