

April 2011



Upcoming Events:

Board of Supervisors resolution for Child Abuse Prevention Month, April 12th, 9:00am

13th Annual Celebrate Our Children Day April 16th, 11am-3pm Argonaut High School

Stranger Awareness workshop at Kennedy Meadows, April 21st, 6:00pm for Amador Cooperative Preschool parents

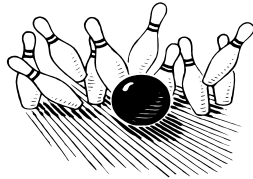
April date TBD: Period of Purple Crying training for home visitors.

The Period of Purple Crying parent DVD's and booklets were purchased with donations made in Matt Zanze's memory.

ACAPC Meetings:

Monday, April 18th 10:00-11:30am Health & Human Services

Amador Child Abuse
Prevention Council
845 E. State Hwy. 88, #183
Jackson, CA 95642
209-223-5921
Email:
info@amadorcapc.org
www.amadorcapc.org



Thank you for making our 3rd Annual Bowl-a-Thon a tremendous success!

Over \$16,700 raised,
and 167 lbs. of food
collected!

Thank you to all the businesses, community members, volunteers, and all our fabulous bowlers, who donated their time, money, and prizes to make this such a great event.

Please see thank you in the April 13th Ledger-Dispatch.

Abuse in Public—What to Do?

April is National Child Abuse Prevention Month. Here are some things we all can do if you see child abuse in a public place.

Start a conversation with the adult to direct attention away from the child.

For Example:

- ◆ "She seems to be trying your patience."
- ◆ "My child sometimes gets upset like that, too."
- ◆ "Children can really wear you out sometimes. Is there anything I can do to help?"

Divert the child's attention (if misbehaving) by talking to the child.

For Example:

- ◆ "That's a great baseball cap. Are you a Giants fan?"
- ◆ "I like your t-shirt. Did you get that on vacation?"

Look for an opportunity to praise the parent or child.

For Example:

- ◆ "He has the most beautiful eyes."
- ◆ "That's a very pretty shirt on your little girl. Where did you get it?"

If the child is in danger, offer assistance.

For Example:

- ◆ If the child is left unattended in a shopping cart, stand near the child until the parent returns.
- ◆ If the child is in immediate danger, call 911.

Avoid negative remarks or looks.

Negative reactions are likely to increase the parent's stress or anger, and could make matters worse for the child.

Remember, it only takes a minute to make a difference in the life of a child!

Some of the many 3rd Annual Bowl-a-Thon supporters who helped raise over \$16,700! Thank you all.

Platinum Sponsors: Jackson Rancheria, American Legion Post 108, American Legion Ambulance Post 108

Gold Sponsors: Jackson Lions, Jackson Rancheria Band of Miwuk Indians

Silver Sponsors: Doron Dreksler-Spire Architecture, Inc., Glass Doctor of the Gold Country, Blue Knights California, Mainstreet Media Group/Ledger Dispatch

Bronze Sponsors: Donal E. Elliott, Jarrett, Inc., Jackson Creek Dental, Kevin Z. Kraft - APS Associates, Inc., Robert Hahn's Automotive, Jackson Tire, Sutter Gold Mining Co., Rory's Towing & Repair, Sweet Pea Septic, Wells Fargo Bank, Wal-Mart, Vivion, Inc., Curt Campbell, William Griffin, M.D., Moore Precision Mfg., Kristi Roots Insurance Services, Safeguard Pest Control, Inc., Short Circuit Electric

Lane Sponsors: Jessie McBride, Connie McKenna - Amador Acupuncture, Soroptimist of Amador, Carolyn Scalabrino, Kathlynn & Dr. Richard Buss, Harold & Daisy Yerly, Barbara & Richard Hansen, Anne Lintz State Farm Insurance, Marcia Williams, Carol Mallo, Mallo Gold Mine Plaza, Christopher Schiappa DDS, Don Nolting—Pine Grove Group, Dr. Bill Frey, Dr. Simpson, Beau Gillman, Matich Vukovich Insurance Services, Trassare Jewelers, Sierra Janitorial Supply, Macario R. Vazquez, M.D., Regina Schowengerdt—Daneri Mortuary, Raquel & Jay Lowman, Maynard Management, **and many others who donated to our bowlers.**

