

O.K. Earl died in January 2004.

This year he will help distribute \$750,000 to local non-profits.

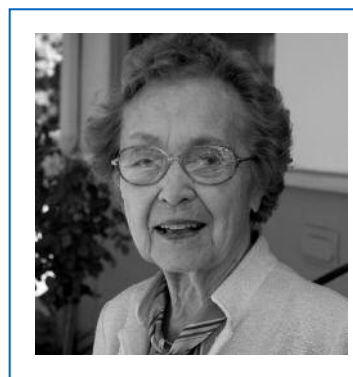


When he was alive, O.K. Earl was noted for his generosity to the community. Now that he has passed on, his legacy of giving continues through a bequest to the Pasadena Community Foundation which created the O.K. Earl Endowment Fund. As a past Board Chair of PCF, O.K. Earl recognized that the Foundation's grant making programs are an effective way to meet ever-changing needs of the community. He understood that through regular visits to non-profit agencies, PCF assures its donors that their gifts will be applied where they are needed most. Being effective, efficient and caring were values important to O.K. Earl.

Leave a Personal Legacy through a Gift to the Pasadena Community Foundation

Four ways to join our Legacy Society:

1. Create a named fund through provision in your estate plan to support the work of PCF or a specific cause you care about.
2. Become an Endowment Fellow — set up an unrestricted named fund to support the grant making programs of the Foundation. You will be a perpetual Fellow of the Foundation.
3. Establish a Donor Advised Endowment Fund — as an advisor to this fund, you can recommend grants from the earnings and income to charities. You can also pass this legacy onto your children by naming them as successor advisors to the fund.
4. Partner with PCF to manage your organization's endowment fund.



Dorothy Avakian, Pasadena Community Foundation Fellow

Recently, Dorothy made a significant unrestricted gift to PCF to support our grant making. Dorothy was married to Lawrence Avakian for 49 years. When he passed, Dorothy took over the management of their considerable estate. "Larry had appointed excellent professional advisors that helped me with investment, tax and legal matters. We had already settled on giving our estate to charity," says Dorothy. However, she also felt she could support some good causes while she was alive and did so through a donor advised fund at the community foundation. After working with the foundation for several years, she came to appreciate the work we do in supporting local non-profits.

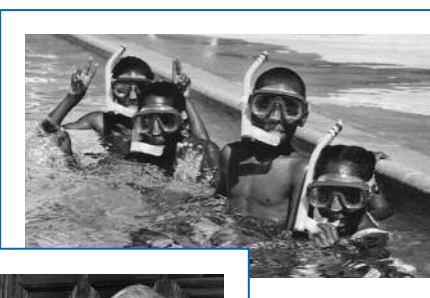
Become a Pasadena Community Foundation Fellow

Join the Foundation Fellows with an annual gift of \$500 or more.

Consider becoming an Endowment Fellow with a one-time gift of \$10,000 or more.

Endowment Fellows become perpetual Fellows of the Foundation by endowing their annual gift through an unrestricted, named fund with a one-time donation that supports the work of local organizations.

Peggy Phelps and Fran Neumann Endowment Fellows



In 2007 Fellows supported our grants to over 50 organizations including a refurbished swimming pool for Five Acres.

Opportunity to contribute IRA assets is open through 2007

An unrestricted gift to the Pasadena Community Foundation's Fellows Fund to support our grant making programs does qualify for a tax-free distribution of up to \$100,000 from an IRA for donors age 70½ or older.



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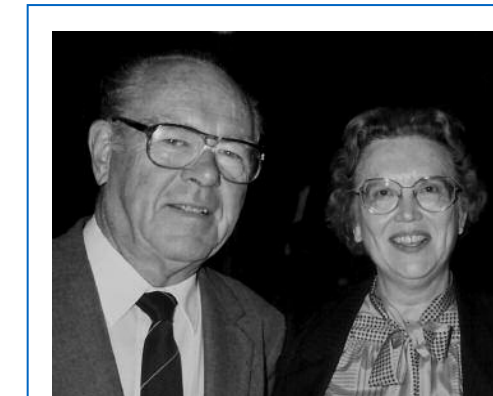
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FALL 2007



Honoring A Loved One

The Pasadena Community Foundation was honored to work with local families to create memorial funds for two gentlemen who loved this community. Friends and family contributed to these advised funds; the families will decide how to distribute the gifts to local non-profits.



John C. & Barbara Crowley, deeply engaged in civic life

Crowley Memorial Fund

Former Pasadena Mayor John C. Crowley passed away in his home, known as Great Oaks, in West Pasadena last May. His two-year term as Mayor from 1986 to 1988 was part of a 12-year tenure as a member of City Council. His impact on the city's fiscal health is widely acknowledged and respected. In addition to being a competent leader in city government, he and his wife Barbara were generous and supportive of the local non-profit community. A trail into the Arroyo Seco was recently named and dedicated in his honor. He was also a longtime member of Pasadena Rotary.

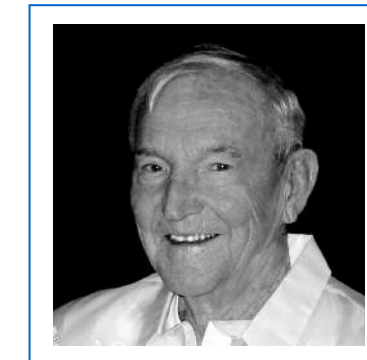
In addition to his business and civic accomplishments, he was devoted to his family. Over 300 friends and family members gathered to celebrate his life at the Athenaeum in September.

Tyler Memorial Fund

Ted Tyler's obituary began "Ted Tyler's great and generous heart stopped beating on Saturday, June 9, 2007." A third generation of Tylers to live on Grand Avenue in Pasadena, his life was a model of commitment to family, friends and community.

A product of Pasadena schools through Pasadena Junior College (now PCC) he became active in the NAACP and worked to integrate the Pasadena schools. A graduate of USC, he stayed connected with his fraternity brothers and with the University as an Associate. He was a longstanding member of the Tournament of Roses. Active in both the YMCA and the YWCA, Tyler was honored as Man of the Years by the Y's Men's Club. As a noted building contractor, he used his expertise on behalf of the City by serving many years on the Planning Commission.

The love he showed for family and community was his gift and his family's inspiration.



Ted Tyler, a man who loved Pasadena

Message

from the Executive Director

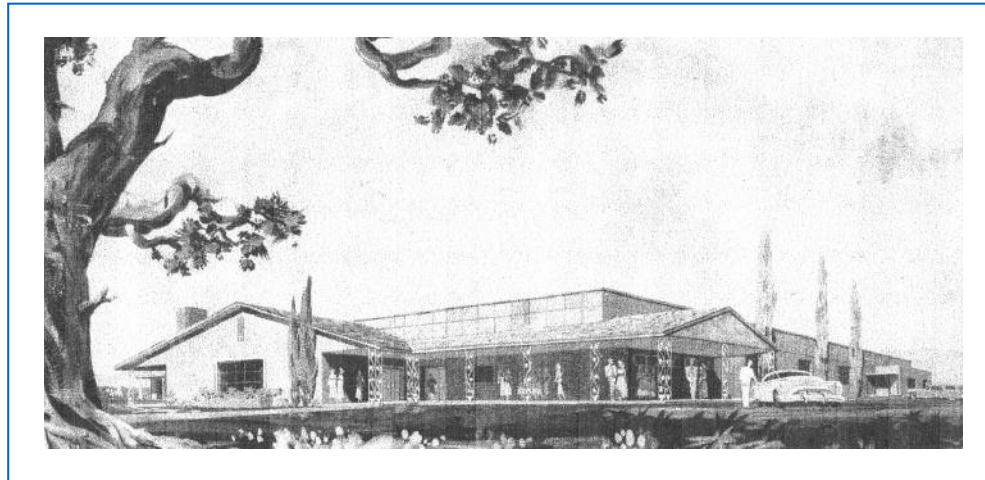
Jennifer DeBolle



Quite simply, 2007 has been a year of working with families to pay tribute to loved ones, establishing charitable legacies through bequests and endowment funds, and building your community foundation's capacity to support our local non-profits. We proudly share these stories of generosity with you and we thank you for your support.

San Marino Woman’s Club establishes \$1 Million Endowment Fund

The Pasadena Community Foundation is pleased to announce the establishment of the San Marino Woman’s Club charitable endowment. The \$1 million fund will support the Club’s grant making to area non-profits that help women and children. “The Pasadena Community Foundation was the perfect fit for us,” says Club member Arlene Kelly. “It assures us that our philanthropic efforts will continue long into the future.”



An architectural rendering of the Woman’s Club building; proceeds from the sale have funded their endowment.

Some fifty-two women who met in the San Marino Police Department’s courtroom founded the San Marino Woman’s Club in 1936. Following the war effort to which members gave countless hours and resources, members refocused their efforts on building a much-needed clubhouse. Three years later they purchased the property for their clubhouse on Huntington Drive for approximately \$6,000. The Club sold its clubhouse in 2004 to the City of San Marino and now meets in the historic Blinn House in Pasadena.

Over the years, donations from the San Marino Woman’s Club have benefited countless organizations. The Club endowed a bed at Orthopedic Hospital, awarded nursing scholarships and supported Toys for Tots and Five Acres. From the Assistance League to the American Red Cross, the Club has assisted the vital work of local agencies. Throughout the years, free use of the beautiful clubhouse was made available to countless organizations for community causes. Last June 8th, to commemorate the 71st anniversary of its founding on that date in 1936, the San Marino Woman’s Club announced a \$100,000 donation to the Trauma Center at Huntington Memorial Hospital.