Teams/Prize Donors: Barrons Flooring & Design, **Sunflower Pro Cleaning**, Ferguson Plumbing, Dry Town Cellars, Ione Dental Practice, JoAnn & Rick Sprengel, Sierra Equipment Rental & Service, Grey Gables Inn, Barron's Furniture, Save Mart, M & M Door Company, Shenandoah Inn, **Kaizen Martial Arts**, Goldstrike Warehouse, Add Art, Subaru Plus, Chaos Glassworks, **Jackson Creek Dental**, Sierra Janitorial Supply, Best Western Amador Inn, Beauty Emporium, Kamps Propane, Terry's Grooming, Sierra Equipment Rental & Service, Moore Precision Mfg., Les Schwab Tires, Sutter Gold Mine Tours, **4-H Youth Programs**, Sierra Ridge Winery, Dunlop Family Furniture, Main St. Gas Co., Refresh at Sutter Creek, **Amador Transit**, Fat Cat Tattoo, Play it Again Sports, Amador Acupuncture, SpeedDee/Midas, Meneely Tools & Equipment Rental, Riebes Auto Parts, Meeks, Taste Restaurant, Old West Antiques, BlockBuster, Antiques Downstairs, Melanies Studio of Hair Design, Pokerville Market, AmeriGas, Trader Stan, Gordon Hill Flower Shop, Heaven & Earth, Haire by Mare, Different Philosophies Salon, Jamba Juice, Volcano Press, Antiques on Main St., **ATCAA Shelter**, Pine Grove Tire, Ione Pharmacy, Pine Grove Video, **First 5 Amador**, Scott Harvey Tasting Room, Terry's Grooming, Jackson Family Sports, Sutter Creek Theatre, More Than Just Hair, Amador Café & Bakery, The Wild Goose, Skintique Day Spa, Clark's Corner, Amador Automotive, Inc., Hair Again, **Head Start**, Perfect Scents, Inc., Fringe Salon, Smoke in a Bottle, State Farm Insurance, Robyn's Nest Hair Salon, **American Legion Riders**, Perko's Café, Water Street Antiques & Interiors, Terry's Grooming, **Umpqua Bank**, A & B Stoves, Amador Tire, Sears, Jackson Tile & Landscape, Sue Brown's Custom Quilt's, Plymouth Hardware & Feed, Payless Shoe Source, Allen's Giftique & Thrift Shop, Walgreens, Pine Cone Drug, Earth & Ocean Boardshop, Inc., **Public Health**, Gold Country Trinkets, Raley's, Mel & Faye's Diner, Mother Lode Music, Ridge Road Garden Center, Pine Grove Pizza, Frank A's Pizza, Ione Plaza Market, **Soroptimists**, Jackson Cleaners, **District Attorney's Office**, Big Spoon Yogurt, Platinum Hair Design, Hair Salon, Smylie's Barber Lounge, Twisted Fork, Sutter Creek Wine Tasting, Sutter Creek Menswear, Creeky Cupboard, Bank of Amador, Sullivan Chiropractic, The Clothes Mine, Raley's, Sierra Mountain Outdoors, Romancin The Range, Lanza Imports, **American Legion Post 108**, Ione Ace Hardware, Treasures Mercantile, Pizza Plus, Sue's Shop, Screenteez, Big 5 Sporting Goods, El Torero, Mr. Beefy's Burger, Waffle Shop, Cost Less Food, **Operation Care**, The Biggest Little Kitchen Store, Smylie's Barber Lounge, The Antique Gardner, Blue Moon Café, JB's Awards & Engraving, Creeky Cupboard, **Ledger Dispatch**, Blackwell Beauty Studio, A Cut Above, **Blue Knights California**, The Celtic Knot, Tomorrow's Heirlooms, Goin Postal, Gift & Home, Pedal Pushers Down Home, Miner's Pick, Jackson True Value, The Wild Goose, Ione Steak House, Ray's Take & Bake Pizza, Gold Mine Realty, Subway, Golden Wok, Dollar Tree, Paisano's Pizzeria, Richard & Sherry's, Classy Nails, Main Street Designs, Strings Italian Café, Sierra House Restaurant, **Amador Child Care Council**, one Ace Hardware, On Purpose, Main Street Emporium, Ed & Mark's Barber Shop, Ione Nails, **Job Connection**, Scissor Wizard, Gold Country Trinkets, At Peace Bookstore, **Glass Doctor of the Gold Country**, Pepita's Fresh Mexican Food, Sutter Creek Cheese Shoppe, Pappa Murphy's Pizza, Mother Lode Market, Hendricks Company, Tea Eras, Jim Boy's Tacos, BBVA Compass, Munnerlyn's Ice Cream, Wierschem's train Town, Jackson Rancheria General Store, Country Living, Sierra Hearth & Home, Inuksuk's Place, Baskin Robbins, **The Resource Connection**, Cozy Collectibles, Sutter Creek Ice Cream Emporium, Oko Sushi, 49er Metal Detector, Guys' Saw Center, O'Reilly Auto Parts

Extra special thanks to Rick Raper for all the prizes, Denise Hawkins for the Campbell's Soup donations, Nina Machado, Rachel & Rebecca Valencia, and the ACAPC members for their help at the Bowl-a-Thon, all the Gold Country Lanes Bowling Center staff and Round Table Pizza.