The San Marino Woman’s Club fund creates a permanent charitable legacy that pays tribute to the volunteerism and contributions of the San Marino Woman’s Club to our community.



Members of San Marino Woman’s Club attended the Foundation’s celebration of philanthropy last June. Pictured above (L to R) are Terry Golden; Jennifer DeVoll, Executive Director of PCF; Natalia Peery and Arlene Kelly.

The Pasadena Community Foundation offers a variety of funds that make it possible for individuals to give back to their community or generally contribute to the welfare of others. From scholarship funds to donor advised funds to field of interest funds, the Pasadena Community Foundation helps those who care give back in a way that makes a positive difference to our community. For information about setting up a charitable fund, please call Jennifer DeVoll at (626) 796-2097.

Foundation thanks Members of Legacy Society



Libby Lent, Legacy Society member and Patrice Litchfield, Grants Coordinator



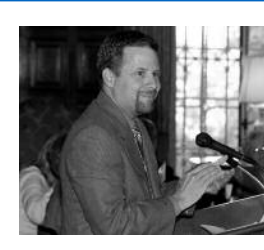
Gloria Pitzer and Rick Nordin, members of PCF Legacy Society



Margaret & John McAustin will establish a fund by bequest to support issues they care most about

Foundation honors Martin Werbelow LLP

- Wallace “Buzz” Martin
1966 - 1986
- David Werbelow
1988 - 1997
- David Beringer
1998 - 2007



Martin Werbelow partners have served on the Board of the Pasadena Community Foundation for over 40 continuous years.

Corene Pindroh, CPA joins PCF Board

Corene Pindroh joined the PCF Board in 2007 bringing with her significant experience as a Board member and trustee of several local private foundations. Corene is a senior partner with the public accounting firm, Lucas, Horsfall, Murphy & Pindroh, LLP where she provides accounting, individual and business taxation, trust administration and estate planning services to firm clients.

Corene moved to Pasadena in 1971 with her husband Bob whom she met at the University of San Francisco. They have two adult children, Matt and Karen and three grandchildren. Over the years she has given her time and leadership to many local non-profits including La Salle High School, the Scripps Home, Women at Work and AYSO. Additionally Corene is an active member of the Rotary Club of Pasadena and the Twilight Club.



Corene L. Pindroh

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Foothill Vocational Opportunities receives Heavy Duty Gift



Diane Scott, Board Chair and Jennifer DeVoll, Executive Director, in front of Foundation-funded forklift. Photo by Terry Miller, Core Media, Inc.

Last spring, PCF awarded a \$29,000 major grant to Foothill Vocational Opportunities for heavy-duty industrial equipment.

Grant history: PCF has been a consistent funder of Foothill for four decades and has given them over \$385,000 in grants. The first grant, awarded in 1966, was \$2,000 for workshop tools.

The new forklift will be used in Foothill’s manufacturing and production facility, which is located on Fair Oaks Avenue. The facility employs over 175 disabled adults each year and helps prepare many disabled workers for employment with local businesses. In fact, nearly 100 local businesses currently partner with Foothill, either through production and manufacturing contracts and/or through direct employment of qualified disabled individuals.

Friends of Cleveland celebrate six years at Mijares Night!

In 2002, five families adopted Cleveland Elementary School through the PUSD Partners in Education Office. Their mission is to assist in providing an environment conducive to learning for its students. In 2004 the group expanded to seven families.

Grant history: Friends of Cleveland Elementary School, a component fund of PCF, has raised \$80,000 to help kids and support faculty.

Friends of Cleveland has experienced wonderful success through support from friends, family, local businesses and civic organizations who they refer to as their “Circle of Friends.” This fall over 100 “friends” gathered at Mijares Restaurant for their sixth annual celebration and fundraiser. Since its inception, approximately \$56,000 has been spent to purchase books, video technology, classroom furniture, playground equipment, auditorium sound system and drapes, and most recently \$6,200 to buy six computers. They assisted the PTA in the purchase of a school marquee. They have also given generously of their time through the organization of an annual Career Day and art classes on campus and field trips off campus.

The group began to think about expanding their outreach and has made one-time donations to purchase books for Altadena, Jackson and Franklin Elementary Schools this year. An LCD projector will be purchased for the computer room at Loma Alta Elementary School.

Grant applications for 2008 are due March 3, 2008 and will be available on our website at www.pasadenacf.org in January.



Gerri Edson, R-lene Mijares de Lang and Brenda Galloway

Below: Ms. Michaela Pereira, co-anchor of KTLA’s morning show with student at Cleveland School’s Career Day

